In 2018, the Springdale Health Department continued our growth trajectory, implemented new programs, and engaged the community through the Springdale Community Health Improvement Committee (CHIC) and the Mosquito Control Program. The Springdale Health Department worked with the CHIC committee to implement the 2017 Springdale Community Health Improvement Plan.

Meaningful steps were taken towards the goal of obtaining accreditation by the Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB) by mid 2020, as mandated by the Ohio Department of Health. Specifically, the Springdale Health Department applied for PHAB Accreditation. Two representatives of the Springdale Health Department attended the required PHAB training in Alexandria Virginia. Further, over 50% of the documents for the twelve PHAB domains were completed by the end of calendar year 2018.

The Springdale Quality of Life Improvement Committee emerged from the Willows Work Group, with a mission to improve quality of life for all residents of the community. Some of the Springdale Quality of Life Improvement Committee’s successful programs in 2018 included:

- A well attended Second Annual Spring Sports Camp at Heritage Hill Elementary School in April 2018
- The second annual Family Celebration in April 2018
- A successful School Supply and Book Bag Drive to benefit elementary school students in Springdale

In 2018, the Springdale Hotel and Motel Committee continued to strive towards increased safety, health, and economic vitality at the hotels and motels in the City of Springdale. The Springdale Health Department, Police Department, Fire Department, Building Department, Economic Development Department, City Administration, and the Owners/Operators of Springdale Hotels and Motels met routinely to share information and take positive action towards our common goals and vision. Since the inception of the Springdale Hotel/Motel Committee in late 2015, two hotels have been remodeled, two are conducting remodels, and one hotel is scheduled for remodel.

The Springdale Health Department began the Coalition of Springdale Churches in September 2018. The Coalition formed a shared list of resources, to distribute among the faith based partners, based upon the priorities and community needs outlined by the Coalition members. The Coalition also received grant funding from Prevention First, which will be used to provide training opportunities to Coalition members in 2019.

The Springdale Health Department (SHD) received over $45,700 through participation in the following grants and health programs:

- The Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) grant. Sub-grantee under Hamilton County Health ($3,427)
- Accreditation and quality improvement grant payments from the Ohio Department of Health ($17,400)
- Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program through the Ohio Department of Health ($24,932)

The City of Springdale’s Nuisance Animal Control Program was very active in 2018. The program allowed for the free loan of animal traps and provided the service of a licensed nuisance animal control contractor to remove captured skunks and raccoons from the property of Springdale residents. In 2018, 141 nuisance animals were captured and removed through the program.

The Springdale Health Department staff worked with the Mayor of the City of Springdale, the Springdale Police Department, the City of Springdale Administration, and representatives of several city departments on the Springdale Offering Support Holiday Program. The SOS Holiday Program assisted 81 families and 246 children by providing toys, clothing, and food for the holidays. The generosity of the Springdale community and the hard work of the SOS Board members resulted in assistance to every qualifying applicant for the 2018 SOS Holiday program.

The successful influenza vaccination program in the City of Springdale likely contributed to a reduced rate of influenza associated hospitalizations for Springdale residents in 2018. Additionally, the Springdale Health Department Swimming Pool and Spa program was surveyed in 2018 and received substantial compliance status with the Ohio Department of Health. The Springdale Health Department hosted student interns from the MPH Programs of Wright State University (WSU) and Western Kentucky University in 2018. The student interns provided assistance with the Springdale Health Department’s PHAB Accreditation Program.
Administration and Staff

Springdale Board of Health

**Members**

- Mayor Doyle Webster, President
- Mr. Scott Garrison
- Mrs. Rita Hart
- Mrs. Lynn Jones, President Pro Tem
- Mr. James Squires
- Dr. Kevin Ketring

**Term Expires**

- Term of Office
- December 2019
- December 2021
- December 2019
- December 2019
- December 2021

The Springdale Board of Health meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m., from September to May. BOH meetings are open to the public and are conducted in the council conference room of the Springdale Municipal Building.

Dr. Barry Webb is the Medical Director for the Health Department. Holly Emerson serves as Council representative to the Board of Health. Joseph Braun of Strauss Troy LPA provides legal counsel for the department.

