

# Department of Public Health & Social Services

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FY 2011 CITIZEN CENTRIC REPORT



## MISSION STATEMENT

To assist the people of Guam in achieving and maintaining their highest levels of independence and self-sufficiency in health and social welfare.

## ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

The Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) was established on July 1, 1964 which makes DPHSS forty-eight years old. The Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC) in Inarajan has been in existence for over 20 years, first opening its doors in 1984. The Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC) in Dededo was established in 1998.

The Seal of the DPHSS is in the shape of a traditional Chamorro sling-stone with one latte stone pillar on each side (signifying the Divisions of Environmental Health/Senior Citizens and within, two helping hands next to the latte stones (signifying the Division of Public Welfare and a medical winged caduceus international medical symbol in the center (signifying the Division of Public Health).

Guam Public Law 28-80 - Natasha Protection Action of 2005 which prohibits smoking in public places; Executive Order No. 2007-18 which mandates all Government of Guam workplaces to be tobacco-free; and Guam Public Law 30-63 - Prohibits smoking within twenty (20) feet of an entrance or exit of a public place where smoking is prohibited.



#### **FY 11 DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS**

- 532,013 meals were served through the Elderly Nutrition Programs to about 2,092 program participants
- Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Fair Total of 102 families seen and 388 individuals which included children zero to five years of age
- Staff participated in the Salvation Army 2011 Homeless Count for the central and northern villages
- Hawaii Shriners Hospital for Children and Orthotics team conducted clinics and saw 600 children
- Increased the number of Immunization Clinics and Outreaches in the summer prior to the start of school
- Chronic Disease and Control Program Health Fairs
- National Citation from Food and Nutrition Services US Dept. of Agriculture recognizing Guam Quality Control as one of the top states with completion rate of Quality Control Reviews of over 98%

# **PERFORMANCE**

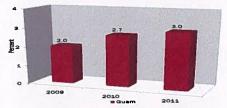
sion of Senior Citizen Program Accomplishments Clients Served		d	Units of Services			
Program	FY 2011	FY 2010	FY2009	FY 2011	FY 2010	FY2009
Case Management	2,211	2,119	2,021	28,900	21,649	16,925
Legal Assistance	1,624	1,313	895	3,012	4,377	4,263
Transportation Services	3,235	2,991	2,373	116,823	107,865	94,305
Senior Center Operations	2,829	2,819	2,635	185,308	177,429	172,829
Elderly Nutrition - Congregate	2,622	3,452	3,317	202,045	235,541	186,649
Elderly Nutrition - Home-Delivered	3,607	2,508	2,420	329,968	346,416	344,530
In-Home Services	1,139	1,036	929	44,875	43,478	41,443
Adult Day Care	199	204	229	155,197	135,762	122,882
National Family Caregiver Support Program	693	545	458	23,369	17,929	14,608
Adult Protective Services (w/Emergency Receiving Home)	267	218	158	17,831	20,326	15,930
Information, Referral and Assistance	907	881	1,157	36,511	11,487	10,913
Disease Prevention Health Promotion	894	893	841	894	893	1,958
Medication Management (For FY 2010, data includes Liberation Day Parade Contacts)	2,284	4,507	2,386	2,284	4,507	2,386

#### **Guam's Health Today: Heart Attack**



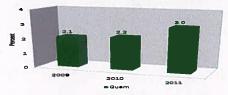
Source BRFSS 2009-2010

#### **Guam's Health Today: Heart Disease**



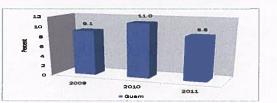
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#### **Guam's Health Today: Stroke**



Source: #RFSS 2009-2010

## Guam's Health Today: Diabetes



Source: 8RFSS 2009-2010

DEH # of Services	FY 2011	FY 2010	FY 2009
Inspections	951	899	892
Foodborne Illness Investiga-			
tions	1	0	4
Plan Review	498	523	428
Pre-Operation Inspections	567	553	515
Consultations	1,098	1,230	1,043
Total Services	3,115	3,205	2,882
DEH # of Certificates	FY 2011	EV 2010	EVOCOC
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Health Certificate	31,444	32,706	30,542
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**Total Certificates** 

35,760

37,499

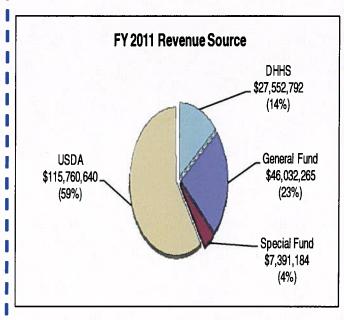
35,232

Division of Public Welfare - Total Average Caseload by Program			
Fiscal Year:	FY 2011	FY 2010	FY 2009
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	13,884	11,595	9,065
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	1,372	1,264	1,081
Adult Programs	224	448	457
General Assistance Program	566	446	401
Medicaid	8,239	7,745	6,906
Medically Indigent Program (MIP)	5,902	5,491	4,519

### **FINANCIAL REPORT**

## FY 2011 Revenues - Where Did Our Funds Come From?

There are three main funds in DPHSS; the General Fund, the Federal Funds, and the Special Funds. The General Fund (100) is the primary fund from the local government. The Federal Funds are granted from the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) and US Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). The Special Fund consists of various programs that help fund the DPHSS. These programs include the Community Health Centers (105), Health Professional Licensee (241), Health and Human Services (270), Controller Substance (272), Environmental Health (600), and Healthy Futures (602). Special Funds accounts are for revenues that are restricted to specific purposes.



