

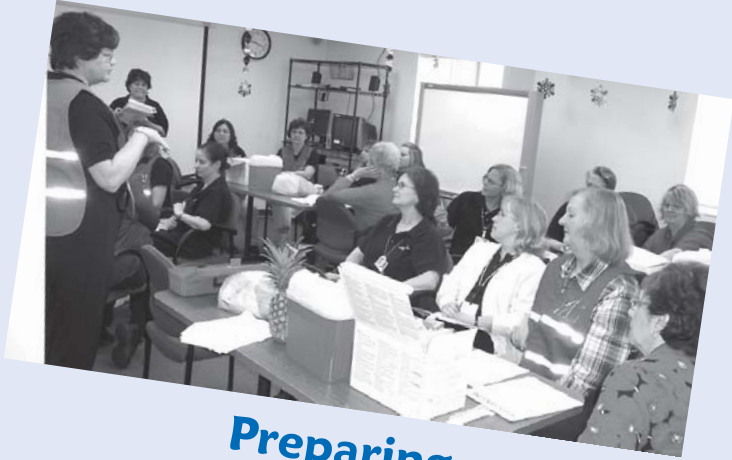
Kane County
Health
Department

2006 Annual Report

Beginning our third decade
of service to Kane County



Preventing



Preparing



Protecting



Promoting

Mission Statement

The Mission of the Kane County Health Department is to assess the needs, develop plans, and assure provisions of environmental and personal health services that protect, promote, and improve the health of all residents of Kane County within policies set by the Board of Health.

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A Message from the Executive Director

In 2006, we began our third decade as a health department, after celebrating our 20th Anniversary in December, 2005. The year saw continued growth in our Family Case Management client roll and community involvement in the development of the Kane County Illinois Project for Assessment of Needs (IPLAN), all the while responding to the requirements to fulfill the Health Department's core responsibilities.

I want to thank our dedicated staff, who have remained committed to our mission of protecting and promoting the health of all residents. These fine professionals stand vigil over the health status of our residents, poised to respond to threats to our safety, and forging bonds throughout the community to make Kane County the healthiest it can be. The implementation of new and creative programs has given us opportunities to reach more citizens than ever before. We faced all these challenges in a fiscally-responsible manner.

I also would like to offer my sincere gratitude to the members of the County Board, the Public Health Committee and the Public Health Advisory Committee for their support and guidance throughout the year. Without them we could not have achieved the successes we enjoyed in 2006.

We must never lose sight of the importance of preventing illness and disease and upholding the highest standards in providing services to our county residents. They deserve nothing less.

Mary Lou England RN, MS
Executive Director



Prevention

Epidemiology — Select Kane County Statistics

Kane County Statistics

	2005	2004	2003
Total Population*	493,735	472,482	457,122
Births to Kane County Residents	8,601	8,569	8,397
Deaths to Kane County Residents		2,556	2,587
Infant Deaths (Rate=infant deaths/1,000 live births)		52 (6.1)	54 (6.4)

* The values for all years are intercensal estimates. US Census Bureau

Leading Causes of Death, Kane County 2004

Select Causes of Death	Kane 2004		Kane 2003		Illinois 2004	US 2004
	# of Deaths	Rate/100k	# of Deaths	Rate/100k	Rate/100k	Rate/100k
Total Deaths	2556	559.2	2,587	565.9	805.0	816.7
Diseases of Heart	657	139.1	642	140.4	221.8	222.7
Malignant Neoplasms (Cancer)	596	126.1	640	140.0	190.6	187.4
Cerebrovascular Diseases (Stroke)	164	34.7	168	36.8	50.9	51.1
Chronic Lower respiratory Disease	118	25.0	122	26.7	37.1	42.2
Accidents	112	23.7	100	21.9	32.1	37
{Motor Vehicle Accidents}	43	9.1	43	9.4	11.6	15
Diabetes Mellitus	83	17.6	84	18.4	24.1	24.8
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis	57	12.1	68	14.9	18.4	14.6
Influenza and Pneumonia	64	13.5	62	13.6	21.8	20.9
Alzheimer's Disease	63	13.3	52	11.4	20.4	22.4
Suicide	22	4.7	37	8.1	8.0	
Septicemia	48	10.2	34	7.4	15.7	11.4
Infant Deaths (rates are per 1,000 Live Births)	52	6.1	54	6.4	7.3	6.76