**2018 Health Department Staff**

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**Staff Training Report**

In 2018, the Health Department staff participated in over 128 hours of training and/or educational activities. The training ranged from public health conferences to specific trainings in areas such as Addiction Prevention and the Public Health Accreditation Program. General training categories included: Emergency Preparedness, Reportable Diseases, Nursing, Public Health Accreditation, Health Promotion, Addiction Prevention, and Environmental Health programs.
Annual Statistics

Revenue and Expenditures

The 2018 Springdale Health Department revenue of $112,600 represented an decrease of $3,700 over the 2017 revenue of $116,300. The decreased revenue resulted primarily from the loss of CRI grant funding, a decrease in nursing revenue, and a decrease in food license revenue. The losses were offset by an increase in grants and Medicaid Administrative Program funding (MAC). The 2018 annual budget expenditures for the Springdale Health Department were $423,950, representing an increase of $29,050 over the 2017 expenditures of $394,900. The increased expenditures primarily resulted from expenses associated with the Public Health Accreditation Program (PHAB) and salary increases, resulting from annual performance evaluations and a COLA increase (to adjust for inflation).

Disease Prevention Programs

Inspection Programs

Food Safety
Public Swimming Pool and Spa
Hotel / Motel
City Jail
Schools

Tattoo and Body Piercing Operations
Nuisance Control
Rabies Control
Emergency Preparedness
Immunization Program

Inspection Programs

Food Protection

The Health Department performs the state-mandated food program requirements as set forth in the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) and Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). In March, the Health Department issues Food Service Operation/Retail Food Establishment and Vending location licenses to all food businesses within Springdale. These state-mandated programs require routine inspections of each facility.

In 2018 the sanitarians conducted 295 inspections in the 93 Food Service Operations including two mobile units. There were 38 inspections in the Retail Food Establishments and 9 inspections in the 8 vending locations. The sanitarians also conducted re-inspections and consultations as needed. At times, the inspection frequency of Food Service Operations/Retail Food Establishments may be increased in order to ensure code violation compliance.
Environmental Health Programs

Food Service Establishment Plan Review

In 2018 plans were reviewed for seven new food operations in Springdale:

- **Cincy Crab**
  East Kemper Road
- **La Michoacana Bakery**
  Northland Boulevard
- **Mi Cozumel**
  In Tri-County Mall
- **Mi Tierra Supermercado**
  West Kemper Road
- **Taqueria El Monarco**
  Princeton Pike
- **Vida Soluable**
  Northland Boulevard
- **Yihi Japan**
  Tri-County Mall

Food Safety Training

In an effort to prevent food-borne illness and educate local food operators, the Health Department provides food safety training to food employees. For managers, the Health Department offers the ServSafe® two-day Manager’s Certification, in which thirty-one participants were trained and three additional exams were administered to update an existing certificate. Eight employees were trained in the 3-hour ServSafe® Employee training course.

Public Swimming Pool / Spa Inspections

In 2018, Springdale Health Department conducted 50 inspections and five re-inspections of the 11 swimming pools, one spa, two wading pools, and one water slide.

Hotel / Motel Inspections

Sanitarins annually inspect the five hotel/motels within the city for health and safety in accordance with Board of Health Standards. Common areas and guest rooms are inspected for cleanliness and overall maintenance. Re-inspections occur as needed.

Springdale Hotel/ Motel Committee

The Springdale Hotel/ Motel Committee was formed with a mission to increase safety, health, and economic vitality at the hotels and motels in the City of Springdale. Representatives of the Health, Police, Fire, Building, Economic Development and Springdale Administration meet routinely with Springdale Hotel and Motel operators to share information and take steps towards the mission of the Springdale Hotel/ Motel Committee.

School Health and Safety Inspections

The Springdale Health Department conducts school environmental and safety inspections twice a year in the public schools: Springdale Elementary and Heritage Hill Elementary, and two private schools: Calvary Christian and Cincinnati Center for Autism in Springdale. Inspections are conducted using local regulations adopted by Springdale in 2010.

Tattoo / Body Piercing Inspections

Sanitarins routinely inspect the Piercing Operation, “Body Jewel,” located in the Tri-County Mall and the Tattooing Operation, “Lynn’s Permanent Makeup School and Spa,” located on Sheraton Lane for health and safety compliance.

