

Environmental Division Report
June 16, 2020 to August 14 2020

Housing Complaints

Sewage	8	
Trash	9	
Mold	4	
Close pool/ spa	2	closing was due to E.coli being present in the pool.
Abatements	3	
Difficult site with State	1	
Septic inspections	26	
Septic site visit w/ installer	4	
Illegal Burn	2	
Tattoo Parlors Inspections	3	
Dye Tests	1	

On July 14, 2020 Jeff and I attended a certification training sessions in Danville, IN. for a Geotextile Sand Filter System by Eljen Corporation. This system is to help in situation where the site is considered complicated. It works for small and complicated sites and has flexible design options.

Jeff and I have been busy with septic inspections and housing complaints. The difficult site has taken up considerable time.

Nursing Division Report – August Meeting

With schools being back in session, we have been busy getting students vaccinated for school required immunizations. Along with helping school nurses adjust to COVID-19 guidelines for the schools.

Even though the LHD no longer complete case investigations, we have continued to be a point of contact for COVID-19 questions, concerns and guidance.

COVID-19 will be discussed in more detail under old business.

Several months ago, the HD completed the application for the Naxolone program offered through ISDH. The HD received those doses in the middle of pandemic and that project had to move to the side for a few months. However, we know there is a need in our community so we are planning to move forward with this project in the next two weeks.

August 2020 Vital Records Report

Back to school created a surge in birth certificate issuance in July/early August.

Due to COVID the IVRA Spring Conference that was scheduled to be held in May was canceled.

The new DRIVE (Database Registration of Indiana's Vital Events) system which will replace the electronic birth and death registration system currently being used is scheduled to roll out in the fall. DRIVE is a web based system that is believed to be more efficient and user friendly.

Virtual training from is currently being offered to all Physicians, Funeral Directors, Coroners, Hospitals and Birthing Centers as well as Registrars throughout the state.