Archway Partnership: Health  
December 2009 Report

Washington County Archway Partnership: Health

PRIORITY – Community Health Education

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<td>1. Ongoing education for public (particularly elderly) about Medicare</td>
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<td>and Medicaid Coverage - <strong>current focus</strong></td>
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<td>2. Promoting health to become part of the culture in Washington County</td>
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<td>3. Obesity Prevention</td>
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--- Current Activity ---

### 2009 Medicare Made Easy Open Enrollment Event

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<th>Details</th>
<th>- Held Medicare Made Easy Event to take place on November 16, 2009 at Sandersville Tech – comprehensive individualized Medicare outreach event</th>
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<td>- External Partners: CSRA Area Agency on Aging, local volunteers, local organization</td>
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<td>- 70 attendees, 36 volunteers; each client received between 15-20 minutes with a counselor</td>
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<td>- Currently working on event follow-up including press, collecting and analyzing evaluations.</td>
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#### Service Learning Project 2 (Fall 09)

- College of Pharmacy Community Outreach Course – received $8000 Scholarship of Engagement grant to support the planning and implementation of the event  
  - COMPLETE

#### Service Learning Project 3 (Fall 09)

- College of Public Health MPH Leadership Course – under the leadership of Monica Gaughan and Mumbi Okundaye, the students are creating and implementing a baseline assessment of Medicare education and outreach needs in WaCo area for evaluation and sustainability purposes  
  - COMPLETE

### Washington County Area Health Resource Directory

#### Service Learning Project (Fall 09)

- Terry College of Business MIS Course – students developing a database and web interface structure for the resource directory.  
  - Students delivered final products to the WaCo Chamber of Commerce, WCRMC, and the East Ga Health Cooperative on December 9, 2009. Final products include: online database for information, live online interface on the Chamber website, and a user manual.  
  - The students were able to discuss ways for other organizations to
adopt this format and use it to collect, organize and disseminate information.

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<th>Future Actions</th>
<th>Sandersville Progress</th>
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**Service Learning Project (Summer 09)**

**Student Internship (Summer 2009)**
- Alicia Hobson – COMPLETE – Deliverable: “Your Health Matters – A health literacy curriculum for Adult Literacy Program at Sandersville Technical College.”

**HPRB 7270 Student Project**

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<td>Project Name – Senior Health Awareness and Prevention Education (SHAPE)</td>
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<td>Received student deliverables</td>
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<td>Secured UGA Office of Service Learning Mini Grant for Implementation of project</td>
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**HPRB 7370 Student Project**

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<td>Project Status</td>
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<td>Received student deliverables – 4/27/09 visited campus to hear final presentation</td>
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<td>Currently exploring funding options for printing and distribution of materials in WaCo</td>
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<td>Mumbi Okundaye, Archway: Health Intern is working to continue plans for implementation</td>
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**Air Quality Education in Washington County**

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<th>Project Status</th>
<th>Waiting for guidance on next steps from Task Force leaders</th>
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<td>Future Actions</td>
<td>Continue working with Task Force to implement plans</td>
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**PRIORITY – Health Care Professional Recruitment**
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<th>To develop community-wide strategies to support recruitment of healthcare professionals to the Washington County area.</th>
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**Archway/AHEC Medical Scholar Program**

| Project Status | - Met with administration at Mercer Medical School, Morehouse School of Medicine, and Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine to introduce and garner support for the Scholar Program.  
- Hosted Dr. Maurice Clifton of Mercer Medical School to meet with community members regarding Mercer’s involvement in the Scholar Program and Washington County.  
- Working with local Archway Health Subcommittee to plan community related details of the program  
- Working with AHEC partners to engage GA Medical Schools |

**Service Learning Project (Fall 09)**

| - Spiro Amburn, UGA Institute for Non-Profit Organizations – student developing a non-profit plan for the medical student recruitment model  
- COMPLETE |

