

VISTA Assignment Description (VAD)

Title: AmeriCorps VISTA Immunization Outreach and Education Coordinator

Sponsoring Organization: Immunize Colorado

Project Name: Immunize Colorado

Project Number: 20VSWCO001

Project Period: 07/05/2022-7/04/2023

Site Name: Immunize Colorado

Focus Area(s)

Primary: Healthy Futures

Secondary:

VISTA Assignment Objectives and Member Activities

Goal of the Overall VISTA Project: The Immunization Outreach and Education Coordinator VISTA member will build the capacity of their host site by developing and implementing local activities which promote education and access to vaccinations and primary care services. VISTA efforts will move people out of poverty by creating more touch points with the healthcare system, improving a community's access to primary and preventative care visits. As a result of the VISTA member's service, 500 individuals will be served through immunization outreach and/or education events, 25 volunteers will be recruited to implement the events and six organizations will receive capacity building services to improve and/or expand their programming, services, and communications.

Objective of the Assignment

Conduct and/or review existing assessment of community needs and assets and expand upon research to inform interventions to increase vaccine access and education

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Analyze state and local vaccination data from multiple sources, utilizing tools from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Immunize Colorado, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and others.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Assess existing community programs, organizations, events and other assets to the promotion and delivery of vaccinations at the local level.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Propose community-specific strategies for improving vaccine education and primary care access points.

Objective of the Assignment

Implement and/or expand intervention(s) that increase demand for vaccinations at the community-level through education, outreach and/or communication initiatives.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Identify and recruit necessary stakeholders and volunteers needed for successful implementation.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Oversee intervention management and reporting.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Summarize intervention successes/misses and create succession plan

Objective of the Assignment

Implement and/or expand intervention(s) that increase access to vaccinations and connections to primary care, such as community-based vaccine clinics.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Identify, assist in recruitment and coordinate necessary stakeholders and volunteers needed for successful implementation.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Coordinate resources, logistics, and partner relationships to carry out intervention.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Collect, analyze and report aggregate outcome data from intervention including, but not limited to, the number of people served, and the number of people vaccinated (if applicable)

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Follow-up and collaborate with stakeholders and community members to determine intervention successes and areas for future improvement. Create a succession plan, if necessary.

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Sponsoring Organization: Immunize Colorado

Project Name: Immunize Colorado

Project Number: 20VSWCO001 Project

Period: 08/05/2022-8/04/2023

Site Name: Public Health Institute at Denver Health

Focus Area(s)

Primary: Healthy Futures

Secondary:

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Objective of the Assignment

Coordinate with community and faith-based organizations and Denver Public Schools to identify barriers to vaccination among their populations.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Engage in ongoing communication and training opportunities that support enhancement of vaccine equity strategies implemented at the department, state, local, and community level.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Coordinate meetings as needed to engage community stakeholders for input on the development of immunization materials and resources.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Assist with convening community groups to collaboratively identify immunization-related data collection and identify resources for disseminating information.

Objective of the Assignment

Expand intervention(s) that increase demand for vaccinations at the community-level through education, outreach and/or communication initiatives.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Collaborate with schools on joint vaccine and communication efforts.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Coordinate with public health nurses and other public health personnel to implement intervention.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Identify needs and make improvements to the existing marketing and promotion plan, if needed, to ensure continuity and increase vaccination rates.

Objective of the Assignment

Expand intervention(s) that increase access to vaccinations and connections to primary care, such as community-based vaccine clinics.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Plan health education presentations and/or workshops to a wide variety of prioritized populations to create community dialogue and information sharing about vaccine barriers, safety, efficacy, and connections to immunization and other care services.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Maintain relationships with existing community partners and identify new stakeholders in Denver to partner on vaccination outreach and education events.

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Project Number: 20VSWCO001

Project Period: Dates TBD

Site Name: **Boulder County Public Health**

Focus Area(s)

Primary: Healthy Futures

Secondary:

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Objective of the Assignment

Conduct and/or review existing assessment of community needs and assets and expand upon research to inform interventions to increase vaccine access and education (Months 1-3)

Member Activity (8/15/2022-8/14/2023): Analyze state and local vaccination data from multiple sources, utilizing tools from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Immunize Colorado, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and others.

Member Activity (8/15/2022-8/14/2023): Assess existing community programs, organizations, events and other assets to the promotion and delivery of vaccinations at the local level.

Member Activity (8/15/2022-8/14/2023): Propose community-specific strategies for improving vaccine education and primary care access points.

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Sponsoring Organization: Immunize Colorado

Project Name: Immunize Colorado

Project Number: 20VSWCO001

Project Period: 10/2022-10/2023

Site Name: Jefferson County Public Health

Focus Area(s)

Primary: Healthy Futures

Secondary:

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Objective of the Assignment

Expand the Homebound program to increase access to vaccinations & connections to primary care services.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Develop a collaborative process with in-home service and support providers to identify individuals in need of vaccine access

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Develop and use screening tool to determine appropriate setting for vaccination based on needs.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Manage incentive plan for doses of vaccinations.

Objective of the Assignment

Coordinate with community and faith-based organizations and Jefferson County Public Schools to identify barriers to vaccination among their populations.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Engage in ongoing communication and training opportunities that support enhancement of vaccine equity strategies implemented at the department, state, local, and community level.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Coordinate meetings as needed to engage community stakeholders for input on the development of immunization materials and resources.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Engage with health equity team and suggest interventions and improvements for interventions.

