

TO: Eric Waddell, Superintendent
FROM: Shay Stathoplos, Director of Nursing Services, RN, BSN, NCSN
DATE: June 2021
RE: Quarterly Report for School Committee

April: Kindergarten registration continues. A CLIA waiver was obtained for potential Covid testing. Rapid tests were ordered and the schools registered with RedCap to report test results. Multiple Pool testing webinars were attended as well as webinars in Covid Health inequity and Hearing Screening during Covid. A sports physical meeting was held with the Athletic Director to discuss aligning our policies with current practices. Vaccine clinics for those 16 and up were approved and nurses helped families to locate clinics and to get information out regarding the Covid vaccine.

May: Pool testing webinars continue. There was a meeting between the superintendent and nurses regarding pool testing which quickly turned to Covid vaccine clinics at school. Kittery was one of the first schools in Maine to hold a Covid vaccine clinic with one at Traip and one at Shapleigh. Kindergarten registration continues. The End of the Year health report was submitted to the state. Vision and hearing screenings continue.

June: Kindergarten registration continues. Scheduling of next years flu clinic starts. Coordination of new mobile dental service begins. The second Covid vaccine clinics were held. Review of student health charts between schools occurs. Pool testing discussions and thoughts on processes continue to occur. Interviews for a new school nurse were held as Betsy Burke is retiring. She will be a big loss for the nursing team and we are sad to see her go.

Communicable Disease Report:

COVID-Related: Sent home: 14 Calls for Return Protocol: 137 Students tested: 132
Contact tracing following positive cases: 43 Covid positive cases: 13

Strep: 3 **Flu:** 0 **Bartonella:** 1 **Lyme:** 1

By the Numbers

New students in district: 4 **Health Record noncompliance:** 0 non-complaint

New Diagnosis this quarter: Sprained wrist, fractured elbow, fractured clavicle, stitches in finger, Covid vestibular neuritis; post-Covid vaccine morbilliform rash

Surgical Procedures: Wisdom teeth extraction x 4; repair of torn meniscus, tonsilectomy

Significant School Injuries: Concussion x 2 (Lacrosse), fractured radius, sprained wrist, fractured elbow

Average Daily Student Office Visits: 10 per building daily **Average Daily Parent Contact:** 6 per building daily

Physician Referrals: 22 this quarter **Sent Home:** 50 this quarter

Psychosocial Referrals: 4 this quarter

Staff Assessments: 25 this quarter **Referred:** 4 referred

Screenings in the district: Vision: 51 Hearing: 209 **Referred:** 1 for vision

Meetings:

Wellness = 4 (district/ building)

Nursing = 9

504/IEP = 12 total

Nurse DOE meetings: 16 total / CDC briefings: 8 total

Staff meetings = 11 total