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**The following documents are included in the packet for Health Advisory
Committee Meeting held on Wednesday, July 8, 2026.**

- July 8, 2026, Health Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda
- April 8, 2026, Health Advisory Committee Meeting Draft Minutes
- Resolution to Support Sustainable State Funding for Local Public Health Departments
- 7/8/26 Community Day Flyer
- 7/15/26 ThedaCare SYNC Flyer *
- 7/28/26 Dental Clinic Day Flyer *



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Health & Human Services Health Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

Date: July 8, 2026, Time 8:00 AM

Green Lake County Government Center
571 County Rd A, Nurses Screening Room #1159, Green Lake WI

AGENDA

Committee Members

Pat Brandstetter
Nancy Hoffmann
Terri Mauel
Rachel Prellwitz
Abigail Puglisi, DO
Sue Shemanski
Nicole Gill
Charlie Wielgosh

Virtual attendance at meetings is optional. If technical difficulties arise, there may be instances when remote access may be compromised. If there is a quorum attending in person, the meeting will proceed as scheduled.

This agenda gives notice of a meeting of the Health Advisory Committee. It is possible that individual members of other governing bodies of Green Lake County government may attend this meeting for informative purposes. Members of the Green Lake County Board of Supervisors or its committees may be present for informative purposes but will not take any formal action. A majority or a negative quorum of the members of the Green Lake County Board of Supervisors and/or any of its committees may be present at this meeting. See State ex rel. Badke v. Vill. Bd. of Vill. of Greendale, 173 Wis.2d 553, 578, 494 N.W. 2d 408 (1993).

1. Call to Order
2. Certification of Open Meeting Law
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Introductions
5. Election of Chair
6. Election of Vice Chair
7. Minutes (4/8/26)
8. Environmental Health Update- Kyle Alt
9. Discussion/Possible Action on Resolution to Support Sustainable State Funding for Local Public Health Departments.
10. Upcoming Public Health events & projects
11. Quarterly Health Unit Report
12. Committee Discussion
 - Future Meeting Date (October 14, 2026, at 8:00am)
 - Future Agenda items for action & discussion
13. Adjourn

This meeting will be conducted through in person attendance or audio/visual communication. Remote access can be obtained through the following link:

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Health and Human Services Health Advisory Committee
April 8, 2026

The regular meeting of the Health and Human Services Health Advisory Committee Meeting was called to order by Chair Hoffmann, at 8:00 am on Wednesday, April 8, 2026, in the Green Lake County Health and Human Services Nurses Screening Room, Green Lake County Government Building, Green Lake WI. The meeting was held in person and via Teams. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Present: Rachel Prellwitz, Nita Krenz, Sue Shemanski, Nancy Hoffmann, Dr. Puglisi, Pat Brandstetter, Terri Mael.

Absent: Nicole Gill.

Others Present: Jason Jerome, via Teams off at 8:10, in person at 8:41, Lauren Olson, Nancy Gimenez, Kyle Alt, Sarah Petit.

Introduction- Not applicable.

Minutes of 1/14/26

Motion/Second (Pat Brandstetter/Sue Shemanski) to approve the minutes from January 14, 2026, Health Advisory Committee meeting with no additions or corrections, All Ayes, Motion carried.

Environmental Health Update- Kyle Alt

First quarter (January-March): Quarantine orders 9 dogs, 5 completed and 4 were referred to law enforcement agency. One bat tested negative for rabies. 7 drinking water tests were completed. Completed training with DNR for water testing. 37 radon tests were sold. 1 abatement order for sewage and 1 for garbage. 1 housing complaint. Inspections: 8 pre-inspections, 46 routine, 1 re-inspection, 1 complaint.

Rural Environment Health Alliance Fee Schedule Update-Rachel Prellwitz/Kyle Alt:

Rural Environment Health Alliance (REHA) fee schedule in packet was reviewed and discussed. Fee schedule is set by DATCP. The fee schedule was approved by the Marquette County Board as Marquette County is the fiscal agent. The DNR water testing program has been moved to the REHA, and bacteria testing can be performed at the Marquette County Health Dept. for a \$30.00 fee. Discussion followed.

