Community Health:

**FQHC:**

**Update**
Archway hired Marcus Adams to assist with the final phase of the FQHC report. Clayton Archway's FQHC team conducted a conference call with Lisa Wright, Dean, College of Health at Clayton State University (CSU), and Jannell Charles, CSU to discuss the FQHC project. Ms. Wright and Ms. Charles offered their assistance to review the FQHC data before submitting to the Office of Rural Health and provide assistance in other areas if needed.

**Accomplishments**
The FQHC report was submitted to the office of rural health on Thursday, February 18th. The office of rural health will review and prepare documents in determining Clayton’s HPSA designation.

Education:

**Teen Summit:**

**Update**
A meeting was held on February 17th to discuss the theme and focus of the summit. This year’s summit will focus on increasing school spirit for students and parents. The summit will be held on Thursday, April 22nd, from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at Jim Huie Recreation Center. We are recruiting volunteers for this event.

**Accomplishments**
As a follow-up to the last summit Juliet Walls, Clayton 4-H, Shon Sales and I have been meeting with a group of Jonesboro students. We were tasked with coordinating a project for their school. They recently completed a student survey that was given to a select number of students. The survey provided insight into how students felt about school activities, their expectations of graduating and why their parents may or may not be involved in the schools. The results of the survey will be shared with Dr. Heatley, Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS).

**Writing Workshop:**

**Update**
A conference call was held with Dr. Susan Horn, CSU to discuss details regarding the writing workshop. Archway Partnership is partnering with CSU to conduct a writing workshop for 9th and 10th grade high school students on March 20th. Dr. Mike Tidwell has secured the location for the workshop on Clayton State University’s campus. Dr. Shaw, CCPS has offered her assistance to provide information on what students need to concentrate on in regards to the writing workshop.

**Accomplishments**

**Tutoring Program:**
Archway Partnership met with Natasha Hudson, Clayton State University to discuss expanding the existing tutoring program into two additional high schools. Ms. Hudson has agreed to provide Clayton Archway with contacts on campus to assist with recruiting tutors.
**Parental involvement:**

**Update**
Clayton Archway met with Dr. Cheryl Smith, UGA Professor, and College of Education to discuss programs and provide recommendations for Clayton County Public Schools regarding parental involvement. The proposed recommendations were submitted to Dr. Stephanie Phillips, CCPS review.

**Middle School Girls Program:**

**Update**
Clayton Archway will be visiting Riverdale Middle School to observe an existing program for middle school girls. The program “Divine Young Ladies” purpose is to work with middle school girls to increase their self esteem, provide encouragement/support and help develop strategies to improve academic achievements. We are scheduled to review the program in March.

**Clayton Action Nexus:**

**Update**
Several students have been assigned to work on the Clayton Action Nexus (CAN) website. They will be meeting via conference call with Cyd Cox, Clayton County and Adolphus Graves, Clayton Juvenile Justice.

**Economic Development:**

**Georgia Work Ready:**

**Update**
Clayton Archway and Randall Toussaint, Clayton Economic Development partnered with Natalie Ringer a local business owner, to assist with requesting Clayton staffing firms recruit potential employees to take the work ready assessment exam. Clayton Archway assisted Clayton Economic Development in coordinating Clayton Work Ready Week, an opportunity for Clayton citizens and Clayton State University students to be educated on the advantages of the Georgia Work Ready program.

**Accomplishments**
Assisted Clayton Economic Development in coordinating a Clayton Work Ready week, the goal was to increase the number of potential candidates who would complete the work ready assessment. To also increase the number of unemployed citizens taking the work ready assessment. These efforts are part of the criteria for Clayton County becoming a Georgia Work Ready Community.

**Economic Development Consortium:**

**Update**
Clayton Archway partnered with Clayton Economic Development to host the first economic development consortium meeting in December. The attendees decided to set three goals for the first part of 2010.
- Develop a small business guide for Clayton Economic Development website
- Expand the existing industry visitation program – Clayton Chamber of Commerce
- Provide information for the new Clayton Economic Development website – Municipalities
**Code Enforcement:**
**Update**
Frank Bracco, UGA student has completed a report on code enforcement including best practices and recommendations.

**Accomplishments**
The completed report and survey results will be submitted to the Clayton Archway Executive committee on February 24th.

**Public Image:**
**Update**
The Clayton Public Image committee has completed three focus groups regarding their opinions on Clayton County. The three focus groups consisted of 1) seniors in Clayton County 2) 2009-2010 Leadership Clayton Class 3) young women who live outside of Clayton. Dr. Mike Tidwell, CSU was the facilitator for the focus groups. The public image committee will conduct another focus group for citizens outside of Clayton County in March 2010. There are five UGA students writing positive articles on Clayton County. Those articles will be submitted to various media locally and nationally. Clayton Public Image committee held a video conference with UGA creative consultant students to discuss the positive articles they are assigned to write on Clayton County programs and initiatives.

**Leadership Development**
**Women's Conference:**
**Update**
Clayton Archway has partnered with Clayton Cooperative Extension and Clayton County to host a women’s conference targeting women ages 18-35. The conference will focus on providing women with information and resources that will assist them in living healthier and happier lives. The topics to be discussed at the meeting are parenting, education, employment and dating. Women will also be given gift certificates for free services such as manicures, massages, and haircuts/hairstyles. The main focus of the women’s conference is to motivate young women to be more involved in Clayton schools and their community.
The next Steering Committee meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 19, 2010.**

### Student Involvement

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