City Jail

Springdale Health Department inspects the city jail annually for health and safety compliance.
The Health Department responded to 113 nuisance complaints in 2018, down 17 from 130 complaints in 2017. Twenty-three concerns were noted regarding housing, and six involved animal-related issues. There were twenty-one food-related concerns and eighteen insect, rodent, and/or bed bug complaints. Fourteen were related to sewage or water issues, five were refuse/garbage, three concerns were related to pools/spas, ten complaints were mold related, eight were related to hotel/motel concerns, and five were general public health nuisance complaints. All concerns prompted further investigation and/or referral by the SHD staff.

Emergency Preparedness Planning

In 2018, the Health Department received $3,400 in Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) grant funding. These funds originate from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and are administered by Hamilton County Public Health. The purpose of the PHEP funding is to assist public health in building its emergency preparedness capacity.

Rabies is a viral disease that can affect animals and people. The strain of rabies associated with raccoons is of particular public health concern because it can affect other wild animals and pets. The rabies virus is found in the saliva of affected animals, most often raccoons, skunks, and bats. The virus is spread by a bite or scratch. The Springdale Health Department investigated eleven reports of animal bites this year, including nine dogs and two bats. Three specimens were submitted to the Ohio Department of Health for rabies testing in 2018. Eight animal bite reports were investigated in 2017 and eleven were investigated by the Springdale Health Department in 2016. To date, Springdale has not had an animal test positive for rabies.

The Health Department provides a learning center at the annual Children's Health Fair titled “Take the Bite Out of Rabies.” This interactive bean bag toss game is designed to teach children about the rabies virus, the importance of vaccinating pets, the reason to not approach wild animals, and why not to touch them, especially if they appear ill.

The Nuisance Animal Control Program provides Springdale residents with the use of ‘Have-a-Heart’ traps and covers the cost of the removal of skunks and raccoons from residential property by a licensed nuisance wildlife control contractor. One hundred forty one nuisance animals were removed from Springdale residences in 2018 through the program, including 104 skunks and 37 raccoons. The Springdale Health Department also canvassed neighborhoods with information on nuisance animals and rabies prevention in response to constituent nuisance animal concerns in 2018.
Health Education / Promotion Programs

The Springdale Health Department improves community health by offering direct services and community health education. Springdale Health provides or participates in the following programs and activities:

- Health Care Home and Office Visits
- Health Screening Programs
- Children’s Health Fair
- Smoke-Free Workplace Program
- Mammogram and Mobile Health Vans
- Springdale Offering Support (SOS)

Health Care Home and Office Visits

We recognize the at-risk nature of the elderly and functional needs populations within Springdale by offering home health care visits by our public health nurse. The Springdale Health Department fills in the gap in the health care needs of our at-risk residents. Residents receiving home visits include those who may be suffering from chronic illnesses such as hypertension, cardiovascular disease, and diabetes as well as those who need assistance with medications, self care, vital sign checks, and emotional support. In 2018, 11 residents received a total of 68 home visits on a routine basis. Several residents and employees were seen by the nurse in the office for a total of 43 visits that included blood pressure checks, review of medications and/or health education consultations.

Health Screening Programs

Blood Pressure Checks

The Springdale Public Health Department provides blood pressure checks for both residents and employees. This service is offered in the office, as part of a home visit, at the Springdale Community Center, and at the Springdale Seniors meeting. This year, the nurse made a total of 190 blood pressure/pulse checks of 61 different clients at the Community Center. Routine blood pressure monitoring is a good example of preventive health care. Offering this service is a great way to promote good health for both residents and employees.

Tuberculosis Screening

The Health Department offers PPD skin tests to rule out the presence of tuberculosis. Patients that show a suspicious reaction are sent to Tuberculosis Control (TB Control) for a follow up which includes a chest x-ray and/or medication. Of the 13 people tested, three were referred to TB Control for additional testing.

