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Southern Nevada Health District Services Update

LAS VEGAS – Due to the closure of its main facility as a result of an engineering report that found the main building lacks an internal support system, the health district has relocated services to its outlying public health centers. Updated information on service availability is also available on the health district website at www.SNHD.info or by calling the health district's information line (702) 759-INFO (4636). Helpline information is available in English and Spanish. The health district has also created a new section of its website for one-stop building closure information. The direct link is www.southernnevadahealthdistrict.org/building-closure.php.

New service updates:

- The monthly Boys and Girls Club immunization clinic at the James Clubhouse, 2530 E. Carey Ave. in North Las Vegas, will resume Thursday, May 24. Clinics are the **fourth Thursday of the month**.

Previously announced service updates:

- A 60-day grace period for health card renewals is in effect for cards that expired on or after Monday, April 16. The grace period does not apply to health cards that expired prior to that date. Clients who received a temporary health card on or after Monday, April 16 and are required to see the food safety movie now have 60 days instead of 30 days to do so.
- Clients requesting immunization records should fax requests to 868-2825.
- The food safety movie is available on Saturdays at the Cambridge Community Outreach Center. Movie times are 9 a.m., 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. Clients must sign in, they must present a valid form of identification (*visit www.SNHD.info for acceptable forms of ID*). Clients must arrive 30 minutes before the movie begins. Seating is limited. Clients who present their 30-day temporary health card will receive their permanent health card or receive proof they have attended the movie. No other health card services will be available on Saturday.

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EAST LAS VEGAS PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER

560 N. Nellis Blvd., Suites D1 & E12

Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

(Friday services are limited to birth & death certificates, health cards, immunizations and HIV/STD testing.)

Birth & Death Certificates: 759-1340

Health Cards: 759-1340

- Tuberculosis Testing
- Barber health cards; notary services are not available

Nursing & Clinic Services: 759-0900

- Birth Control (by appointment)
- Emergency Contraception
- HIV/AIDS Testing (blood test only)
- Immunizations
- Travel vaccines (until 3:30 p.m.)
- Pregnancy Testing (walk-in)
- STD Testing* **Clients should arrive by 3:30 p.m.**
- Kids' Clinic (by appointment, call 759-0896)

* For results of a HIV or STD test given at the Gay and Lesbian Center or Richard Steele Boxing, call the phone results line at 759-0733. For results of a STD test given at the STD Clinic, a clinic staff member will contact all clients with **positive** results to arrange for treatment. Those clients with negative results will not be contacted. If your contact information has changed since your appointment, leave a message at 759-0807 with your name, date of birth, date of visit and phone number. If you would like a printed copy of your results, go to the East Las Vegas or Henderson Public Health Center. You will need a valid photo ID and the cost is \$3 per copy.

HENDERSON PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER

520 E. Lake Mead Pkwy.

Birth & Death Certificates: 759-1515

Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Environmental Health

Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

- Food & Beverage Establishments
 - East & Henderson: 759-0501
 - Strip Properties: 759-0620
- Food Plan Review: 759-1259 or 759-1258 (recording)
- Special Programs: 759-0677
 - Child Care Facilities
 - Public Water Systems
 - Schools
 - Tattoo, Permanent Makeup & Body Piercing

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HENDERSON PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER (cont.)
520 E. Lake Mead Pkwy.

Nursing & Clinic Services: 759-1040

Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

- Birth Control (by appointment)
- Emergency Contraception
- HIV/AIDS Testing (blood test only)
- Immunizations
- Pregnancy Testing (walk-in)
- STD Testing* **Clients should arrive by 3:30 p.m.**

SHADOW PROFESSIONAL CENTER

400 Shadow Lane, Suites 104 & 206

Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Environmental Health: 759-0600

- Individual Sewage Disposal System Plan Review/Parcel Map Plan Review by appointment: 759-0660
- Permitted Disposal Facilities
- Public Accommodations
- Solid Waste Plan Review
- Solid Waste and Compliance
- Subdivision Plan Review
- Landlord/Tenant Hotline: 759-0697
 - Vector Control Hotline: 759-1633
 - Mobile Home/RV Parks
 - Public Accommodations
 - Summer Camps

SPRING VALLEY PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER

6330 W. Spring Mountain Rd.

Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Environmental Health: 759-0503

- Citizen Complaints
- Food & Beverage Establishments
- Pool plan review: 759-0571
 - Pool operator testing

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CAMBRIDGE COMMUNITY OUTREACH CENTER

3900 Cambridge St., Ste. 101 (closed for lunch from noon - 12:45 p.m.)

Monday - Thursday, 7 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Health Card Services (702) 759-1688 *(No other health district services are available at this location)*

Food handler movie Saturdays, 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m.

Updated information about the Southern Nevada Health District can be found on Facebook www.facebook.com/SouthernNevadaHealthDistrict, on YouTube www.youtube.com/SNHealthDistrict or Twitter: www.twitter.com/SNHDinfo. The health district is now available in Spanish on Twitter www.twitter.com/TuSNHD. Don't have a Twitter account? Follow the health district on your phone by texting "follow SNHDinfo" to 40404.