

INSTALL GAZETTE

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Milam County Public Health Preparedness

A lot of people are unaware that there is a Public Health Preparedness Program in Milam County. This program is here for the good of the Community. As the Public Health Preparedness Coordinator, I work diligently to make sure that in case of a disaster, we, as a community are prepared. I cannot stress enough that without the help from the community volunteers, it would be hard to overcome this. When we as a community are prepared to detect or respond rapidly to threats, we are better protected. As we all know, this not only takes communities to come together but all of Milam County as a whole to be better prepared. We are needing to increase our list of volunteers to be trained and to be ready to respond. I know that we will all come together when a disaster happens but our volunteers need to know what job tasks will be required and a better understanding of what role, as a volunteer, might be needed. The Public Health Preparedness Coordinator, Monica Stewart and Emergency Management Coordinator, Susan Reinders, will be hosting a training open to all residents in Milam County interested in becoming a volunteer on Monday, April 28, 2014 at Bea's Kitchen in Cameron from 6:00 PM- 7:30 PM. If you have any questions or comments do not to hesitate to contact Monica Stewart at (254) 697-7092 or email mstewart@milamcounty.net.

Maribel Gonzales, ImmTrac Specialist, for Milam County has information on how ImmTrac and the important role of obtaining your shot records anywhere in the state of Texas. ImmTrac, the Texas Immunization registry, is a free service offered by the Department of State Health Services. ImmTrac is a secure and confidential registry available to all Texans. ImmTrac safely consolidates and stores immunization information electronically in one centralized system. Texas law requires written consent for ImmTrac participation and limits access to the Registry to only those individuals who have been authorized by law. ImmTrac contains several million immunization records and continues to rapidly grow with increase participation. For more information please contact Maribel Gonzales at (254) 697-7039.

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Milam County Health Department
(254)-697-7039

Public Health Preparedness
(254)-697-7092

Milam County Emergency Mgmt
(254)-697-7060

Extension Agent
(254)-697-7045

HELPFUL WEBSITES:

www.ready.gov

www.cdc.gov

www.milamhealth.com

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CLINIC HOURS

**MONDAY & WEDNESDAY-CAMERON 8-5
TUESDAY & THURSDAY – ROCKDALE 9-12 & 1-4:30**