Community Health:

**FQHC:**

Establish a partnership with Southside Medical to complete research and prepare an application to establish additional Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) in Clayton County or the region.

**Update**

Barlon Lundgren, Southside Medical and the Clayton FQHC team completed the first phase towards having Clayton County designated a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA). The State Office of Rural Health (SORH) recommended to Mr. Lundgren that the report must include a better response and participation from physicians in the completion of provider surveys that was achieved on the first round of surveys. In other words, it has been suggested that a larger number of physician surveys should be included in the application process for HPSA designation. The rationale for this requirement is as follows: 1. it is imperative that the process identify specific providers who serve Clayton County residents, and to determine the overall Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) status of those providers: 2. For those providers in the survey process, they will be counted by default as one FTE regardless of whether they practice less than 40 hours per week in Clayton County. Clayton County Board of Health and the Clayton Archway Partnership are assisting in the management process and in the collection of physician surveys. These surveys are necessary in strengthening the case for Clayton becoming HPSA designated.

**Accomplishments**

The first phase of the report was submitted to SORH and is being reviewed. We are currently providing additional documentation to SORH to strengthen our case for Clayton to be HPSA designated. Barlon Lundgren, Southside Medical provided an FQHC project update to the Clayton Archway Executive Committee.

Education:

**Teen Summit:**

Assess teen issues through implementation of programs in the high schools and coordinate the second annual Teen Summit in Clayton County.

**Update**

A meeting will be held in April to discuss the final details for the annual Teen Summit. This year’s summit will focus on increasing school spirit for students and parents. The summit will be held on Thursday, April 22\(^{nd}\), from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at Jim Huie Recreation Center. We are recruiting volunteers for the April 22\(^{nd}\) event. The Teen Summit committee has also decided to coordinate a fall summit which would include a Juvenile Justice simulation.

**Accomplishments**

As a follow-up to the last year’s summit Juliet Walls, Clayton 4-H, Shon Sales, Clayton Archway and I have been meeting with a group of Jonesboro students. We were tasked with coordinating a project for their school. After a select group of Jonesboro high school students were surveyed there were two programs that were recommended. The programs recommended by the students were 1) tutoring program for students during school hours 2) a clean-up campaign and clean-up day. The results of the survey will be shared with Dr. Heatley, Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS). Jonesboro high school administrators have been asked to approve May 8\(^{th}\) as the clean-up day.
Writing Workshop:

Update
Dr. Susan Rashid Horn, Clayton State University (CSU) will be conducting a writing workshop “Writing Matters” for high school students on Saturday, March 20th at Clayton State University. The workshop will be primarily for 9th and 10th grade high school students. Dr. Mike Tidwell has secured the location for the workshop on Clayton State University’s campus. Dr. Shaw, CCPS has offered to consult with Dr. Horn in identifying the important issues facing students in regards to improving their writing skills.

Tutoring Program:

To assist Clayton State University in expanding their existing tutoring program to three additional Clayton County Public Schools across the community.

Update
A survey has been completed and will be sent to Clayton State University and other college students in the area asking them to provide information regarding their concerns and preferences with tutoring high school students. The survey will be sent on April 5th.

Parental involvement:

Develop community-wide programs and initiatives that increase parental involvement and student success.

Update
A meeting is scheduled with Dr. Gloria Duncan, CCPS to discuss critical issues facing CCPS that can be addressed with higher education resources. At the meeting we will review programs and initiatives to begin in the next school year regarding parental involvement. Dr. Cheryl Smith, UGA Professor, College of Education provided recommendations on increasing parental involvement. The proposed recommendations were reviewed by Dr. Stephanie Phillips, CCPS.

Middle School Girls Program:

Establish a leadership development program for girls at two middle schools in Clayton.

Update
On March 18th Clayton Archway visited 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 self esteem, pride and encourage young girls in achieving academic excellence. The “Divine Young Ladies” program will be expanded to a Clayton middle school in September 2010.