Note: The table above shows leading causes of death for 2004, with comparable data for same causes in the preceding year. IL and US rates are also shown for comparison. {Indented causes of death are subsets of preceding causes} Rates are per 100,000 except for infant deaths

Source: Illinois Department of Public Health

Prevention

IPLAN

Kane County's 2006 "Community Needs Assessment and Community Health Plan" was adopted by the county board on Dec. 12, 2006. The document was the final product of an 18-month community planning process known as IPLAN, the Illinois Project for Local Assessment of Needs. A total of 84 community members from 37 different organizations participated in the process along with Kane County Health Department leadership and staff. This is the third five-year IPLAN update for Kane County in its twenty year history as a Health Department. The process became a requirement for certified local health departments in Illinois in 1994. The purpose was for the community, with the leadership and technical assistance of the Health Department, to review indicators of the health status of the county and identify top health priorities.

The health priorities are:

- 1) Increase access to health care—both primary care and specialty care—for Kane residents who are un- and under-insured (more than 60,000 Kane residents are estimated to be affected)
- 2) Eliminate the higher infant death rate experienced by Kane County's African-American community (currently this rate is 3 times higher than Kane's overall rate)
- 3) Prevent Cardiovascular Diseases (the number 1 killer in Kane County)
- 4) Increase Access to Mental Health Care (currently a very fragmented "system" in Kane County)
- 5) Maintain core Public Health services that protect all Kane residents (e.g., restaurant inspections, well and septic services, and emergency preparedness and response)

The IPLAN committee was divided into five sub-committees to develop detailed strategies for addressing each of the priorities over the next five years. Work has already begun which involves staff and community partners on each priority. The priorities will drive Health Department activities in the coming years.

KCHAIN - Kane Community Health Access Integrated Network

KCHAIN, a partnership of Kane County Health Department, hospitals, and medical providers, has implemented strategies to address the critical healthcare access issues for the uninsured, underinsured and publicly insured, low-income residents in Kane County. Establishment of a primary care "medical home" has been the foundation of all KCHAIN initiatives. Currently the project has implemented the following interventions: bilingual emergency department KCHAIN Advocates in each of the five Kane County hospitals to provide education and resource counseling to facilitate linkage to primary care; case managers and benefit specialists in the Federally-Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) to provide linkage to community resources, public benefits and pharmaceuticals. Collaborative planning has established a proposed infrastructure for specialty care access network in Kane County and a pharmaceutical voucher program to provide support to the health providers in the network and in the community. An information management system has been designed to allow sharing of initial patient data and allow for expanded functionality as the system matures.

Significant accomplishments for this year have included: the community health centers in KCHAIN have increased the amount of hours serving patients by 45%, and usage grew by 38.3%, or 1 in 25 Kane County residents; 4,500 patients have received case management and/or benefit linkage services in the community healthcare centers and more than 32,000 individuals were enrolled into KCHAIN allowing for increased pharmaceutical assistance; 43% of emergency department patients who were determined after screening to lack a primary care provider have now been successfully linked to a primary care Medical Home, and the KCHAIN patient assessment survey indicated that at start-up, 17.6% of patients initially reported having difficulty obtaining health care during the past six months compared to 6.8% at the follow-up reporting period.