Diabetes Prevention Program Update- Nancy Gimenez:

Currently have 2 classes in session. Classes are year long. Weight loss per cohort has averaged 130 pounds. Participants lose an average of 12.6 pounds. The retention rate in the program is 90.6%. Data set is submitted every 6 months to the CDC. The program received Full Plus recognition. The program continues to surpass the national risk reduction results. Success in programming is measured in four different ways. Continue to prep for a virtual class. Media push took place in March. Radio ads, senior newsletter, and local newspapers had advertisements. A direct mailer is being planned. Medicare has changed guidelines to allow more for more than one DPP class in a lifetime. DPP was chosen by CDC for a pilot program for national referrals. Discussion followed.

Upcoming PH events & projects- Rachel Prellwitz/Lauren Olson:

- Area Health Education Center Intern (AHEC). Premed intern will join health unit from June 1st- July 24th. Will assist with community day, fair booth, social media, Berlin Farmer's Market, Boys and Girls Club. Discussion followed.
- CHAT coalition- SYNC (Supporting Youth, Nurturing Connection). Princeton School is the pilot school. Students were surveyed and parents are currently being surveyed. UW-Madison will compile and analyze data for next steps. The purpose is to strengthen mental health and help young people thrive through healthy screen use. Discussion followed.
- Community Day is July 8, 2026 at Princeton School.
- Emergency preparedness exercise is scheduled on August 26, 2026.
- This week is Public Health Week. Public Health Bingo cards are available in the community to promote awareness of public health.
- GLC United for Prevention Coalition is starting a virtual Book Club. Reading the book, "Beautiful Boy: A Father's Journey Through his Son's Addiction"

Quarterly Public Health Update Rachel Prellwitz/Lauren Olson:

- January was Radon Awareness month, 31 test kits were sold in January.
- Hygiene and puberty education was taught to students at the Tri County Boys and Girls Club.
- GLC United for Prevention Coalition was awarded funding for school prevention curriculums.
- Safe Festival kit-GLC United for Prevention is working to update the safe festival Guides to send to event and festival organizers in the county to help reduce underage drinking and binge drinking at community events.
- Alcohol compliance checks are taking place. MOU was established, letters were sent to license holders. Discussion followed.
- Stigma Campaign- personal stories of recovery from 4 residents. Video and print campaign was done at the Berlin Library. Will share materials with the committee when it's available. Discussion followed.
- Met with Berlin SRO to discuss substance use.
- Opioid Task Force met regarding process for issuing checks to approved grant recipients. Applications are available online and will be reviewed in June.
- Met with HR to discuss forming a Wellness Committee for employees.
- Car seat program (January-March)- 4 car seats provided, 4 car seats checked.
- Amish home visits- 9 families visited, 12 vaccines provided, 1 water test done, 3 car seats provided.
- Community dental survey completed. Meeting with Noble Community Clinic to discuss results and next steps.
- Staff attended Narrative Training to learn about translating complex research into actionable stories. How to talk about public health and shared value.
- Numerous educational classes on various topics held in schools and the community.
- Vaccination rates- WI DHS released it's annual data on vaccination rates. Green Lake County's rate is 50.2% the State rate is 66.9%. Discussion followed.

Committee Discussion:

Future Meeting Date: The next Health Advisory Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 8, 2026, at 8:00 a.m.

Future Agenda Items: Direct to Rachel Prellwitz or Nancy Hoffmann.

Adjournment: Chair Hoffmann adjourned the meeting at 9:04am.

DRAFT

RESOLUTION NUMBER -2026

**Resolution to Support Sustainable State Funding for Local Public Health
Departments**

The County Board of Supervisors of Green Lake County, Green Lake, Wisconsin, duly assembled at its regular meeting begun on the _____ day of _____, 2026, does resolve as follows:

- 1 **WHEREAS**, in Wisconsin, local health departments (LHDs) are legally required to
2 provide a core set of public health services under Wisconsin Statutes Chapter 251 and
3 Wisconsin Administrative Code Chapter DHS 140; and
- 4 **WHEREAS**, responsibilities of LHDs have expanded significantly in recent years due to
5 emerging public health threats, workforce shortages, and increasing community health
6 needs; and
- 7 **WHEREAS**, local health departments rely significantly on a combination of limited state
8 aids, categorical grants, and local property tax levy to fund these mandated services;
9 and
- 10 Fiscal note is NA.
- 11 A majority vote is needed to pass.

