

Jefferson County Public Health Hero Award Winners

Public Health Hero awards are given out every year as a way to recognize those who make a difference in the health and well-being of our community

Public Health Heroes 2010 Decreasing the spread of H1N1 virus

2010 Public Health Hero awards went to all healthcare providers, schools community groups who worked together to decrease the spread of H1N1 virus in our community. The Partnerships were thorough, effective and successful.

H1N1 tracking and surveillance: Recognizes Jefferson County Medical Providers; JHC Infection Control team; JHC Lab and Emergency Room; JCPH communicable disease and clinic staff; Madrona Hill Urgent Care and Jefferson Medical/Pediatrics group who volunteered to be sentinel surveillance providers within Washington state.

H1N1 coordination within Jefferson Healthcare (JHC): Recognizes JHC administration, especially Paula Dowdle for coordination of clinics, hospital and emergency room.

H1N1 coordination with State, regional & Federal entities: Recognizes Jefferson County Public Health's Communicable Disease team for distribution of vaccine and anti-virals, lab information, overseeing surveillance, and providing shots.

H1N1 Work in the schools: Recognizes Jefferson County school staff and teachers who encouraged students to wash their hands, cover their cough, and stay home when they were sick.

H1N1 Vaccine Administration: Recognizes all of the immunization nurses and clinics who worked so hard to organize the clinics, call patients in, and administer the vaccine - all following the best medical advice as recommendations changed.

- Jefferson Medical and Pediatric Group
- Kah Tai Care Center
- Madrona Hill Urgent Care
- Monroe Street Medical Clinic
- Olympic Primary Care
- Port Hadlock Medical Care
- Port Townsend Family Physicians
- QFC Pharmacy, Port Hadlock
- Richard Lynn, MD
- Safeway Pharmacy
- South County Medical Clinic
- JCPH immunization and WIC teams

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Both within the hospital and the clinics, immunizing Health Care Providers

Federal Strategic National Stockpile storage and distribution of antiviral medications: Recognizes Don's Pharmacy; QFC Pharmacy, Port Hadlock; Safeway Pharmacy; and Jefferson Healthcare Pharmacy.