

Greater Nashua Public Health Network

Surveillance, Disease Investigation & Epidemiology Workshop



April 15, 2010

Rivier College, DeMoulas Room in the
Education Center



Overview: The goal of this workshop is to give participants a brief overview of epidemiology, case investigations, outbreak investigations and surveillance systems. We will finish the workshop with an interactive exercise involving an outbreak investigation.

Target Audience: Health Officers, healthcare professionals, first responders, those involved in public health emergency response, volunteer agencies, and anyone that wants to gain general knowledge on the subject.

Registration is required. Please RSVP by April 9 to Barbara at scaccob@nashuanh.gov or call 603-589-4547.

Agenda:

9:00 – 9:15	Registration & Welcome
9:15 – 10:15	Reportable Diseases & Case Investigations
10:15 – 10:30	Break
10:30 – 11:15	Intro. to Epidemiology, Outbreak Investigations
11:15 – 11:30	Break
11:30 - 12:00	Role of the Health Officer in Disease Investigations
12:00 – 12:30	Lunch
12:30 – 1:30	Surveillance Systems in NH and the US
1:30 – 1:45	Break
1:45 – 3:30	Workshop Exercise

Speakers:

Bobbie Bagley, Chief Public Health Nurse, Div. of Public Health & Community Services
Susan Bascom, Emergency Preparedness Surveillance Program Manager, NH DHHS
Ashley Conley, Epidemiologist, Div. of Public Health & Community Services
Nicole Losier, Communicable Diseases Nurse, Div. of Public Health & Community Services
Heidi Peek, Health Officer, Div. of Public Health & Community Services

Parking & Location: The Education Center is on Clement Street on the right. The DeMoulas room is on the second floor on the right hand side. Parking is located around the building. A map of the campus can be found at www.rivier.edu.

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