Clayton Action Nexus:

Assist Clayton State University in expanding their existing tutoring program to three additional Clayton County Public Schools across the community.

Update
UGA Management Information Systems (MIS) students have been assigned to work on the Clayton Action Nexus (CAN) website. The MIIS students have been given instructions to begin the redevelopment of the CAN website. A status of the project will be provided in early April.
**Economic Development:**  

**Georgia Work Ready:**  
Continue to assist Clayton County Economic Development with designation as a Georgia Work Ready community.

**Update**  
The Clayton Work Ready committee will be meeting on Monday, March 22nd, Randall Toussaint, Clayton Economic Development will provide an update on Clayton’s certification process of becoming a Georgia Work Ready community.

**Economic Development Consortium:**  
Establish a partnership with Clayton County Economic Development to create the Clayton County Economic Development Consortium to develop a small business resource guide, an existing industry retention program, and a marketing plan for Clayton County.

**Update**  
Clayton County Chamber of Commerce has agreed to coordinate the Clayton Economic Development consortium, under the Chamber’s existing Economic Development committee. The Chamber will work with Clayton Archway, Clayton Economic Development and local government officials and departments to host the next economic development consortium meeting. The consortium has established three goals for 2010.
- Develop a small business guide for Clayton Economic Development website
- Expand the existing industry visitation program – Clayton Chamber of Commerce
- Provide research and information for the new Clayton Economic Development website

**Code Enforcement:**  
Develop standardized code enforcement policies and procedures through the establishment of a Code Enforcement Work Group comprised of county and city government representatives.

**Update**  
A meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 14th with Clayton Code Enforcement officers to discuss the report that was submitted by Frank Bracco a UGA student. At the meeting we will also determine the vision, mission, goals and objectives of the committee.

**Accomplishment**  
Frank Bracco, UGA student conducted a presentation on February 24th at the Clayton Archway Executive committee meeting to provide an executive summary of his report on code enforcement.

**Public Image:**  
Redefine Clayton’s public image and create community pride through a public image campaign that includes “branding” Clayton County and creating a community-wide communications and marketing plan.

**Update**  
Dr. Mike Tidwell, CSU a member of the Clayton Public Image committee recently sent out a survey to the Regional Leadership Institute 2009 class. This survey will provide the committee with feedback from individuals who live in the metro area outside of Clayton County. Dr. Mike Tidwell, CSU was the facilitator for the focus groups. There are five UGA students writing positive articles on Clayton County. UGA students have developed a Blog for Clayton County that can be used to publicize positive programs and initiatives in Clayton County.
**Arts and Historical Task Force:**
Continue to assist Arts Clayton and the Clayton County Historical Task Force with program development and evaluation.

**Update:**
Arts: Coordinated a meeting with Linda Summerlin, Arts Clayton and the Georgia Museum of Art, Athens
Historical Task Force: Video recorded two Clayton citizens recording the history of Clayton County to be used for historical tourism and educational programs

**Leadership Development:**

*Women’s Conference:*
Establish a Women’s Leadership Classes and program through Clayton State University for women aged 18-35.

**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 be held on Saturday, March 27th, from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center and will focus on providing women with information and resources on parenting, parental involvement in the schools, education, employment and dating. The main focus of the women’s conference is to motivate young women to be more involved in Clayton schools and their community.

**Additional Updates and Accomplishments**

- The next Steering Committee meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 19, 2010**
- Clayton Archway Professional moderated a panel discussion “University Collaborations Involving Relatively Large Numbers of Service-Learning Students at the “Gulf Coast Conference” in Athens on March 4th
- Provided an Archway update to Morrow City Council members
- Held a conference call with Dr. Stephanie Phillips, Deputy Superintendent CCPS and Dr. Diana Dumetz Carry, Chief Academic Officer, CCPS to discuss higher education resources available to assist CCPS

**Student Involvement**

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