

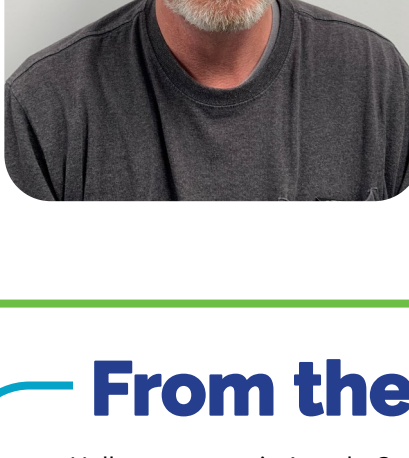


Division of Emergency Preparedness

Spring 2023

Employee Spotlight

Congratulations Michael Galloway!



Mike Galloway was nominated as the Spotlight DEP employee for his exceptional work ethic and perseverance. The logistics team lost two of their MVP team members in late 2022, Philip Wages and Yvonne Alexander. Galloway continued to manage the logistics team and contractors through vacancies, illness and shortages while maintaining shipping and inventory expectations. Galloway assisted in rebuilding his team, overseeing warehouse projects and ensuring operations continued smoothly. He understands the importance of strong leadership, and is adept in making his employees feel valued and included in our mission. Not only does Galloway strive to promote, protect and improve the health and safety of Hoosiers as his full-time job, he is also a fireman working to do the same in his community.

Thank you for all your dedication and hard work Mike!

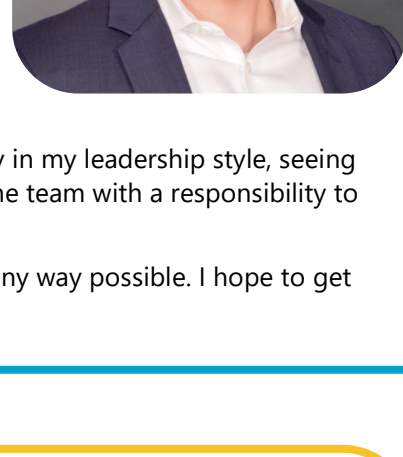
From the New Director

Hello, my name is Angelo Soto, and I am honored and grateful to have been appointed to this position within the Indiana Department of Health (IDOH). I recognize the significant responsibility that comes with this role and will strive to maintain the highest standards set forth by IDOH and the Department of Emergency Preparedness (DEP).

Let me share a brief introduction about myself. I am a proud father of two, with another child on the way. My wife and I met during our freshman year of college while taking psychology 101. During my free time, I enjoy playing soccer and participating in any outdoor activity. On the job front, I have played an active role in supporting COVID-19 efforts as the deputy director for DEP and as a grants manager for the federal government. I enjoy finding solutions that leverage technology platforms to streamline our work and increase efficiency. As a leader, I aim to remove obstacles that hinder the team from performing at their best.

My overall leadership mantra comes from my college coach, who taught me to see myself during a game not just as a defender and a position because, "we do not have a position on the field, we have a responsibility." I rely on this philosophy in my leadership style, seeing this opportunity not merely as a new position or title but as another member of the team with a responsibility to support the larger game.

I am thrilled to work alongside all of you and contribute to the team's success in any way possible. I hope to get the opportunity to meet you in person in the future!



New Faces

Brittany Butterfield, Health Equity and Diversity Specialist

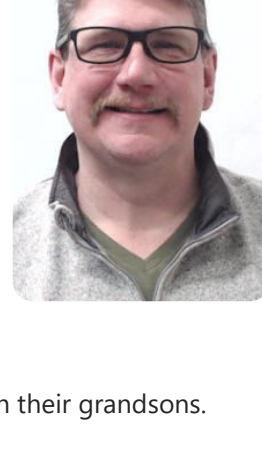


Brittany Butterfield has a bachelor's degree in social work from the University of Indianapolis and a diverse array of experience in the social service and public health sectors. Her previous professional roles include director of children's services for a not-for-profit agency serving individuals with disabilities, assistant director of mental health services for a Community Mental Health Center (CMHC), public health educator for the Hendricks County Health Department, and care coordinator in the Maternal Child Health and Children's Special Health Care Departments at the Indiana Department of Health.

In addition to this experience, Butterfield is also bilingual (Spanish and English) and has placed an emphasis on addressing social determinants of health and barriers to accessing quality health and social services throughout her career.

