

Health Plan of Michigan Supports Monroe County Lead Testing Event

Every employee at Health Plan of Michigan participates in community outreach activities. Don't believe it? It's true. If you attended the Monroe "Celebrate Children" annual event on Saturday, April 26, you would have seen a perfect example of HPM's team approach.

Health Plan of Michigan participates in this event every year and last Saturday was no exception. We set up our tables and equipment, and began lead testing children who had not previously been tested. Which HPM employees were performing the lead testing? None other than the President and CEO of Health Plan of Michigan, Dr. David Cotton. Testing along with him were the Director of Care Management, Laurie Good, RN and the Manager of Quality Management, Janet Pope, RN. Other staff from the health plan providing critical administrative support and keeping it all organized were Brittany Poore from Member Services, Brunilda Lumaj from Medical Management, Mary Orlando, the Manager of Provider Services and Natalie Williams, Provider Services Representative for the region. Last but certainly not least, our very own COO, Shery Cotton participated in the event as well.

Health Plan of Michigan is committed to our outreach programs. From top to bottom, our organization believes in doing whatever it takes to improve the health and well being of our members. The participation of its employees is crucial to HPM's success and that participation includes everyone, regardless of position, title or role within the organization.

So, how many children were tested at this event? The answer is 42 children!! Were they all HPM members? The answer is no; but they were all tested, regardless of which health plan they are assigned to. All HPM employees are very excited to be able to participate in our communities and contribute to the health of the children who live there.