Roll Call on Resolution No. -2026

Submitted by Health & Human
Services Board:

Ayes , Nays , Absent , Abstain 0

Mike Skivington, Chair

Passed and Adopted/Rejected this ____
day of _____, 2026.

Joe Gonyo, Vice Chair

County Board Chairman

Andy Brendemihl

ATTEST: County Clerk
Approve as to Form:

Nancy Hoffmann

Corporation Counsel

Sarah Allen

Christine Schapfel

Mary Hess

WHEREAS, current state funding mechanisms for public health are largely outdated, not indexed to inflation, and do not reflect the true cost of delivering foundational public health services; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin currently ranks 49th lowest in state dollars dedicated to public health per person (https://www.americashealthrankings.org/explore/measures/PH_funding); and

WHEREAS, Public health initiatives consistently deliver high returns on investment (ROI), with recent data showing a median ROI of 14.3 to 1, often saving \$14 in medical and societal costs for every \$1 spent (<https://www.pew.org/en/research-and-analysis/articles/2025/07/08/public-health-initiatives-deliver-big-returns-on-investment>); and

WHEREAS, reliance on short-term, restricted, or competitive grant funding creates instability and limits long-term planning; and

WHEREAS, counties bear a disproportionate share of the financial burden for providing foundational public health services, placing additional pressure on local property taxpayers; and

WHEREAS, a strong and adequately funded public health system is essential to protect the health, safety, and economic stability of Wisconsin residents and communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Green Lake County Board of Supervisors supports continuing to build and retain public health infrastructure through increased and flexible funding; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that such a funding model should:

- Provide increased General Purpose Revenue (GPR) support for local health departments
- Include automatic inflationary adjustments
- Allow for flexible use of funds to meet local needs
- Reduce reliance on short-term, restricted, and/or competitive grants

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the State of Wisconsin recognizes public health as a core governmental function and prioritizes sustained investment to ensure consistent service delivery across all jurisdictions; and

50 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that Green Lake County requests that the Wisconsin
51 Counties Association advocates for policies that reduce the reliance on local property
52 tax levy to fund foundational public health services; and
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54 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the
55 Governor of Wisconsin, members of the Wisconsin State Legislature, the Wisconsin
56 Department of Health Services, and all Wisconsin counties.

FREE WIAA SPORTS PHYSICALS! 5-7PM
FREE HAIRCUTS 5-7PM
FREE COMMUNITY DINNER 5PM



12:30 - 5 PM
JULY 8 2026



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ThedaCare

Join us for “Building a Healthier Digital Future for and with Our Youth”



Join fellow parents, community leaders, and local youth for a “plunge” related to smart phone and digital media use.

We will explore survey data collected this spring from Princeton School District youth (grades 4-12) and parents/caregivers related to current behaviors and opportunities to create an environment in which our young people can thrive. The data collection is led by Dr. **Amy Washbush** of the Co-Create Center at UW Madison.

This plunge is hosted by ThedaCare -led CHAT (Community Health Action Teams) and the newly forming SYNC (Supporting Youth, Nurturing Connection) Coalition.



WHEN

Wednesday, July 15, 2026
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

WHERE

Princeton School District
604 Old Green Lake Rd
Princeton, WI 54968

Lunch will be provided for all.



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Here!**



Green Lake
County Health Department

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+ JOIN US FOR DENTAL CLINIC DAY

The Noble Mobile Dental Program and Green Lake County Health Department will be providing dental hygiene services for all ages. BadgerCare/Medicaid is accepted!

TUESDAY, JULY 28

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571 County Road A, Green Lake, WI 54941

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