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Kane County Dental Coalition

The Kane County Health Department facilitates a county-wide school-based dental initiative, utilizing a state funded dental sealant program. The Kane County Dental Coalition is currently comprised of 3 school districts and various dental providers. For the 2006-2007 school year, the coalition members are: Aunt Martha's Community Health Center; Community Health Partnership of Illinois, Greater Elgin Family Care Center, The Well Child Center, Miles of Smiles, The Elgin Junior Service Board, and School Districts 131, 300, and U-46. The Kane County Dental Coalition strives to enhance the delivery of comprehensive dental services to the most vulnerable students, and the dental sealant program is vital to our efforts. Aunt Martha's Community Health Center, Community Health Partnership, Greater Elgin Family Care Center, Miles of Smiles, and The Well Child Center will be the subcontracted providers of the 2006-2007 school-based dental sealant program.

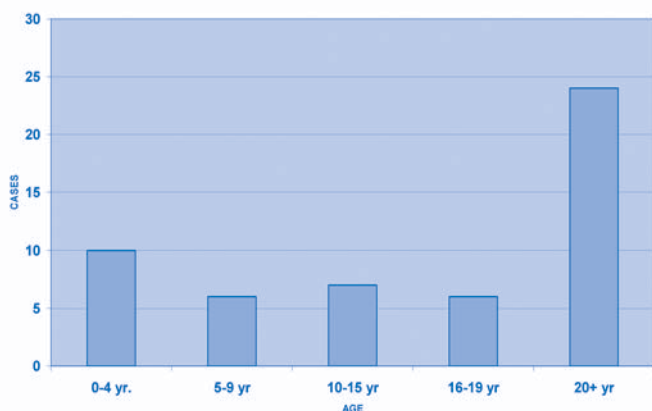
Communicable Disease & Emergency Preparedness

2006 was an extremely busy year for the Kane County Health Department's Communicable Disease and Emergency Preparedness Division. Each year the Division monitors and manages an increasing number of disease clusters, outbreaks and investigations in order to protect the public. The Division continues to expand its community outreach efforts in order to facilitate a timely public health emergency response system. Additionally, the Division takes proactive measures in delivering prevention and protective messages in order to educate the public on tools they can use to prepare and protect themselves in case of a Public Health Emergency.

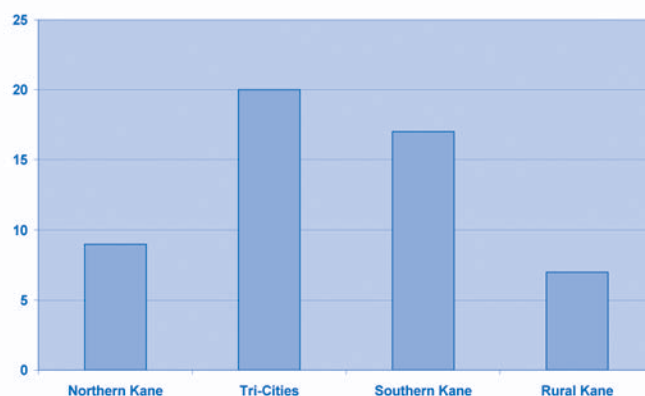
During 2006 the Communicable Disease staff investigated and reported 2820 diseases or conditions that are declared by Illinois Department of Public Health as contagious, infectious, communicable or dangerous to the public's health. The 2006 highlights include the following:

- Beginning in April of 2006 an increase in reported mumps cases was observed locally, across Illinois and nationally. By the end of 2006 a total of 53 confirmed and probable Kane County cases had been investigated in contrast to the previous 5 year mean of 1 case. More than half of the cases occurred in persons > 16 years of age. Cases were distributed geographically across Kane County. Mumps is a vaccine preventable disease. To prevent infection and transmission from person to person two doses of live mumps vaccine are recommended for all school age children (K-12) and for high risk groups (e.g. individuals who work in healthcare facilities, students at post high-school educational institutions and international travelers).

