# **HANDOUT E**

## **BUILDING A CULTURE OF HEALTH**



ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE (ABI), UAMS FAY W. BOOZMAN COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH (COPH), ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH INITIATIVE (MHI), \*TOBACCO PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAM (TPCP), TOBACCO SETTLEMENT MEDICAID EXPANSION PROGRAM (TS-MEP), UAMS CENTERS ON AGING (UAMS-COA), UAMS EAST REGIONAL CAMPUS (UAMS EAST)

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### **EDUCATION**

49,394
EDUCATION ENCOUNTERS

11,865

YOUTH ENCOUNTERS

MHI, TPCP, UAMS-COA, UAMS East





The MHI sponsored Camp iCAN in June, a three-day program for Arkansas youth that offers activities, workshops, and exercises to promote healthy eating, physical activity, and self-confidence development.

689

HEALTH PROFESSIONALS & STUDENTS EDUCATED

ABI, COPH, TPCP UAMS-COA, UAMS East





K-3 STUDENTS VIEWED PROGRAM ON DANGERS OF VAPING





DISTANCE-ACCESSIBLE COURSES OFFERED BY COPH





70

UAMS

**COPH GRADUATES** 

2

WPB

**GASP GRADUATES** 

### **SERVICE**



be well

1,104

ARKANSANS ENROLLED IN SMOKING CESSATION VIA BE WELL ARKANSAS

34% FY23 SMOKING QUIT RATE VIA BE WELL ARKANSAS

The TPCP reported 3,751 enrollees in tobacco cessation in FY23 via the Be Well Arkansas Call Center, with a quit rate of 34.33%, the highest quitline rate in the nation.



BY TS-MEP





Blue Umbrella Farmers Market in June 2023 featured produce and crafts from the state's Human Development Centers.

1,667

PATIENT ENCOUNTERS

UAMS-COA, UAMS East



12,214

EXERCISE ENCOUNTERS







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### **RESEARCH**

#### UAMS.

College of Public Health

**PROJECTS** 





Ongoing research addresses topics such as cancer treatment, reducing tobacco exposure, developing telehealth resources for rural communities, and diabetes treatment.





Katy Allison, PhD, MPH, assistant professor in the COPH was selected for the KL2 Mentored Research Career Development Scholar Awards Program. The KL2 program is for UAMS junior faculty and is led by the UAMS Translational Research Institute. Through the KL2, Allison will receive two years of research support and training as she conducts a study that will improve access to care for pregnant women in rural Arkansas.

Arkansas BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE

#### ABI CONTINUES RESEARCH ON DIVERSE HEALTH TOPICS



This quarter, ABI continued to support groundbreaking and diverse research projects by top-notch scientists across the five member institutions.

### ABI TO IMPROVE ACCESS TO ARKANSAS APCD

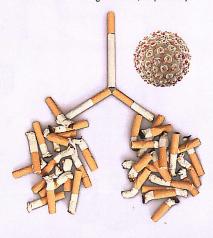
Kenley Money, director of information systems for the Arkansas Center for Health Improvement (ACHI) continues to work with the ABI director on various applications for the All-Payer Claims Database that will include helpful user tips and online training, which includes a proficiency test for all new users.





### MINORITY RESEARCH CENTER SUPPORTS TOBACCO STUDIES

Currently, the MRC is providing support to two funded projects with the Community Clinic in Northwest Arkansas and Philander Smith College on the topics of utilization of tobacco treatment in a healthcare setting and tobacco use during COVID-19, respectively.



### **ECONOMIC IMPACT**



MATCHING FUNDS



Revenue generated from UAMS East Family Medical Center







\$730,582

Leveraged by UAMS-COA, equal to \$1.50 per ATSC \$1



\$28,568

Community Partner Donations to UAMS-COA



\$21,313

Grant from the Geriatric Workforce Enhancement Program to support UAMS-COA