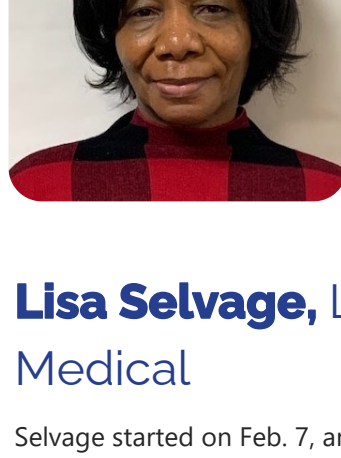
Alan Layman, North Region Mobile Supervisor

Layman came to IDOH from a healthcare background with an associate's degree in applied sciences as a respiratory therapist. He had the privilege of serving in facilities from NICU's to nursing homes, covering small county facilities and Level 1 Trauma Centers. While working as a RRT Layman also volunteered in EMS and fire in Pendleton where he lives. After working actively as a RRT for 30 years, Layman decided to pursue a career in pre-hospital medicine as a paramedic in both rural and metropolitan areas, and paramedicine is one of several certifications he has earned while working as a first responder. Layman's current role with IDOH is mobile response supervisor within the mobile response section. He is responsible for the supervision of day-to-day operations with the mobile vaccine units for Districts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6, including, but not limited to, clinical site visits and large-scale responses. He is very excited to be a part of this group and looking forward to the challenges that lay ahead.



Layman and his wife been married for 28 years, and have three children and two grandchildren. Most of their time is spent taking trips together and spending time with their grandsons.

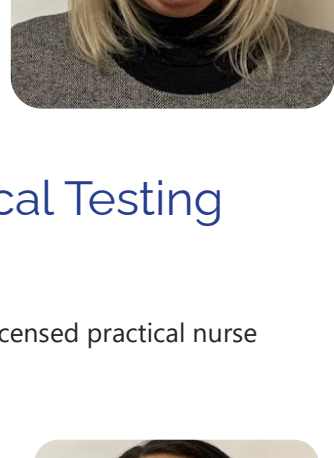
Donnell Murray, Insurance Reimbursement Specialist



Murray joined the Zotec Team on Feb. 27. She is working on processing insurance reimbursement payments. We appreciate all she is doing for our division.

Lisa Selvage, Local Testing Specialist Medical

Selvage started on Feb. 7, and is a registered nurse joining the Medical District 5 Mobile Vaccine Unit.



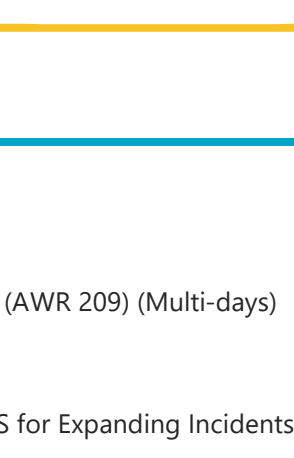
JoHanna McMurray, Local Testing Specialist Medical



McMurray started on Dec. 28, 2022 and is a licensed practical nurse joining the District 6 Mobile Vaccine Unit.

Keila Larreal, Local Testing Specialist Administrator

Larreal started Feb. 21 and is joining the District 3 Mobile Vaccine Unit.



Division News

Upcoming Trainings

- Animal Issues in Disasters - 20230412 Wed, Apr 12, 2023 8:30am
- Crisis Management for School-Based Incidents (AWR 148) - 20230413 Thu, Apr 13, 2023 8am to 4pm Freshman LGI 276 E 68th Place Merrillville, IN 46410
- ICS 300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (Multi-Days) Mon, Apr 17, 2023 Whitley County Government Center
- ICS 400: Advanced ICS Command & General Staff (Multi-Days) Thu, Apr 20, 2023
- Crisis Management for School-Based Incidents (AWR 148) Mon, May 8, 2023 8am to 4pm Greensburg City Hall, Multi Purpose Room
- TAHP TRAINING and Meeting (Multi-Days) Wed, May 17, 2023 9am Made Center
- Medical Management for CBRNE Events (PER-211) - 20230518 (Multi-Day) Thu, May 18, 2023 Parkview Education Center Auditorium BC
- Working with the Media (AWR 209) (Multi-days) (Waitlisted) Thu, Jun 1, 2023
- ICS 300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (Multi-Days) Wed, Jun 7, 2023 Jay County Security Center
- Joint Region 5 & 7 ASPR MRC Regional Conference Mon, Jun 12 - Wed, Jun 14. More details & registration to come as IDOH receives from ASPR
- Tri-State Cities Readiness Initiative (CRI) Summit Tues, Jun 13 - Wed, Jun 14 8:30am to 5:00pm The Florence Nature Park Event Center Florence, KY
- Mass Fatalities Planning & Response for Rural Communities (AWR-232) - 20230621 Wed, Jun 21, 2023 Indianapolis International Airport 2475 South Hoffman Road Building 54