Mumps by Age Group



Mumps Geographic Distribution



Communicable Disease & Emergency Preparedness

- The Tuberculosis program investigated and provided disease case management and associated prevention services related to 17 tuberculosis cases (9 pulmonary and 8 extra-pulmonary). At the end of 2006, 10 of the 17 cases were still receiving treatment, 3 had completed treatment, 2 had expired and 2 were lost to follow-up. Of the 17 cases, 9 were foreign born (a risk factor for tuberculosis infection and disease).
- As a result of the national increase in pertussis cases occurring in persons 11 years of age and older, a new vaccine formulation for adolescents and adults (Tdap) was licensed for use to boost waning immunity in this population. This vaccine was fully implemented in 2006 as an immunization that is provided by the Immunization Program
- In collaboration with Rush Copley Family Practice Residency Program and Greater Elgin Family Care Center, two Sexually Transmitted Disease clinics serviced over 800 clients for medical evaluation, treatment and counseling. Additionally the HIV/AIDS Program provided education, counseling and testing for Kane County Correctional Facility inmates.

Select Reportable General CD	2006
Enteric Infections	
Campylobacteriosis	49
E. coli (Pathogenic: 0157:H7 & others)	6
Giardiasis	33
Hepatitis A	7
Salmonellosis	103
Shigellosis	44
Central Nervous System Infections	
Meningitis, Viral (including WNV)	45
West Nile Virus	4
Meningococcal meningitis	1
Haemophilus influenza meningitis	0
Bloodborne Pathogen Infections	
Hepatitis B	5
Hepatitis B - Carrier	27
Hepatitis C	163
Pertussis	46
Mumps	53
TOTAL General Communicable Disease	957

Immunizations	2006
Total Vaccines Administered	4526
Total Clients Immunized	2235

Sexually Transmitted Disease	2006
Chlamydia	1456
Gonorrhea	327
Syphilis	9
TOTAL	1792

HIV / AIDS	2006
HIV Infections	31
AIDS	23
TOTAL	54

Tuberculosis	2006
TOTAL	17

TOTAL (Gen CD, STD, HIV/AIDS, TB)	2006
	2820

Communicable Disease & Emergency Preparedness

The Kane County Health Department continued to make strides to make our communities safe from disease, natural disasters, acts of terrorism or any other threat that may appear. In 2006, the Kane County Health Department received a Green rating, the highest level, for their public health emergency response plans from the Federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The health department is widely recognized by the Illinois Department of Public Health and other planning partners for its progressive response planning efforts. The Kane County Medical Reserve Corps, an organization made up of volunteers from both the medical and lay population, continued to grow in size and by reputation through the offering of unique programs, including the Rescue Riders; a group of motorcycle riders dedicated to supporting the health department respond during emergencies. The health department also secured additional funding for bioterrorism and pandemic influenza preparedness from State and Federal sources to sustain planning efforts. Public Health Emergency Response program staff focuses on its mission to collaborate with community agencies, hospitals, fire departments and other partners in emergency management to strengthen the county's overall response capabilities.

Refugee Screening Program

This program provides medical screening and initial medical treatment for arriving refugees. The purpose is to identify persons with communicable disease and personal health conditions that adversely impact on effective resettlement. Evaluation, treatment and referrals are provided as part of these screenings. The countries of origin include Columbia, Cuba, Somalia Bantu, Bosnia, and Meskhetian Turks from Russia. The Kane County Health Department Refugee Program conducted 71 health assessments for the year 2006.

Health Education & Promotion

The Health Education & Promotion Program provides education to the County residents on various topics including: Osteoporosis Prevention, Risk Assessment and Screenings, Heart Health, Breast Health, Tobacco Cessation & Prevention, Clean indoor-air, Obesity, Healthy Food and Lifestyle Choices.

Programs are provided at various sites for children, young adults, adults and seniors.

We collaborate with local agencies, health care providers, school districts for programming and special events.

The Kane County Coalition for Health & Wellness has been formed to improve the health of Kane County residents by supporting & sustaining coordinated efforts that provide the community with health screening/referral, assessment, education, outreach and policy advocacy.

This coalition is providing opportunities for the members to have a voice in the above areas.

