

June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Greetings!

**It is Project Connect time again!**



The Health Care Collaborative of Rural Missouri and Live Well Community Health Centers are excited to host the 5<sup>th</sup> annual one-day public health service Odessa Project Connect event **on Monday July 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.** This 5th annual event is for underserved and uninsured adults that are in need of being connected to all kinds of services in this one-stop-shop, day of hope! We **need** your help to make the event successful for everyone!

We will have dentists available to do free dental extractions (no cleanings). Anticipated services offered include: free haircuts, mental health screenings, Veteran's services, vouchers for driver's licenses and birth certificates, manicures and many other services by organizations such as yours to disseminate information and provide free services to our neighbors in attendance connecting them to resources that day and raising awareness of what is available to them. Diagnostic Imaging will also be onsite with their Mobile Mammography unit along with the Community Blood Center blood drive.

**Each booth will have a table and 1 or 2 chairs.** All booths must be set-up between 7:45 and 8:00 am Monday morning the day of the event and if you participate, you ***MUST STAY*** until the event ends AND START YOUR TEAR-DOWN NO EARLIER THAN 2:00 pm on Monday. We anticipate 80 to 100 Guests to attend (last year, there were (120). We will help a LOT of people, meet many needs and give a LOT of hope! A free lunch, bottled water and snacks will be provided to Volunteers and Service Providers.

Would you please help make the Odessa Project Connect event successful? Your organization is invited to participate by providing health information, informational/interactive booths, social services, and/or health screenings. Attached you will find a response sheet to return by mail or email. **Please return your participation sheet by Friday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021 to be included in the map and other material—the sooner the better!**

This event is sponsored by the Health Care Collaborative of Rural Missouri, Live Well Community Health Center, REACH Healthcare Foundation, and West Central Electric Roundup Foundation. Please plan to attend and provide services!

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by email or call on my direct line at (660) 214-2851 or Shelly Harden at 660-214-2869. **Also, please feel free to share this information** with any other organization that you know serves the Odessa area, Lafayette County, Eastern Jackson County, North Johnson County and invite them, too!

Thank you for all that you do for our communities! I look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

Chris Carney  
Health Care Collaborative of Rural Missouri Community Health Worker

**P.S. Please let me hear from you ASAP!**

# Odessa Project Connect

Monday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

The event will be held  
at Odessa High School  
713 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Odessa, MO



**All organizations must be set up by 8:00 am on Monday, July 19th.** Everyone having a booth **MUST STAY** until the event is over at 2:00 pm—please, do NOT leave early.

**RESPONSE SHEET:** Please fill out the sheet below and return **Friday, July 9<sup>th</sup>**.

Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Contact Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Yes, I need **electricity**. If yes, you will need to bring your own extension cords.

**You will need to provide your own hotspot if you need access to Wi-Fi.**

Screenings or other information you will be providing at the event: \_\_\_\_\_

(We ask that ALL services provided are free of charge for the event that day.)

**Please return this form ASAP:**

E-mail: [shelly.harden@hccnetwork.org](mailto:shelly.harden@hccnetwork.org) or [chris.carney@hccnetwork.org](mailto:chris.carney@hccnetwork.org)

Or FAX to 660-251-6565 Attn: Shelly or Chris.

Forms must be received by July 9<sup>th</sup> for you to be included on the final map and flier. **Mark Your Calendars:**