Lipid–Glucose Screening

Fasting blood lipids (cholesterol and triglyceride) and glucose (sugar) testing is an effective way to detect and monitor high lipid and glucose levels that could be a precursor to other chronic health problems such as heart disease and diabetes. In 2018, a total of four lipid-glucose tests were performed on four Springdale residents. The test screens for cholesterol, triglycerides, High Density Lipoprotein (HDL), Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL), and blood glucose.
Immunizations

In order to maintain or reduce levels of vaccine preventable diseases, we continue to offer immunizations to our residents. In the fall, the flu vaccine was given to Springdale residents, employees, and/or their immediate family members by the Springdale Health Department nurse. Utilizing the services of Walgreens Pharmacy, the Health Department also made it easy and convenient for persons of Medicare age to receive their flu vaccinations during the fall flu clinic conducted at the Community Center. The Health Department remains an important community resource for providing uninsured and Medicaid insured individuals with immunizations that are often required for school attendance. Client records indicate that approximately 51% of clients served in 2018 were uninsured. During visits to the Health Department office, the following immunizations were provided to clients throughout the year:

- Diphtheria, Tetanus, Acellular Pertussis (Dtap) 02
- Tetanus, Diphtheria (Td) 27
- Tetanus, Diphtheria, Acellular Pertussis (Tdap) 38
- Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR) 18
- MMR, Varicella (MMRV) 19
- Inactive Polio Virus (IPV) 22
- Pneumo (PCV 13) 14
- H. Influenza type b (Hib) 0
- H. Papillomavirus (HPV) 92
- Hepatitis B (HBV) 53
- Hepatitis A 85
- Varicella (Chickenpox) 38
- Meningococcal (MCV 4) 59
- Meningococcal (Men B) 00
- Rotavirus 01
- Pediarix 00
- Pentaceal 14
- Kinrix 6
- Influenza 201

Safe and Healthy Work Place

The City covered the cost of and the Health Department provided free flu vaccinations to Springdale City employees and members of their immediate family. From October 1 through December 31, 63 employees and family members were given the flu vaccination.

On an ongoing basis, the Health Department also provides city employees with blood pressure screenings, information about prevention of illnesses, balanced nutrition, adequate activity and referrals to their doctors. This information is provided on an individual basis, on bulletin boards, via e-mails, through informational brochures, as well as handouts.

The Health Department nurse assists with the Springdale Health Incentive Program (S.H.I.P.). In 2017, SHIP provided fresh fruits to several city departments on numerous occasions for “Free Food Fridays”. Walking was encouraged during the “Healthy Ohioans Walk” in May 2018 at the Springdale Community Center Walking Trail. “Lunch and Learn” programs provided a nutritious lunch and an engaging discussion about healthy eating and active living. The 2018 weight loss competition program encouraged employees to maintain their current weight or lose weight.

Communicable / Reportable Diseases

In 2018, the public health nurse received notification of 17 communicable diseases. These included:

- Hepatitis C 38 cases
- Hepatitis B 11 cases
- Hepatitis A 5 cases
- Shigellosis 1 case
- Salmonellosis 3 cases
- Campylobacteriosis 2 cases
- Viral Meningitis 2 cases
- Influenza (hospitalized) 19 cases
- Legionella 1 case
- Cryptosporidiosis 1 case
- Malaria 1 case
- Strept. pneumonia 7 cases
- West Nile Virus 1 case
- Varicella 3 cases
- Chlamydia 102 cases
- Gonorrhea 20 cases
- Syphilis 15 cases

Follow-up and education about reportable communicable diseases according to the guidelines of the Ohio Department of Health and CDC were provided to affected residents. The public health nurse contacts persons who have laboratory-confirmed reportable diseases to obtain information to determine possible sources of an illness and to provide education to prevent the spread to others in the family, community, daycare, and/or school. The Health Department continues to utilize the online Ohio Disease Reporting System (ODRS) to report and monitor new cases of communicable diseases. The Health Department may also receive communicable disease information from the state via the Ohio Public Health Communication System (OPHCS) or locally via the SW Public Health Infectious Disease Call Center operated out of the City of Cincinnati Drug and Poison Center.
Children's Health Fair

Springdale Health Department collaborated with Sharonville Recreation, Princeton Schools, and Springdale Recreation to present the 25th annual Children's Health Fair on May 18, 2018 at the Community Center. The theme was “Giant Steps to a Healthier Me.” The fair served 529 third-grade students from local public and private schools through twenty-one interactive learning centers. Each learning center had an educational message which encouraged children to make responsible decisions for healthy lifestyles. The evaluations filled out by the adult chaperones at the fair came back with very positive comments.