To view all ACADIS trainings online: [CLICK THIS LINK](#)

PPE and supplies available

The IDOH high quantities of PPE, lab and vaccination supplies are still available for order on the Langham portal at this time. Messaging has been sent out to LHDs, hospitals, first responders, FQHC's, LTC's, jails, schools, dentists and labs. Please continue to share with other healthcare providers or frontline services.



IDOH ORDER ENTRY PORTAL GUIDE INSTRUCTIONS
Link to access portal: Sign In | Langham Portal ([elangham.com](#))

If you are a first time user, you will need to click "Register" and fill out the required information to be granted access. The registration key is **ISDH21**.

For additional assistance ordering please contact Pam Blasdel at mobile: 317-607-2562 or pblasdel@health.in.gov

Great Success

School Narcan saves a young life in Clark County

On February 14, 2023, a car pulled in to the Borden Police Station with a young woman in critical condition. The car was notified inside the station that the woman was overdosing. After rushing to the passenger seat of the car the woman was found unconscious, unresponsive, and her lips were turning blue. At this time an ambulance was called, however dispatch advised it would be 20-30 minutes before arrival.

Borden, Indiana is a small town approximately 30 minutes north of Louisville with a population of 786, and until now the Borden Police had routinely sourced Narcan from the volunteer fire station just down the street. However, on this particular Tuesday no one was available to access the fire station's Narcan.

Having started CPR, Borden police quickly searched for another source of Narcan. Chief of Police Brian Meyer called the nearby Borden Junior and Senior High School where, fortunately, staff had received both Narcan and training from the Clark County Health Department school liaison.

Two doses of Naloxone were run by foot across the train tracks and street by the school's assistant principal Toby Cheatham. Once on scene Cheatham administered the first dose to the young woman, but no improvement was observed in her condition so the second dose was given to the young woman and within 30 seconds she began to recover.

Fortunately, and because of the source of Narcan at the school, the combined efforts and quick thinking of police and the school staff, a young Hoosier's life was saved.

The following Thursday, Clark County Health Department partnered with the Borden Fire Department in hosting both Narcan and Stop the Bleed trainings.

District and Local Readiness

Program Updates

April 2023 brings us to the beginning of the last quarter- Budget Period 4 (BP4) - for both Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) and Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) as well as the end of year two for the School Liaison grant. District and local readiness (DLR) staff are busy assisting local health departments (LHD) and healthcare coalitions (HCC) with the completion of Attachment A requirements, and are applying for funding to increase the year 1. In other exciting news, DLR will be preparing to start the new grant year July 1. In other exciting news, DLR will be applying to fund the current capacity of existing Indiana Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) Units and to recruit new units while we re-energize the Indiana MRC Program.

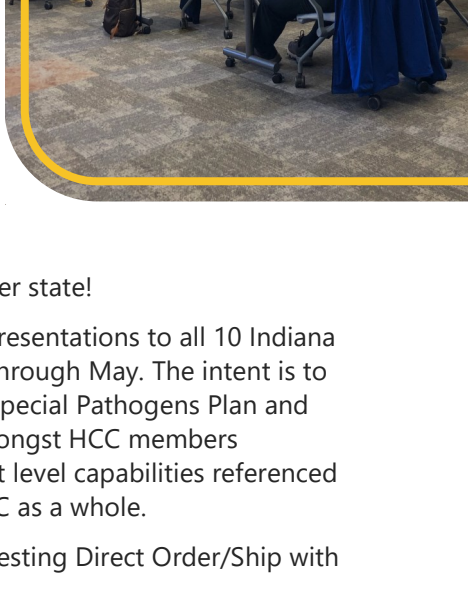
As a reminder to all sub-recipients: please set aside time this last quarter to reconcile all BP4 invoices submitted. Your assigned coordinators are more than happy to assist you in ensuring all invoices submitted have been received.