**Sandersville Healthcare Professional to RN Bridge Program (LPNs and Paramedics)**

| Project Status | - Classes began October 11, 2009. The nursing sequence will end in December, 2010 or a scant 15 months after they begin classes in October 2009. Enrollment in the first cohort will be limited to 25 students. Archway Health periodically sends out emails to students with updates and information.  
- Working with Darton College partners to complete ICAPP concept application for the HPI funding. |

**PRIORITY – Supporting Leadership in Washington County Healthcare Community**

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<th>Support those in leadership positions in the Washington County healthcare community and promote leadership development among the healthcare workforce.</th>
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| Project Status | - The Leadership subcommittee is working with the healthcare professional subcommittee to plan and develop the Archway/AHEC Scholar Program  
- WaCo Chamber of Commerce awarded the UGA Leadership |
Development Train the Trainer Grant ($5000) which will contribute to the Health Professional Leadership Development
- Archway Partnership and the WaCo Chamber of Commerce was awarded grants funds for Leadership Washington. $10K-$15K will be designated for a Healthcare Professional Leadership Development Program.

Future Actions
- Use grant funds to plan healthcare professional leadership program. Planning to begin January 2009.

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### WaCo Health Economic Impact Statement

| Project Status         | Phase 1 – WCRMC and Private Practices - COMPLETE
|                       | Phase 2 – Nursing Home/Home Health and Dental
| Future Actions         | Compile needed info to complete phase 2 and submit to Wes Clarke
|                       | Compile completed phase 1 and 2
|                       | Organize a plan with WaCo Chamber of Commerce to use information

### Washington County Regional Medical Center Market Analysis Project

| Project Status | Submitted report compiling the market share data for this region and WCRMC to Jimmy Childre and Pam Stewart on Dec. 22, 2008.
|               | Data was provided by The Center for Rural Health within the Georgia Hospital Association and organized and compiled by Archway Partnership: Health

### UGA College of Public Health Graduate Leadership Course Project (HPAM 8800)

| Project Summary | Complete in December 2008 – see previous reports for details

#### Statewide Outreach Opportunities for the Archway Partnership: Health

### Glynn County

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#### CMAP Project

| Project Status | Assisted in the early phases of the project connecting faculty. Project is making progress in Glynn County is being managed by Joy Burch

#### Students Connected Through Archway Partnership: Health

| Summer 2009 | Morgan Bishop – UGA MPH Student working with Southeast Georgia Health Systems in their Alzheimer’s Care Clinic

### Clayton County
## Clayton County Federally Qualified Health Systems

| Project Status | Assisted in the beginning of the project in connecting students and faculty  
|                | Majority of project details have been placed under the management of Gail Webb.  
|                | One UGA HPB Faculty, Dionne Godette, and 2 UGA MPH students have joined the project (see Student section below)  
|                | 2 reports were generated from this project in Spring 2009  
|                | Dr. Godette provides supervision of the students regarding research needs and provides leadership and guidance to the entire project |

## Students Connected Through Archway Partnership: Health

### Site One (Internship)
- **College**: UGA College of Public Health  
- **Student**: Valerie Underwood,  
- **Student Status**: Senior Undergraduate Health Promotion and Behavior Student  
- **Site**: Clayton County Board of Health  
- **Internship Term**: Spring 2009

### Site Two (Capstone)
- **College**: UGA College of Public Health  
- **Student**: Megan Gosch  
- **Student Status**: UGA MPH Student  
- **Topic**: Archway Partnership - Clayton County FQHC Project  
- **Term**: Spring 2009

### Site Three (Capstone)
- **College**: UGA College of Public Health  
- **Student**: Tiffany Green  
- **Student Status**: UGA MPH Student  
- **Topic**: Clayton County Board of Health  
- **Term**: Spring 2009

### Site Four (Capstone)
- **College**: UGA College of Public Health  
- **Student**: Megan Gosch  
- **Student Status**: UGA MPH Student  
- **Topic**: Clayton County FQHC Project  
- **Term**: Spring/Summer 2009

