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**DR. WILLARD C. SCRIVNER
PUBLIC HEALTH
FOUNDATION**



*Improving Health
Through Prevention*



Willard C. Scrivner, M.D.
Founder
1987 – 1998

Dr. Scrivner devoted his life's work to promoting the health of others and was committed to improving the quality of life for all of the citizens of this county.

He set an example of how the community, health professionals, and government must work together for the public's health.

DR. WILLARD C. SCRIVNER
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HISTORY/INTRODUCTION

On November 21, 1996, the St. Clair County Board of Health established the Dr. Willard C. Scrivner, Public Health Foundation. The Foundation is a non-profit, non-partisan organization that works with the Board of Health as a public/private partnership to develop private funding sources for priority public health issues. The Foundation is named in honor of the late Dr. Willard C. Scrivner, a retired obstetrician and long time public health leader.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Foundation is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors representing businesses, health professions, churches, civic organizations, and health consumers. The Board of Health President serves as Chair of the Foundation. The Board of Health, with the concurrence of the County Board Chairman, appoints additional members to the Foundation Board, who are selected based upon their commitment to public health, interest in the community, and demonstrated leadership.

MISSION/GOALS

MISSION:

To increase the capacity of the St. Clair County Board of Health, St. Clair County Health Care Commission, and associated agencies to promote self-responsibility, healthy lifestyles, prevention of disease and improvement of public health through an organized program of assessment, policy development, planning, education, quality assurance, and service demonstration.

GOALS:

To assist in the attainment of the mission, goals, and objectives of the Health Board and Commission.

To establish a public/private partnership to receive and expend funds for public health purposes.

To develop alternative funding sources, which can be used to meet emerging public health needs for which no traditional funding is available.

LEGAL STATUS: The Willard C. Scrivner, M.D. Public Health Foundation is a registered (501(c)3) organization

Personal Health Services extends its thanks to the Scrivner Foundation for funding “Ways to Wellness” personal planners. With Scrivner funding, Personal Health Services purchased 1,500 planners and distributed them during the March of Dimes Prematurity Awareness Month Campaign. In addition Illinois Public Health Association AmeriCorp member Tia Britton assembled 135 educational bags for expectant mothers. The St. Clair County Health Department, Southern Illinois Healthcare Foundation, Washington Park and Centreville served as education sites. Nine students from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville volunteered. Each site contained displays, brochures and educational bags. Bilingual materials were available.

The Dr. Willard C. Scrivner Public Health Foundation website continues to develop and evolve as a tool for public awareness and education for the Foundation. Please visit our website for Foundation news, fundraisers and scholarship information: www.wcscrivnerfoundation.org

St. Clair County's Health Care Summit

When the St. Clair County Health Department began its third round of the Illinois Project for Local Assessment of Needs (IPLAN) in the spring of 2005, members of the assessment and planning team did not set out to create a bold vision to become one of the Healthiest Counties in the nation by 2020. Yet, something synergetic happened along the way as the 16 affiliate organizations representing the County's Health Care Commission started a new journey towards health using the NACCHO model known as MAPP (Mobilizing Action through Planning and Partnership). That synergy is what St. Clair County came to refer to as *Community Connectedness*. It serves as a unifying theme for the Commission each year as they work together to address the seven strategic health issues identified in the County's IPLAN.

Mari Gallagher, author of "Examining the Impact of Food Desserts In Public Health in Chicago," joined the local effort in 2010 as the keynote speaker and lead facilitator for the St. Clair County Health Policy Summit in November.

Summit participants consisted of local mayors, legislative and county elected officials, school administrators, principals and teachers, city planners, business leaders and other community and faith-based organizations who resolved to work together to create "built environments" and policy changes that facilitate active living and healthy eating. This ongoing effort is just one part of the County's *Get Up & Go!* Health and Wellness Campaign and the Commission's 2020 vision to become one of the healthiest counties in the United States.