Members include health care providers, schools, businesses, social service agencies, chambers of commerce, park districts & County Board members.

Kane County Health Educators gave 195 presentations to 19,432 residents and participated in 154 health fairs and that reached 124,289 residents. The presentations ranged from women's health to tobacco cessation.

Environmental Health

Food Program Highlights for 2006

- Gained 87 new establishments in the County
- Electronically linked Communicable Disease Staff to the Food program to increase awareness/monitoring of potential foodborne illnesses (KPASS)
- Restructured job descriptions of food, well/septic, and nuisance staff to be more efficient and better serve the public
- Sponsored 12 CFH classes and Refresher Courses throughout the County

Program Summary Statistics:

New Food Establishments (total)	190
New Food Establishments (net open-closed)	87
Smoke Free Restaurants (sit down) current total includes Elgin estabs.	438
Temporary Permits	534
Inspections (Routine, opening, {other} i.e. fire, 30 day)	3,530
Follow-ups	795
Pre-openings	125
Consultations	1,230
Plan Reviews	97
Complaints Received	197
Food Service Workshops (CFH courses)	12

Lead Poisoning

Case Investigated - 37
Inspections - 141

Nuisance/Solid Waste

Complaints - 196
Investigate - 166

Well & Septic

Septic permits issued - 207
Inspections - 201
Well permits issued - 225
Inspections - 221

Maternal and Child Health

Programs delivered by the Personal Health Division of the Kane County Health Department exist to assure that mothers, infants, and families gain access to the whole spectrum of services and interventions that promote health, growth, development and community wellness. Our Family Case Management (FCM) team implemented a virtual machine technology plan that simplified service delivery, assured family care plan coordination, and facilitated co-location of FCM services in community, Women, Infants & Children (WIC) Nutrition Program and community health centers in a one-stop shopping model that best serves working families.

The WIC program serving pregnant women expanded to include infants and our Teen Parent Services Program was recognized for top performance in keeping teens receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) engaged in education! We also launched a health disparities initiative through the new IPLAN process by starting the Circles of Wise Women in Elgin and Aurora. These Circles seek to improve the issues impacting the survival of African American infants in Kane County through the wisdom and involvement of African American community women.

To meet the needs of the growing population in Kane County and promote health among families, the Personal Health Division delivered these programs in 2006:

- Family Case Management
- Teen Parent Services
- WIC Nutrition Program
- High Risk Infant Follow Up Program/Home Visits
- Health Works of Illinois for foster children
- All Kids Enrollment Assistance Program and Outreach Services
- Kane Kares Nurse Family Partnership/Home Visits
- Child Care Nurse Consultant Services
- Health Advisor Services
- All Our Kids Birth-to-Five Early Childhood Network

Family Case Management

Family Case Management Services include:

- Assisting eligible pregnant women and infants to access early prenatal care
- Home visits for pregnant women and their infants
- Periodic contacts throughout pregnancy and infancy to assure families receive needed health care: prenatal care, postpartum and well woman care, immunizations, well child visits, developmental screening, health insurance coverage
- Referral and linkage for additional family needs: car seats, food shortages, housing, counseling,
- Education on parenting, prenatal and infant health issues, and referral for intensive home visiting
- Follow-up to families experiencing a SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome) death

Average Caseload	6,675
Pregnant Women Enrolled	4,365
Children Enrolled	5,382
Pregnancy Tests	2,448

First Trimester entry is a critical indicator of how well maternal child health services function in a community. First Trimester Entry into our Family Case Management Program in 2006 averaged 70%!

In collaboration with the Illinois Department of Health and Family Services, FCM developed a model for developmental screening through professional case managers. This model, initiated last fall as a pilot project, has successfully increased the number of developmental screening completed with infants served through the program. In the past few months FCM has expanded to include infant social-emotional screening as well. Screening women for Perinatal Depression is ongoing.

