

BOARD OF HEALTH

August 7, 2025

A meeting of the Board of Health was held on Thursday, August 7, 2025, in Room H of the City-County Government Center.

Howard Dhonau:	4-4:58 p.m.	Thomas E. Dornbrook:	4-4:58 p.m.
Wilhelm Huhndorf:	4-4:58 p.m.	Caroline M. Janke:	4-4:58 p.m.
Michele Mengert:	4-4:58 p.m.	Amanda Miller:	4-4:58 p.m.
Jean Rusch:	4-4:58 p.m.	Martin S. Ryan:	Excused

Also present were Kim Mueller, Pam Bartoli, Michelle Robbins, Shoua Vang, Gail Biermann and Jim Hess.

- Call meeting to order.
Vice Chair Dornbrook called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.
- Members of the public who wish to address the board must register their requests with the chair to speak on a specific agenda item for a period not to exceed three minutes. Pursuant to Wisconsin open meeting laws, members of the board are not permitted to engage to discussion with a speaker during the public comment period. All public comments are subject to the reasonable control of the board chair as set forth in Robert's Rules of Order.
Jim Hess spoke on school closings from Covid-19 and the Clinical Decision Support (CDS).
- Health Officer report.
 - Review second quarter 2025 reports.
Health Officer Kim Mueller provided explanation and highlighted the following reports.
 - Environmental Health Program.
 - Public Health/Direct Services.
 - Communicable Disease.
 - Revenue.
- Sexual Health Clinic update.
Public Health Clinic Supervisor Michelle Robbins explained the clinic started in 2021. Services available include: emergency contraceptive (Plan B), pregnancy testing, human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), Hepatitis C, chlamydia and gonorrhea. Sexually transmitted infection (STI) testing within the jail is also provided. A polymerase chain reaction (PCR) machine was received about a year ago, which allows patients to obtain results on the same day. The clinic is on track for the year, assisting 142 patients. An overview on outreach efforts was provided.
- Approve minutes of the May 1, 2025, meeting.
Motion (Dhonau/Janke) to approve the minutes. Motion carried.
- Dental health update.
Ms. Robbins explained the Save a Smile Program was created in 2006, and provides dental services for children in Fond du Lac County that are 18 and under with Medical Assistance; along with urgent dental care for adults depending on insurance and income. Currently, there are 31 dental providers seeing patients with 437 being children and approximately 60 adults. Two hygienists are available on site, allowing 113 prophylaxes to be completed so far this year. The Health Department works with Fond du Lac Area United Way, SSM Health and Elmer Dixon Fund for funding. An overview of outreach events was provided.
- Environmental health update.
Environmental Health Sanitarian Supervisor Shoua Vang introduced himself and explained how the County helps keep the community safe through the following inspections for restaurants, tattoo/body art, the Fond du Lac County Fair, farmers' markets and the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). Lead, well and beach water testing is completed regularly; along with animal bites/rabies exposure resources being provided.

Ms. Miller shared this will be her last meeting.
- Future agenda items and next meeting date.
The Board will meet Thursday, November 6, 2025, at 4:00 p.m. A future agenda item will include a 140 Review overview.
- Adjournment.
Motion (Rusch/Mengert) to adjourn the meeting at 4:58 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Gail Biermann
Fond du Lac Deputy County Clerk