



Buckner Project Connect

April 30, 2016

Results

A huge thank you to everyone who made the first Buckner Project Connect a huge success! This is a good faith effort of the Summary of Services provided.

- 95 volunteers including service providers, agency personnel attending, & volunteers from public
- 117 different people signed in and 61 were from Buckner, 37 from Independence, 3 from Sibley, 4 from Kansas City, and the other 12 from the surrounding area. There were approximately 300 people that attended the event including children and spouses that didn't receive services.

Services provided included:

- 21 dental patients were seen with 35 teeth extracted. 13 vouchers were given to the Live Well Community Health Clinic for patients that were unable to be seen.
- 10 vouchers were given out to the Department of Motor Vehicles
- 5 immunization vouchers were given out
- 1 prescription was filled
- 117 exit bags were given out containing items such as toilet paper, toothbrushes, toothpaste, bath soap, shampoo, deodorant, etc. Retail value of each exit bag was \$15.
- 47 haircuts were given
- 44 people were given information for Veterans Services
- 33 people were given information for behavioral health services
- 65 people were given information for Section 8, Weatherization, & Utility Assistance
- 25 people were aided with Medicare assistance
- 75 people received information on Affordable Care Act, Medicaid/Medicare enrollment & 9 appointments were made with the Affordable Care Act Coordinator
- 30 people received information on free legal services
- 26 chiropractic adjustments were done
- 30 hearing screenings were done
- 4 Parents as Teachers screenings with 2 referrals to Title IX and speech
- 2 containers were filled with old prescription drugs for the National Drug Take Back Day
- Approximately 20 people asked to pray with the pastors from the United Methodist Church and the First Baptist Church
- Approximately 400 hot dogs were given out to guests prepared by Heart of God Church
- 200 lunches were provided to volunteers
- **MUCH, MUCH, MUCH** more with very **FEW** incidents and/or issues!

Some of the subjective comments we have received include

- "God Bless you all for helping us in need! Thank You!"
- "This was an awesome event, I was put in contact with agencies that I didn't know were in this area!"
- "Love my new haircut!!"
- "Wonderful event! Thank you so much for all of the services in one place. Please do it again soon!"
- "Everyone was so willing to help and go out of their way for whatever I needed!"
- "Loved having the **War Room** movie shown at the church!"
- "I don't have transportation, so having all of the resources in one place was a huge help to me!"

- “I have been needing dental care for a long time and unexpectedly got my first haircut in 7 years!”