Maternal and Child Health

Teen Parent Services

The Teen Parent Services Program provides intensive support, assistance, and case management to qualifying pregnant and parenting teens who wish to complete high school or obtain their GED. The focus, in monthly visits to teen parents, is on identifying and removing barriers to school attendance, child care placement, transportation, health care for parents and infants. In 2006, our Teen Parent Services Program was recognized for the highest rate of graduates among teen parents eligible for graduation!

In 2006 we served:

Total New Enrollees	688
Average Caseload	200
Rate for maintaining TANF teens in school	87.5%
High School Graduates/GED Completers	81

WIC Nutrition Program

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) is a nutrition education and food supplement program for pregnant women, infants, and children. The Kane County Health Department received a WIC grant for prenatal women in July of 2004. In 2006 the program expanded to a second site at a community health center and began to serve infants in September, 2006. By December, 2006 the caseload profile included:

Total WIC Caseload	1,260
Pregnant Women	677
Infants	292
Breastfeeding Women	148
Postpartum Women	143

High Risk Infant Follow-Up Program - HRIF

Some Kane County newborns spend the first days or weeks of life in a neonatal intensive care unit. Other newborns enter life with a birth abnormality that requires long term medical care. Our HRIF Home Visiting program supports these infants and their parents through periodic physical assessment, genetic assessment, developmental assessment, referral to specialty and developmental therapies, and monitoring of growth and development. In 2006:

HRIF Referrals	555
HRIF Visits	968
Average Caseload	200

Maternal and Child Health

HealthWorks of Illinois

HealthWorks of Illinois is a specialty tracking program that assures that children who are wards of the state, in foster care homes within Kane County, receive health care screening, physicals, immunizations, and medically indicated treatment. Monitoring of health services is critical for these vulnerable children who often move from home to home. We provide training to both foster parents and the health care providers to improve health communication and access. Development of a health provider network to provide health care and coordination with case workers from the Division of Children and Family Services is a critical element in assuring health care for foster children.

Average 0-6 Caseload	136
Average 6-21 Caseload	350
Average Total Caseload	486

All Kids Health Insurance Enrollment Assistance and Outreach

The Kane County Health Department provides enrollment application assistance to established client families and to any resident of Kane County that desires to apply for the Illinois public insurance plan, All Kids. Clients who desire to apply for cash assistance or food stamps and clients with a family member already receiving benefits are referred to our partners at the local office of the Department of Human Services (DHS) so they can be served most effectively.

All Kids Child Applications	507
Pregnant Women KidCare Applications	2,129
Referral to DHS for existing case add on	1,118

Outreach services to the community were critical in 2006 due to changes in the All Kids insurance program which opened enrollment to every child that is uninsured in Kane County, regardless of income. Community and agency staff presentations and training events for application agents across the county continued throughout the year. Close coordination with the state agency assured greater access for Kane children to All Kids.

Kane Kares Nurse Family Partnership Home Visitation Program

A nurse-home visitation program that provides support and regular home nursing visits to first-time mothers, the Kane Kares Nurse-Family Partnership achieves its goal by focusing on three objectives:

- Fostering healthier pregnancies - Nurses help new mothers-to-be improve their diet and nutrition, utilize proper obstetrical care, and avoid use of tobacco or other harmful substances.
- Improving the health and development of children - First-time parents learn how to provide responsible and competent care, particularly in the areas of children's physical and emotional health and safety. Nurses help parents build a strong support network of family and friends.
- Encouraging self-sufficiency - Together, nurses and parents create a vision for the future that includes a plan for future pregnancies, steps toward continuing education, and securing adequate employment.

Kane Kares Program Summary:	Unduplicated number of families served	199
	Total clients graduated	36
	Total screenings	309
	Total number of completed home visits	1,713

In 2006 only 8.8% of our Kane Kares infants were born prematurely and only 7.6% were low birth weight. 95% of the infants were fully immunized and only 7.1% had language delays detected. Though 33% were not enrolled in school at intake, at 6 months of program participation, 50% were enrolled in school. Thirty one (31%) completed their GED or HS diploma at 24 months. Of these, 11% were enrolled in further education. The employment rate at program intake was 25.8%, 45% were working at the time the infant was 12 months old, and 57.7% when the infant was 24 months old.