Mammogram Vans

The Mercy Health Mobile Mammography Unit (Mammogram Van) visited the Springdale Community Center in April and December. Mammograms were performed on eight women during the visits. According to the American Cancer Society, one in eight women will develop breast cancer in her lifetime. A mammogram is able to detect breast cancer in its earliest stages, up to two years before a lump can be physically felt. The Health Department will continue to coordinate with Mercy Health, TriHealth, and University Hospital in order to host mobile mammogram vans at regular intervals so that residents can count on routine availability and convenience of local mammography.

Healthy Moms and Babes Van

The Healthy Moms and Babes Van visited the Willows of Springdale Apartments on a twice monthly basis to provide free pregnancy testing, free STD testing (gonorrhea and chlamydia), doctor referrals, home visiting referrals, health screens for blood pressure and blood sugar, assistance with insurance and social services, and health education (prenatal, postnatal, nutrition and more).

Springdale Offering Support (SOS)

The Springdale Health Department continues to be the point of contact for Springdale Offering Support (SOS). SOS is a non-profit organization, initiated by the City of Springdale, which includes representatives from local agencies, churches, organizations, businesses, and concerned citizens in the Springdale area. SOS coordinates community resources and unites individuals and families with elements of help and assistance within Springdale and surrounding areas. SOS relies solely on tax deductible donations in order to fund the assistance it provides. The SOS “Adopt a Family” holiday program is an example of the group’s mission. Food, gifts, and gift cards that were donated by sponsors were provided to 81 needy local families including 246 children.

Community Events

Latino Expo

On October 14, 2018, the Springdale Health Department participated in the fifth annual Latino Expo by coordinating the numerous booths in the Health Assessment and Information Area.

Approximately 300 participants were offered blood pressure checks, blood glucose tests, flu shots, and information about the various health services available in this area. During the event, the Springdale Health Department provided 77 flu shots to attendees during the Expo. Partners at the event included Mercy Fairfield Hospital, the HealthCare Connection, Dr. Gonzalez, DDS, Dr. Valencia, Audiologist, and the University of Cincinnati Medical School. Several community partners provided interpretation services.

Annual Health Fair

On October 9, 2018 members of the community had the opportunity to obtain their yearly flu vaccination and/or have their blood pressure, blood glucose, weight, BMI, and hearing assessed at the Annual Springdale Health Fair held at the Community Center. Sixty eight flu shots were provided to attendees. Residents obtained blood glucose tests, participated in blood pressure screenings, and hearing screenings/consultations. The Springdale Health Department partnered with local businesses including Miracle Ear, Walgreens, and Pro-Scan Imaging.
Springdale Quality of Life Improvement Committee

In May 2018, the Willows Work Group became the Springdale Quality of Life Improvement Committee, with a mission to improve quality of life for residents across the City of Springdale. The following programs were conducted in conjunction with the committee:

**Community Health Improvement Committee May—July 2018:**

Representatives from the City of Springdale, the Springdale Board of Health, Humana, the Faith Based Community, the Springdale Business Community, and the local non-profit community met with residents of the City of Springdale in the summer of 2018 to develop plans for the implementation of the 2017 Community Health Improvement Plan. Specifically, plans were developed to implement programs and services to address Access to Healthcare, Health Literacy, and Addiction Prevention and Education, the top three health priorities in Springdale as outlined in the 2017 Springdale Community Health Improvement Plan.

**Family Celebration at Heritage Hill School**

April 13, 2018. Hundreds of residents joined the Springdale Health Department and community partners to obtain information, enjoy refreshments, and participate in fun.

**School Supplies and Backpack Initiative**

The Springdale Health Department partnered with the Princeton Closet, Medisync, First Financial, Costco, Springdale Offering Support, Macy's, and the Princeton City School District to supply book bags and school supplies to children in need at Heritage Hill Elementary School and Springdale Elementary School.

**2018 School Supply and Book Bag Drive**

Thanks to Springdale community partners Medisync, Sam's Club, First Financial, and Macy’s for partnering with the Springdale Health Department and for Princeton Closet to provide school supplies and book bags for children in need at Princeton City Schools. Hundreds of Princeton students will benefit from the generous efforts of these community partners.