Objective of the Assignment

Implement and expand interventions that increase access to vaccinations and connections to primary care services, such as community-based vaccine clinics.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Identify and assist in recruitment, and coordinate necessary stakeholders and volunteers needed for successful implementation via coordination and management of roles and responsibilities, communication and engagement.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Coordinate resources, logistics, and partner relationships to carry out interventions. Plan, market, and provide follow-up via utilization and expansion of technology in ensuring vaccine communication and reporting efforts.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Collect and report data from the intervention and follow-up and collaborate with community members and stakeholders to determine intervention success and improvements for future implementation.

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Project Number: 20VSWCO001

Project Period: 07/05/2022-7/04/2023

Site Name: Tepeyac Community Health Care

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Primary: Healthy Futures

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Sponsoring Organization: Immunize Colorado

Project Name: Immunize Colorado

Project Number: 20VSWCO001

Project Period: 07/05/2022-7/04/2023

Site Name: Kids First Health Care

Focus Area(s)

Primary: Healthy Futures

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Objective of the Assignment

Review existing assessments of vaccinations rates by site and expand upon research to increase vaccine access and education.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Generate monthly reports on sites & create visual displays of QI data for staff to have a visual representation of impact on efforts.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Remove patients who are no longer with Kid's First Health Care.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Propose community-specific strategies for improving vaccine education and primary care access points.

Objective of the Assignment

Implement and expand quality improvement interventions that increase demand for vaccinations through educational events for community members.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Identify and assist in recruitment and coordinate necessary stakeholders and volunteers needed for successful implementation via coordination of roles and responsibilities, managing stakeholder group communications and engagement.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Coordinate resources, logistics, and partner relationships to carry out intervention through marketing and follow-up of events and programs, utilizing and expanding technology to ensure proper communication and reporting efforts.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Collect, analyze and report aggregate outcome data from intervention including, but not limited to, the number of people served, and the number of people vaccinated (if applicable).

Objective of the Assignment

Implement and expand interventions that increase access to vaccinations and connections to primary care services, such as community-based vaccine clinics.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Identify and assist in recruitment and coordinate necessary stakeholders and volunteers needed for successful implementation via coordination of roles and responsibilities across stakeholders and managing communication between stakeholders.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Coordinate resources, logistics, and partner relationships to carry out interventions. Plan, market, and provide follow-up for events.

Member Activity (Dates TBA): Collect data from intervention and follow up with stakeholders to determine successes and areas of future improvement.

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Sponsoring Organization: Immunize Colorado
Project Name: Immunize Colorado
Project Number: 20VSWCO001
Project Period: 07/05/2022-7/04/2023

Site Name: Mesa County Public Health

Focus Area(s)

Primary: Healthy Futures
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Objective of the Assignment

Expand food handlers permit class to promote vaccines that food service workers should have.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Become acquainted with food handling class best practices. Identify needs and implement changes if needed.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Research vaccines that are required for food handler permits and create materials for food service providers to understand vaccine recommendations.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Assist in conducting outreach to food service providers to update food handlers on suggested vaccines for food handling, and encourage handlers to receive suggested vaccines.

Objective of the Assignment

Develop coordination of back to school and flu clinics to increase vaccine access and education with the community and schools in Mesa County.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Maintains strong relationship with school administration, school nurse, school health related staff, teachers, and other community members.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Secure updated clerical information in accordance with procedural guidelines ensuring that all appropriate document/information has been entered at the time of registration.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Coordinates the patient care team structure and processes, refine processes if needed to ensure success.

Objective of the Assignment

Develop, conduct, implement, and manage immunization education and outreach activities in order to promote vaccine best practices and improve knowledge of vaccines and vaccine-preventable diseases among clinicians and the general public of Mesa County.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Identify immunization knowledge gaps and training needs, conduct outreach activities and provide information to immunization stakeholders such as schools and child care facilities.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Generate data utilizing CIIS.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Develop and distribute accurate informational materials and presentations for vaccinations - routine and COVID-19.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Maintain knowledge of current immunization-related state and federal policies and regulations.

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Sponsoring Organization: Immunize Colorado
Project Name: Immunize Colorado
Project Number: 20VSWCO001
Project Period: 10/2022-10/2023

Site Name: Garfield County Public Health

Focus Area(s)
Primary: Healthy Futures
Secondary:

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Objective of the Assignment

Develop and implement strategies leading to long-term involvement of community institutions, organizations and individuals in immunization coalitions and other activities.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Conduct literature and resource reviews on best practices for coalition building, including protocols for testing effectiveness of coalition strategies.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Coordinate coalition meetings and communicate effectively with members to promote collaboration, negotiation, and problem solving.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Propose community-specific strategies for improving vaccine education and primary care access points.

Objective of the Assignment

Engage in existing community outreach activities and collaborate with local immunization coalitions, immunization partners, and patient navigators to improve education and outreach to prioritized communities of focus

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Provides resources and education to community members assure up to date vaccination based on age-appropriate recommended vaccines.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Promote ongoing training through provision of educational material that utilizes engagement strategies and addresses vaccine hesitancy and misinformation, historical injustices, minimizes mistrust, and advances health equity.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Promote the use of tools and resources, including multiple types of vaccination locations and flexible hours that are accessible to and frequented by the identified communities of focus, with the aim of increasing access to vaccination sites and appointments.

Objective of the Assignment

Reduce disparities among different communities of Garfield County related to COVID-19 and routine vaccine promotion, distribution, engagement and administration.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Promote health literacy and language access for all to benefit in order to ensure diversity and fairness in accessibility.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Identify accessible and welcoming community locations in the community to conduct outreach. Engage with community-based partners that have experience and a trusted presence within all priority communities.

Member Activity (07/05/2022-7/04/2023): Develop a multi-sectoral response to address pre-existing health disparities.