First Steps shouts out to Janet Cook for doing such a wonderful job filling in and helping out while Angela Onstott was on vacation. It helped out tremendously and would have been hard to keep up with everything if she had not been here to answer phones and process referrals!

~Mitzi Helton ~

I would like to give a HUGE shout out to all the First Steps staff who have worked like crazy to meet the needs of our families and meet our program deadlines, all while carrying a high volume of cases and other job duties. Angela Onstott, Becky Treon, Brooklyn Hagan, Casey Matthews, Mary Fuqua, You Ladies are the BEST!

~Mitzi Helton ~

Welcome New Employee

LaToya Sibley and Kim Majors, CAP staff noticed they had on the same pants! Their positive attitude and hard work are greatly appreciated at GRDHD.

Anna Taylor
Sr. Support Associate l-Clinic
DC-CAP

Teudis Perez has been nominated for membership to the National Society of Collegiate Scholars for demonstrating commitment to the ideals of Scholarship, Leadership and Service.

Congratulations on your nomination!

Home Health/EPSDT/ADC

~ Lisa Taylor ~

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A Message from Your QI Committee

Did You Know?
If your health center has an idea for a QI project, you can send those proposals to Brooke Fogle. It might just be the project we are waiting for!

Want to play a game?
Congrats to De in the Administration Building, the correct answer to the October question was PLAN. The first person to email Brooke Fogle the correct answer to the following question will win a prize!

To collect, chart and display measurable information to determine effectiveness of the solution tested….what am I?

Green River District Home Health Compassionate Care Adult Day Health Center is active in the community at the 2019 Senior Day Out at Towne Square Mall in Owensboro. Pictured are Teudis Perez and Pam Acton.

Green River District Health Department, HANDS program offers information and support to parents as they build a healthy, safe and stimulating environment in which their baby can grow and develop. Pictured at left are graduate - Eh Khu Paw with Mom-Ka Ser Paw and sibling, Reh Ser Paw. Mom’s quote to the program: “Thank HANDS program for coming to help me and my daughter. We have learned a lot”.

Saying Goodbye...
Helen Young, Daviess County HANDS
Kathy Bentley, Henderson County Health Center
Bradley Conrad, District Office
Janice Haile, District Office
Vanessa Smiley, Daviess County HANDS

Thanksgiving is a day to count the blessings in our lives, the basics-food, clothing and the homes we live in, a time to celebrate and be joyous, it is a day of pride.

Let me not forget to be thankful for my health, job, food on the table (and sports on TV), each new morning with its light, and for rest at night.

I will take time to acknowledge the presence of the treasured people, family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, who form my world and make these experiences richer and more meaningful.

It is not what I say about my blessings, but how I use them.

This Thanksgiving, I am thankful for the hands that hold mine, Hearts that hurt with me, Ears that always listen, Arms that are always ready to hug, Family and friends who always support me.

When I have food, help me to remember the hungry, When I have work, help me to remember the jobless, When I go home, help me to remember those who have no home at all, When I am without pain, help me to remember those who suffer.

Help me to remember to give compassion, to help, by word and deed, those who cry out for what I take for granted.

May you live in a world where the reasons to thank God will never end.

~Submitted by Janet Cook~
Six years and 12,000 pairs of eyeglasses later, DCPS is still “Spreading the Gift of Sight Around the World” by recycling used eyeglasses and nonprescription cheaters for Katie Bouchard’s Eye Foundation Project. Each year the glasses are refurbished and distributed in third world countries around the world. Please do your part of being a member of a global society by sending your old glasses to school!

There will be a collection box in the front office at Daviess County High School.

Can’t make it to DCPS, Lindsey Moore, Home Health/EPSDT will be happy to collect and deliver them for you.

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