Maternal and Child Health

Child Care Nurse Consultant Services

The Child Health Nurse Consultant Service provides training, education, and technical assistance to child care centers and child care provider homes in Kane County. Our nurse consultant provides training to child care professionals and other social service and health care staff on developmental screening, social emotional screening, and other child health issues. Child Care coalitions in Kane County receive support and technical assistance from the child care nurse consultant.

Health Advisor Program

Through the Health Advisor Program, the Health Department provides non-regulatory services required by the DCFS Licensing Standards for Day Care Centers or requested by Center:

- Provide instruction and consultation of record keeping, including immunization rules and regulations; and in health related center policies such as communicable disease control.
- Provide in-service training to the center's childcare staff as requested by the director.
- Provide on-going evaluation of center staff's child care techniques.
- Provide for observation of children for early identification of health/developmental problems.
- Provide for follow-up of children with identified health problems.

Fifteen child care centers participated in the program in 2006.

All Our Kids (AOK) Birth-to-Five Early Childhood Network

The Kane County Health Department has undertaken an innovative approach to developing a community-based system of care for young children and their families. The All Our Kids (AOK) Early Childhood Network is a community collaboration that provides a high-quality, well-coordinated, easily accessible system of local services that promotes the positive growth and development of all children under age five. The purpose of the AOK Network is to ensure that all families are receiving the services they need to get the best possible start in life, including prenatal care, well baby check-ups, child care, parenting education, mental health, or home visits.

The Kane County AOK Network counts a total of over 50 active members, some attending both regular network and committee meetings, while others attend one of four committee meetings. In addition, core AOK members regularly update and obtain feedback from other community members through numerous community meetings such as the Home Visiting Collaborative, the Perinatal Committee, the Aurora Community Resource Team, the West Towns Community Resource Team, and the Northern Kane Underserved Coalition.

AOK continues to implement a strategic plan which was updated for 2006 and included a major initiative to increase developmental screening. AOK worked to facilitate 0-3 screening at school district screening events for 3-5 year olds, promoted screening among AOK partner agencies, and provided support to FCM case managers through consultation for both anticipatory guidance for parents and referral decision-making for children questionable delays/issues. Developmental Screening Posters were distributed throughout the community. These posters were distributed to preschools, churches, Laundromats, healthcare locations park district offices, libraries, schools, apartment buildings and Cooperative Extension. The LIC coordinator attended Faith, Health Partnership meetings both in Aurora and Elgin, community resource meetings and other provider meetings throughout the county to enlist others to distribute posters.

FY 2006 Financial Report

REVENUE	FY 2006 Actual	% of Total
General Property Tax	1,843,484	21%
Investment Income	129,643	1%
Fees,Permits & Inspections	770,564	9%
State Grants	5,042,659	58%
Federal Grants	911,192	10%
Transfer from Other Funds	-	0%
TOTAL	\$8,697,542	100%

EXPENDITURES

Payroll Costs	6,347,053	74%
Contractual	1,423,489	16%
Commodities	691,766	8%
Capital Outlay	166,286	2%
TOTAL	\$8,628,594	100%

EXPENSES by PROGRAM

Administrative	\$ 1,699,216	20%
Family Case Management	2,986,338	35%
Preventive Care	191,504	2%
Food Sanitation	625,072	7%
Community Health	1,595,946	18%
Well & Septic Program	191,098	2%
Lead Program	111,040	1%
Aurora Wellness Clinic	47,402	1%
Health Promotion	277,854	3%
Nuisance/Solid Waste	71,699	1%
Air Quality	18,060	0%
Tanning Program	3,410	0%
HCAP (Federal Grant)	809,955	9%

TOTAL by Program	\$8,628,594	100%
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