Division/Bureau/Section	FY 11 Gen Fund Expenditures	FY 10 Gen Fund Expenditures	
Office of the Director	\$400,851	\$2,591,180	
Chief Public Health Office	\$3,000	\$195,786	
Community Health Services		\$104,072	
Communicable Disease Control	-	\$12,402	
Professional Social Services		\$4,228	
Primary Care Services	\$2,399	\$178,136	
Family Health and Nursing	\$962	\$74,230	
Medically Indigent Program	\$15,727,524	\$93,647	
Foster Care	\$1,871,531	\$1,524,332	
Division of Senior Citizens	\$208,194	\$184,171	
Adult Protective Services	\$468,125	\$473,456	
Division of Environmental Health	\$552,666	\$502,973	
Financial Management Services	\$187,414	\$164,713	
Supply Section	\$120,502	\$86,993	
Management Support Services	\$167,391	\$155,239	
Facilities and Maintenance	\$872,206	\$950,594	
Systems Group	\$286,820	\$381,792	

## FY 2011 AND 2010 EXPENDITURES COMPARISON

SOURCE	FY 2011	FY 2010
General Fund	46,032,265	52,697,580
Special Fund	7,391,184	7,320,878
100% Federal USDA	115,760,640	105,286,970
100% Federal DHHS	27,552,792	21,653,302
Total	\$ 196,736,881	\$ 186,958,730

Office of Public Accountability 2011 Financial Audit which only reflects DPHSS FY 2011 general fund expenditures and does not include federal grants.

In FY11, \$115,760,640 where USDA issued to SNAP (formally known as the Food Stamps Program) recipients to enable them to increase their food purchasing power using SNAP benefits that are redeemed at authorized retail grocery stores throughout our island. SNAP provides for the basic nutrition assistance benefit for low-income people. The primary mission is to increase food security and reduce hunger. SNAP benefits are 100 % federally-financed.

These are the funds that comprise the Department of Public Health and Social Services' budget for F.Y.2011. It allows DPHSS to serve the community of Guam. The Independent Audit and the Single Audit were performed by Deloitte & Touché and released by the Office of the Public Accountability (OPA) for year ending September 30, 2011. For more information, you may visit the Office of Public Accountability's website at http://www.guamopa.org/.

## **FUTURE OUTLOOK**

Guam is experiencing an epidemic of Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs) such as heart disease, stroke, cancer, and diabetes. The burden of these diseases, including their associated risk factors, has surely affected each and every family in the island of Guam. In May 2010, the Pacific Island Health Officers Association (PIHOA) declared a regional state of health emergency due to the epidemic of NCDs in the six US Affiliated Pacific Islands (US API), including Guam.

Despite all these barriers, it is important to point out that Guam has valuable assets which are keys to successful program implementation. These assets drive current NCD initiatives for Guam. A strong asset that Guam possesses is DPHSS' strong leadership and partnerships with various government agencies, businesses, non-profit and faith-based organizations that are all highly motivated and well versed in community health issues. Partnerships also include regional and national support to help advance various health initiatives on Guam. Most are supportive of community health initiatives to include those that target chronic disease prevention and control, and related risk factors. Consequently, because of the poor state of health in our island, these organizations have gravitated towards each other to address and provide solutions on complex community health problems by providing programs, activities and other health services.

Guam NCD Plan: A great example of collaborative efforts was the process used to develop the NCD Strategic Plan for Guam through funding from the Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC), a non-government organization based in Noumea, New Caledonia. Multiple partners, coalitions and representatives from the various sectors were engaged to identify and prioritize critical health concerns related to the incidence and prevalence of chronic diseases on Guam. A Community Forum was

conducted in January 2011 wherein each action team presented action plans for their respective focus addressing the risk factors such as smoking, nutrition, alcohol, physical activity, and obesity (SNAPO). The community was able to provide input in prioritizing the activities being addressed in the first ever developed Guam's NCD Strategic Plan. These efforts also led to the establishment of the Non-Communicable Disease (NCD) Consortium.





Guam Food Safety Education Month Fair



2012 Commissioner's award from the Administration on Children, Youth and Families



DPHSS Volleyball Team



## WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU

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