The event was co-convened by members of the Scrivner Foundation, Health Care Commission and the *Get Up & Go!* Campaign

EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION

EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER

Eugene Briggs, Laurie McCoy, Andrea Mueller & Sally Scherer

EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

Eugene Briggs

BEST OF THE BEST

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

Graduating High School Seniors

Initiated in 2000, the Scholarship Award Program has once again awarded scholarships to worthy high school seniors. The Foundation scholarships recipients in 2010 were: **Molly Etlng (Freeburg High School); and Sara Harrier (O'Fallon Township High Schools).** Entries for the Scholarship Program were submitted by graduating high school seniors from St. Clair County who plan to attend an Illinois or Missouri institution to pursue a career in a health related field of study. Entries were judged by a panel of Foundation members and each of the three students were awarded a \$1,000 scholarship to be paid directly to the institution in which the student is enrolled. Dr. Tracey Biermann, Chairman for the Foundation stated, *"We are proud to support education during these difficult economic times. All of our scholarship winners haven chosen a future in a health career. Our investment will pay dividends to the community for years to come."*



Dr. Jan Attala Allen Public Health Nursing Scholarship



The **Dr. Jan Allen Public Health Nursing Scholarship** was presented to **Teresa Andres**. Ms. Andres was awarded \$1,500. The Foundation awards a scholarship annually to a professional nurse from St. Clair County who is pursuing an advanced educational degree in community health.

FUNDRAISERS

SPRING INTO HEALTH DINNER

The Scrivner Public Health Foundation held its annual Spring Into Health Dinner on April 16 at the Four Points by Sheraton in Fairview Heights, IL. Guests were entertained by folksingers Dave Para and Cathy Barton. The theme of the dinner was “How to Stay in Tune Without Being Strung Out.” The keynote speaker was Dr. J. Kevin Dorsey, Dean and Provost of Southern Illinois University School of Medicine.

The event raised about \$4,600. Thank you to everyone who participated or donated to our annual Spring Into Health Dinner. Your participation is a strong indication of your participation in the health and wellbeing of the citizens of St. Clair County.

ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

September 11 was the day of the Annual Dr. Willard C. Scrivner Public Health Foundation Golf Tournament which was held at Locust Hills Golf Course in Lebanon. Thanks to the many teams who participated and their generosity, we raised about \$4,800.

WOW! A huge thank you to all of our supporters!



Foundation Board members Rev. Annie Clark and Steve Wigginton



2010 Carolyn Chapman Distinguished Service Award

Dr. Willard C. Scrivner Public Health Foundation

Dr. Salil Kumar Gupta

Throughout his career in Neonatology, Obstetrics, and Gynecology, Dr. Salil Kumar Gupta has made a significant contribution to the overall quality of life and well-being of the community. Dr. Gupta has a strong history of commitment to his community. He volunteers at the Southern Illinois March of Dimes, participates on the St. Clair County Health Commission, and is active in Rotary International.

Dr. Gupta serves as volunteer chair of the Southern Illinois March of Dimes Programs and Services Committee. He is actively involved in the Pre-Term Labor tool kit initiative, which provides standardized assessments in diagnosing preterm labor for health care professionals.

He serves as an Associate Professor in the Department of Pediatrics, Division of Neonatology at St. Louis University School of Medicine. He was awarded an Air Force Commendation Medical Award for providing round-the-clock medical coverage for three years.

Dr. Gupta has worked tirelessly to form a Level II+ NICU at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, the only such unit east of the Mississippi. Dr. Gupta serves as Chief Medical Officer and Neonatologist at St. Elizabeth's and has privileges at St. Louis Children's Hospital.



Dr. Salil Kumar Gupta and Carolyn Chapman

DR. WILLARD C. SCRIVNER PUBLIC HEALTH FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND FUND BALANCE – CASH BASIS
For the Year January 1, 2008 Through December 31, 2010

REVENUES

Donations	\$ 396
Golf Tournament	7,780
Spring Dinner	10,435
Trivia night	1,591
Other	1,284
Dividends	9
	<u>21,495</u>

EXPENSES

Scholarships and sponsorships	\$ 3,500
Fundraisers	
<i>Spring Dinner</i>	5,615
<i>Golf</i>	2,850
Program	
<i>Postage</i>	448
<i>Printing</i>	117
<i>Youth Board</i>	617
<i>Employee Recognition</i>	2,725
<i>Planners</i>	3,802
<i>T-shirts</i>	1,046
Other	
Accounting	525
Office	1,001
Insurance	1,325
Registration Fee	25
Investment	60

EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	<u>(1,891)</u>
BEGINNING NET ASSETS	<u>49,811</u>
ENDING NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 47,920</u>

Our Donors

Weilmuenster P.C.	Laborer's Local # 100	St. Louis Blues
Tom Keefe P.C.	Kohnen Concrete	Stonewolf Golf Course
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Hospice of Southern Illinois	Warner-Witter-Kreisler-Gregov	Dr. Herschel L. Garrett
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THANK YOU

SUMMARY

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