### Site Five (Intern)
- **College**: UGA College of Public Health  
- **Student**: Natalie Arford  
- **Student Status**: UGA MPH Student  
- **Topic**: Clayton County FQHC Project  
- **Term**: Spring/Summer/Fall 2009

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### Colquitt County

--- 2009 Past Activity ---
### CPH Faculty Healthcare Georgia Grant and the Ellenton Clinic in Colquitt County

| Project Status | - Project is now underway in Colquitt and will be managed by Emily Watson from this point forward. |

### Sumter County

--- **2009 Past Activity** ---

#### Established Student Internships Through Archway Partnership: Health

| Site One | - **College:** UGA College of Public Health  
- **Student:** Erin Wurtz  
- **Student Status:** Senior Undergraduate Health Promotion and Behavior Student  
- **Site:** Sumter County Regional Hospital  
- **Internship Term:** Spring 2009 |

### Other

#### Public Health Disaster Planning Proposal for Partnership: Medicine, Pharmacy, Public Health

| Details | Archway Partnership: Health was approached by a local physician who is very active at the state level to assist in facilitating a task force to develop a protocol for medication dissemination in the event of declared emergency in the state of Georgia. Expertise in the area of Emergency Preparedness and Response from the CPH Institute of Health Management and Mass Destruction Defense was also brought in by Archway: Health. |
| Current Status | - Organizing funding and pharmacist training opportunities with partners. |

**Archway Partnership Unit Meeting**

Met with entire Archway Unit in Athens to present and listen to presentations of other Archway portals.

--- **2009 Past Activity** ---

#### Archway Health Presentations

1. Presented update on Archway Partnership: Health to Dr. Dunning and Steve Dempsey to show progress and discuss the vision of the future for Archway Health.
2. Presented Archway Partnership: Health Update to community group in Washington County.

**USG Childhood Obesity Conference, November 20, 2009**

Attended conference to represent Archway Partnership: Health and network with professionals in the field.

**NIH RFA-OD-09-010, Building Sustainable Community-Linked Infrastructure to Enable**
**Health Science Research**

Assisted team of College of Public Health Faculty and Dr. Garber in drafting a proposal for this NIH Infrastructure Grant. My primary role was to provide insight on implementing strategies at the local level and securing local support if funded.

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**Ga Rural Health Association Annual Business Meeting, September 21-23, 2009**

Attended conference and delivered an oral presentation titled, “Archway Partnership: Health – A Community and Higher Education Partnership.” Also manned the College of Public Health booth at the conference.

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**UGA College of Public Health Archway Orientation Tour**

| Details | The event was a huge success. WaCo: 8, Clayton: 3, Hart: 10. The College has decided to make it a mandatory part of CPH Orientation for future years. |

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**Archway Partnership: Health Collaboration Across UGA Campus**

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**UGA College of Pharmacy Involvement in the Farmworker Health Summer Program – Ellenton Clinic**

| Project Status | - 6 students have been accepted to participate in the 2009 Ellenton Summer Program June 8 – June 19, 2009  
- Archway Partnership has provided funds ($1950.00) for the students’ lodging during the program |
| Future Actions | - waiting to hear report of students’ experience |

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**University System of Georgia Platform**

**Georgia College and State University**

| Details | Roger Harrison has developed a relationship with GCSU and has connected Archway: Health with their Health Science Dept and the Internship Coordinator at GCSU. |
| Current Status | - Met with GCSU administration and Faculty of the College of Health Sciences to discuss collaboration opportunities  
- Expressed interest in being involved in the Washington County Healthcare Professional Leadership Development Program and organizing a Archway Student Tour for GCSU Health Sciences students in 2010.  
- Planning for both projects will begin early 2010. |
| Mercer Medical School, | - Involvement in the Archway-AHEC Rural Medical Scholar Program |
PCOM, and MCG