

Central Region HHI December 2010

Faulkner County

No Report Available

Garland County

No Report Available

Grant County

Held annual celebration on December 1 in conjunction with a community health fair.

Lonoke County

The winners of the annual poster contest that is coordinated with the Lonoke County schools were announced and published in the five local community newspapers. The coalition also presented information to parents, teachers and administrators at the Cabot school board meeting. The poster contest and community calendar is done in collaboration with the Lonoke County schools to promote physical activity, nutrition, tobacco, and other healthy choices to improve overall health.

Perry County

Launched their "Spit Tobacco Stinks" Facebook page.

Pulaski County

North Little Rock

No report available. Administrator out on extended sick leave.

Jacksonville

No report available

Southwest Little Rock

No report available

Midtown

No report available

Saline County

No report available. Administrator position currently vacant.

Support Staff

The Central Region HHI Support staff continues to work with the coalitions throughout the region to provide them with the technical assistance and resource information they need in order to assist them with their projects and programs.

We have secured dates for six of our eight mini conferences that we will be conducting in the Central Region. The topics that will be discussed at the conferences will include "HHI 101" and "Tobacco Trends." We will be working with the coalition hosting the mini conference for the HHI presentation for them to highlight some of their past successes and future projects. We hope to assist the coalitions in bringing member recruitment that goes along with their goals from their last QM tool.

We are working closely with Perry County on their sponsorship request. They will be hosting a Teen Summit again this year to provide junior and senior high youth with educational information and skills to help them make healthy choices in order to establish or maintain healthy lifestyles.

We are working on install news for the remainder of the year. One of the main ones that we are working on will be installed in April to help promote World No Tobacco Day on May 31.