

MADISON COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES

The meeting of the Madison County Health Department Committee of the County Board was held at the Madison County Administrative Bldg., Room 203, Edwardsville, IL on July 8, 2026.

Members Present: Michael Holliday Sr; Bill Stoutenborough; Chrissy Wiley; Paul Nicolussi;
Don McMaster; Jason Palmero

Members Absent: Brynn Kincheloe

Others Present: Amanda Pruitt, Health Services Director; Stacey Counton, Office Manager;
Amber Donnelly, Executive Director, Mental Health Board; Katherine Conder,
Animal Care & Control Manager.

The meeting was called to order by Michael Holliday, Sr., at 3:00 p.m.

The June 10, 2026 minutes were approved by all Health Department Committee members present.

Public Comment: John Harvey – spoke about opioid settlement money.

Expense Reports: A motion was made by Bill Stoutenborough, and seconded by Chrissy Wiley, to approve the June 2026, Madison County Health Department and Animal Care and Control Department Expense Summary Report. AYES: Michael Holliday, Sr., Bill Stoutenborough, Jason Palmero, Chrissy Wiley, Don McMaster. NAYS: None.

Purchase Order Recommendations: A motion was made by Bill Stoutenborough, and seconded by Chrissy Wiley, to approve the Madison County Health Department Committee Purchase Order Requests: AYES: Michael Holliday, Sr., Bill Stoutenborough, Jason Palmero, Chrissy Wiley, Don McMaster. NAYS: None.

Purchase Requests: A motion was made by Chrissy Wiley and seconded by Bill Stoutenborough to approved the Chameleon annual Vet Import/Entry Service Fee for 12 months, beginning August 1, 2026 and Chameleon Annual Server Support and Maintenance for 12 months, beginning October 1, 2026. Motion Approved.

A motion was made by Bill Stoutenborough and seconded by Don McMaster to approve the CDP's Environmental Health Software Systems: CDPims and CPDMobile for 12 months, with an option to renew, beginning August 1, 2026. Motion Approved.

Public Health Administrator Report: Illinois Department of Public Health announced universal childhood blood lead testing as of July 1, 2026. This means that all children in Illinois are to be tested automatically at 12 and 24 months. Prior to universal testing there was a focus on high-risk zip codes but expanding the testing standard will help to ensure that children who have been exposed to lead are identified and early interventions are available. A notice about universal testing went out to healthcare providers as well as in a press release. MCHD has also been actively reaching out to pediatric and family medicine providers to make sure they are aware and to share resources.

A new grant called "IL Healthy Resilient Communities" grant has been received. It focuses on improving food access and supports the Madison County Health Department IPLAN priority of Healthy Lifestyle.

Illinois animal rabies surveillance data for 2025 was recently released. Bats are the main species of concern for rabies in Illinois. 1,601 bats were tested for rabies with 48 testing positive. Madison County had 0 positive for rabies but there was one bat in a neighboring county. August is the month when bats are very active and are more likely to come into contact with humans or pets. Exposure to bats is the most common reason for referral for rabies prophylaxis. Rabies in dogs or cats is very rare which highlights the significance of vaccinating pets.

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We have several back-to-school immunization and physical clinics coming up in July and August. We partner with several school districts to hold clinics onsite as well as have clinics at the health department.

Mental Health Board Executive Report: Reviewed the Fiscal year 2027 Mental Health Aid to Agency Opioid Funding Timeline and Data to Impact Planning Process. See attached.

Unfinished Business: Continued discussion on Proposed Resolution Supporting “Stepping Up”, a National Initiative to Reduce the Number of People with Mental Illnesses in Jail.

New Business: None

The next scheduled meeting of this committee is **Wednesday, August 12, 2026, 3:00 p.m.**, 157 N. Main Street, Room 203, Edwardsville, IL.

A motion was made by Paul Nicolussi, and seconded by Jason Palmero, to adjourn at 3:59 p.m.

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FISCAL YEAR 2027

MH AID TO AGENCY OPIOID FUNDING TIMELINE

Funding Opportunities for Mental Health Aid to Agency & Opioid Settlement Grants

The Madison County Mental Health Board is committed to supporting programs and services that improve the mental health and well-being of Madison County residents. Agencies seeking funding through the FY27 Mental Health Aid to Agencies or Opioid Settlement grants should review the following timeline.



APPLICATION TIMELINE

	Fri., Aug. 7, 2026	FY27 Notice Of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) announced -Opioid & MH Aid to Agency Applications open!
	Fri., Aug. 14- Mon. Aug. 17 2026	Submit questions about NOFO/application to Kenlea Avello, Program Manager ahead of Pre-Bid meeting - keavello@madisoncountyil.gov
	Tues., Aug. 18, 2026	Pre-Bid Meeting (Virtual & Recorded)* attendance is not required-Meeting link coming soon!
	Thurs., Sept. 3, 2026	FY 27 Opioid & MH Aid to Agency Applications due @ 4:00 PM!!
	Mon., Sept. 21, 2026	Agencies notified of proposed funding amount
	Wed., Sept., 23, 2026	Budget revisions due (if applicable)
	Thurs., Oct. 1, 2026	MCMH Board Meeting Review & Approve Funding for FY 27 Opioid & MH Aid to Agency Applications
	Wed., Nov. 18, 2026	Final Funding Approval by County Board
	Fri., Nov. 20, 2026	Contracts issued to selected agencies
	Tues., Dec. 1, 2026	FY27 Contract Deliverables begin
	Tues., Nov. 30, 2027	FY27 Contract Deliverables end



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Data to Impact Planning Process



July 23rd 12 - 3 PM
144 E. Rerguson Ave, Wood River, IL