



# Community Health Center of Southeast Kansas

## Educate2Vaccinate

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# Our Mission

**The mission of the Community Health Center of Southeast Kansas is to provide quality, affordable and accessible healthcare to anyone regardless of their ability to pay**





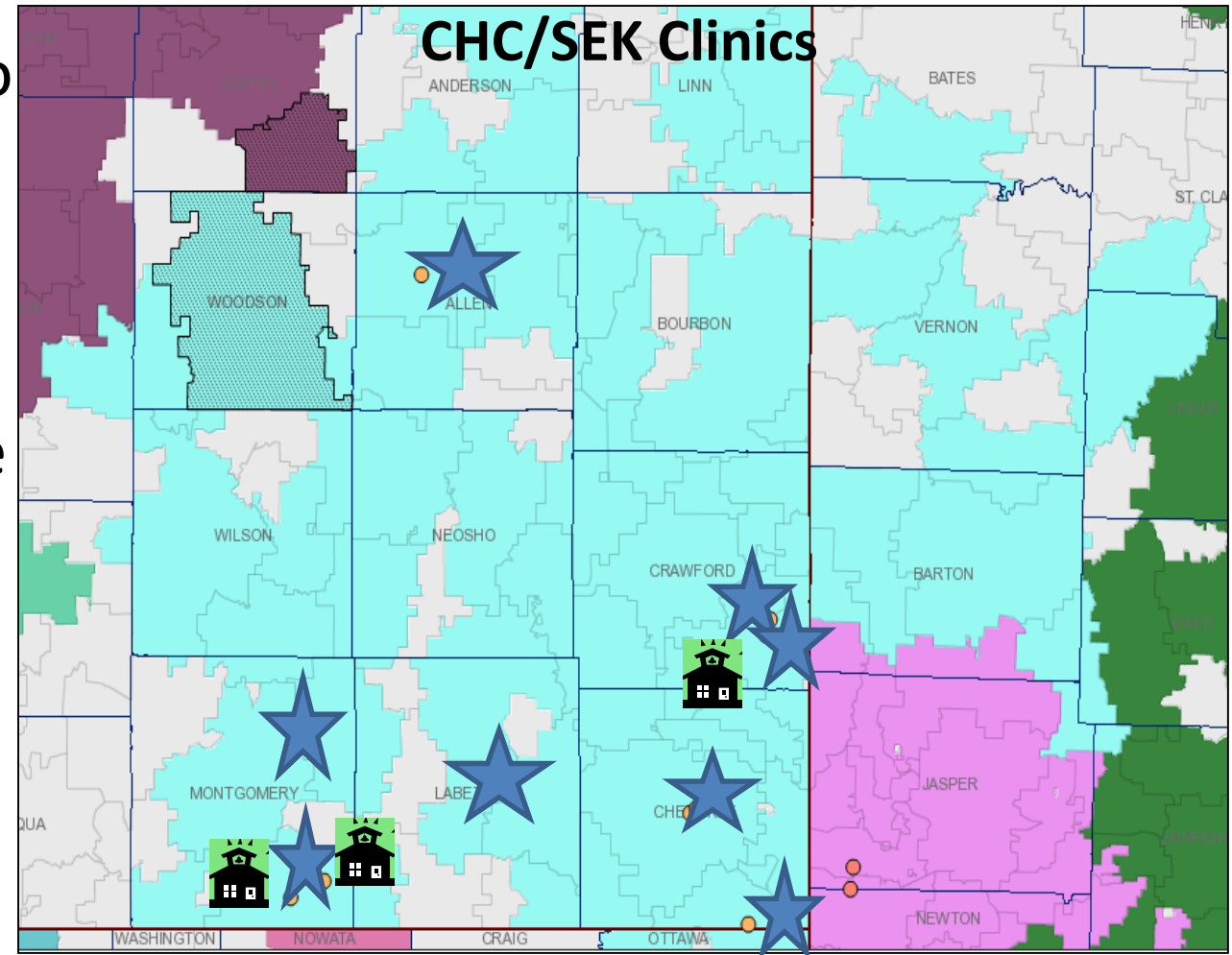
# A Little About Us

- Originally began as a department of Mt. Carmel Regional Medical Center in Pittsburg (now Via Christi Hospital)
- Received our Federally Qualified Health Center Status (FQHC) in 2003.
- # of Patients ending FY16 was 42,000, with 34% between the 0-18 years of age.



# Building Health

- Since 2003, we have grown to include 11 clinic sites in 5 counties
- Two of our communities have school based health clinics – Coffeyville and Pittsburg.





# Serving Children



Coffeyville, Kansas  
Field Kindley High School  
Nurse Practitioner and School Nurse



Pittsburg Kansas  
USD 250 - All Schools  
Nurse Practitioner, School Nurses in 3/6  
buildings

Outreach in other Communities for physicals and immunizations



# Team Approach

- Established a multidisciplinary team to review our process.
- Identified our barriers (SWOT Analysis).
- Provided “refreshers” on HPV vaccine for our staff.
- Participated in local efforts to raise awareness.



# Improvements

- **Revised the vaccine consent form.**
  - Parents could consent to all three doses with one form.
- **Analyzed how our EHR could support communication between clinic locations.**
  - Provide lists of patients needing doses.
  - Used the system to communicate more effectively between school clinic and main clinics.
  - Proactively scheduled students for subsequent doses.



# Improvements

- Used the system to communicate to parents.
  - EHR messaging system notified parents that student was scheduled for clinic visit.
- Shared the Data!
  - Shared the data with clinics and through the Quality Improvement structure of our organization.





# Improvements

## THE DATA!

***Starting Point*** – 11.01% of patients between 9-17 years of age had all three Gardasil doses.

***Ending Point*** – 23.33% of patients between 9-17 years of age had all three Gardasil doses.

***We will continue to report quarterly***



# STAFF COMMITMENT

Thank You Immunize Kansas Coalition for the  
Recognition Award!!

**OUR STAFF IS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING  
THIS PROTECTION FOR OUR CHILDREN**



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