**Prevention Grant Funding in Conjunction with Prevention First and Interact for Health**

In 2018, the Springdale Health Department provided Prevention First with extensive health and epidemiological data for the community. Prevention First provided the Springdale Health Department with the opportunity to join several grant applications as a result. Accordingly, several Prevention First grants have extensive outreach in Springdale for 2019-2021.

**2018 Public Transportation Campaign**

Based upon the opportunity to improve public health and increase quality of life the Springdale Health Department began a campaign to increase public transportation options. Specifically, the Springdale Health Department requested that SORTA provide additional Metro Bus service on Chesterton Road, Crescentville Road, and the Princeton Pike.

**Produce Pop Ups with the Freestore Foodbank**

The Springdale Health Department offered the first Springdale Produce Pop Up in December 2018 at Higher Ground Ministries on Crescentville Road. These programs were scheduled to continue into 2019 with the intent to serve 150-200 families at each event, which would be held monthly. The Produce Pop Up Program funding was provided by the Freestore Foodbank and Feeding America.

**FREE PRODUCE POP UP!!!!**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2018**

**9:00 – 11:00 AM**

**HIGHER GROUND MINISTRIES**

**1391 E. CRESSENTVILLE ROAD**

**SPRINGDALE, OHIO**

**THIS PROGRAM PROVIDED BY:**

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Mosquito Control Program

In order to prevent mosquito-borne illness and to educate Springdale residents, the Springdale Health Department conducted a Mosquito Control Program in 2018, focused on health education. Specifically, the program began by providing informational flyers (the ODH ‘Fight the Bite’ Prevent Mosquito-Borne Diseases trifold flyer and the ODH ‘Fight the Bite’ Prevent Tick-Borne Disease trifold flyer) and BTI mosquito dunks to residents. The initial education campaign was primarily accomplished through residential canvassing and by engaging residents in a discussion about mosquito control at several community meetings. The Mosquito Control Program also included response to constituent concerns about potential mosquito breeding locations (e.g., abandoned residential swimming pools).

PHAB Accreditation and Quality Improvement Program

In response to a mandate from the Ohio Department of Health, the Springdale Health Department continued to take steps towards National Public Health Accreditation through the Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB) in 2018. Over 50% of the documents for the twelve domains of PHAB were completed in 2018. Representatives of the Springdale Health Department loaded began loading documents into the E-PHAB online system. The Springdale Health Accreditation Coordinator and Health Commissioner attended the mandatory PHAB Training in Virginia during the summer of 2018.

2018 Spring Sports Camp at Heritage Hill School

April 10-13, 2018. Over 300 children enjoyed a week of soccer, basketball, and fun. The program was a collaboration between the Springdale Health Department, Humana, the Vineyard Cincinnati Church, and the Princeton City School District. Sponsors of the event included Sam’s Club, Target, Kroger’s Springdale Ice Cream and Beverage, Chick-fil-A Springdale, Chili’s Springdale, Chipotle at Tri-County Mall, Smithfield, and many other community partners.

2018 Spring Sports Camp

10th Springdale Health Department, the Vineyard Church, Humana, and Princeton Schools collaborated with the Springdale Recreation and Parks Department to provide the 2018 Spring Sports Camp at Heritage Hill Elementary School from March 26 through March 29, 2018. Sponsors included Sam’s Club, Humana, Target, Kroger, Chick-fil-A, Chipotle, Chili’s, and Dunkin Donuts.

Hundreds of children from both Heritage Hill and Springdale Elementary Schools attended the sports camp, along with over 30 organizational volunteers who served as event volunteers. Cincinnati Bengals Tight End Jermaine Gedeon, the Cincinnati Bengals Minicamp, ‘Who Do?’, Children’s Hospital, and the Chick-fil-A Crew joined the sports camp during the week. Special thanks goes to Oscar Cummings of FC Cincinnati and Tom W. Adams of the NBA for spending the entire week inspiring the children through sports.

Thanks to the Vineyard’s ‘Healing Center’, La Vina Church, the Southwest Ohio (Ohio Football Coaches), the Healthcare Coalition, St. Croix Presbyterian First, and the Willow Family Resource Center for providing information to Springdale families through a workshop session that was held during the sports camp.