IDOH DEP Region 5 Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response (ASPR) coordinators for a two-day Indiana site visit that included collaboration, highlighting Indiana successes, and discussing challenges faced, and was followed up with our amazing Region 5 ASPR friends touring the IU Health Methodist Special Pathogens Unit along with our Indiana HCCs. Our own ASPR Method 5 SNS Coordinator Tiffany Mulvihill even was chosen to participate in donning and the ever-so-important doffing. Thank you, ASPR, for visiting the Hoosier state!

In partnership with IU Health Methodist, IDOH conducted Special Pathogens presentations to the high 10-Indiana HCCs beginning in January and running through May. The intent is to bring awareness of the newly released Special Pathogens Plan and allow for conversation to take place amongst HCC members regarding their specific roles and district level capabilities referenced in the plan as well as the role of the LHD as a whole.

IDOH DEP is working to pilot the LHD Testing Direct Order/Ship with a few LHDs.

IDOH DEP is applying for an ASPR MRC-STTRONG in an effort to fund existing Indiana MRC Units and assist interested LHDs in building capacity. More details to follow as we approach the ASPR deadline of April 30.

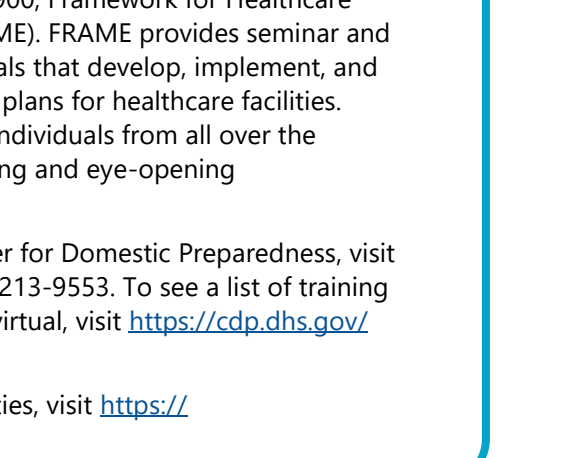
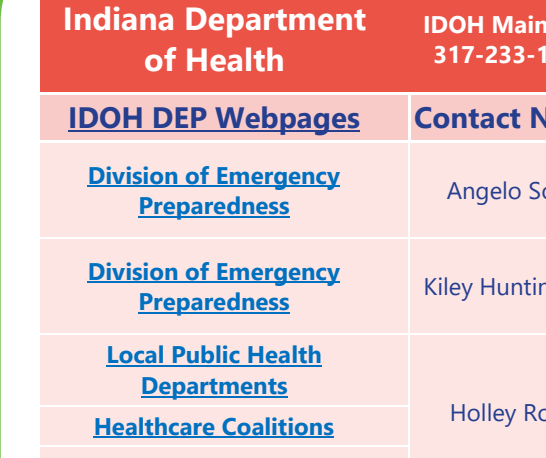


Planning and Preparedness

Planning Team attends Homeland Security Training

On March 5-10, the Planning and Preparedness Team was in Aniston, Alabama for trainings at the Center for Domestic Preparedness (CDP). The CDP develops and delivers advanced training for emergency response providers, emergency managers and other government officials from state, local, tribal and territorial agencies. The CDP offers more than 50 training courses, focusing on emergency response to terrorist acts, catastrophic natural disasters, mass casualty incidents, hazardous materials and incident management. Training at the CDP campus is federally funded at no cost to state, local, tribal or territorial emergency response professionals or their agencies.

Training and Exercise Coordinator Garrett Anderson (below, center) took part in PER-902, Hospital Emergency Response Training for Mass Casualty Incidents (HERT) with the Integrated Capstone Event (ICE). HERT provides functional training for using HICS while running a hospital treatment area for a mass casualty incident with patient contamination. Planning and Preparedness Manager Derek Sebald, Planning Supervisor Isaac Skooglund, and Medical Countermeasures and Infectious Disease Program Manager Colette Jacob (above) took part in AWR-900, Framework for Healthcare Emergency Management (FRAME). FRAME provides seminar and tabletop exercises for individuals that develop, implement, and maintain emergency response plans for healthcare facilities. Connections were made with individuals from all over the country and many brainstorming and eye-opening conversations were had.



To learn more about the Center for Domestic Preparedness, visit <http://cdp.dhs.gov> or call 866-213-9553. To see a list of training available in-person as well as virtual, visit <https://cdp.dhs.gov/training>

To see EMI training opportunities, visit <https://training.fema.gov/emi.aspx>

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