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Last Quarter in Ventanilla de Salud "VDS"



The Ventanilla de Salud program held a 'mini' health fair on February 26, 2011 at the Latino Mall. From: www.amigohispano.net/2011/03/ventanilla-de-salud-trae-la-feria-de-salud-al-latino-mall/

Partner Agency Highlight

Utah AIDS Foundation

The Utah Aids Foundation has been part of the Ventanilla de Salud program for over a year. The VDS wants to recognize Alex Moya, Hispanic Outreach Specialist, for his demonstrated commitment to this program. His dedication is evident through his perfect attendance during the last one-and-a-half years. Thank you Alex for your outstanding contribution to the VDS and our community.

Thank you for your contribution to the Ventanilla de Salud:

- Planned Parenthood Association of Utah
- Pregnancy Risk Line
- Utah Poison Control
- Utah Aids Foundation
- Pregnancy Risk Line
- South Valley Sanctuary
- National Alliance on Mental Illness
- Clinica Medica Familiar
- Center for Multicultural Health
- Alliance Community Services
- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Asian Association of Utah

Health Information and Services

During the first quarter of 2011 the VDS, located in the Consulate of Mexico, provided health information to a total of **2,841 people**. Staff and trained volunteers provided health information, referrals and diagnostic tests. People received information about a wide range of topics including diabetes, obesity, cancer, HIV/AIDS, domestic violence, tobacco and alcohol use, mental health, workplace safety, among others.

Diagnostic Tests

Thanks to our partner agencies, medical and pre-med student volunteers, we were able to perform over **495 diagnostic tests** this quarter. People were tested for glucose levels, blood pressure, and/or HIV/AIDS.

Referrals

714 people were referred to a clinic, hospital, or health center to receive adequate and affordable health services. Many of these referrals received follow up.

Mobile and Saturday Events organized by the Consulate of Mexico

The VDS participated in the following events during last quarter:

- *Mobile Consulate* in Logan, Utah.
- A total of three Saturday events at the Consulate of Mexico.



Clinica Medica Familiar

Thanks to our partnership with Clinica Medica Familiar the VDS was able to provide **76 one-on-one health screenings**. People were checked for several health conditions.



Clinica Medica Familiar Staff during the 'mini' Health Fair

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