

RHIP and COVID-19 MINI-GRANT PROJECT SUMMARIES

COVID-19 Final Report for Jefferson County Public Health (Non-RHIP) “Prevent COVID19 for Jefferson County's Vulnerable”



Summary of Results:

- This project helped the target population, particularly elderly people with chronic conditions and disabilities and new mothers with babies, to improve their knowledge and experience of hand sanitizing, personal hygiene, and advocating for family members and others.
- For example, the Warm Springs’ team emphasized that the distributed supplies were enough to meet the requirements of the most-needy persons in their communities. Any remaining bars of soap were handed out to other community members in need.
- The 2,347 items of personal protective hygiene supplies of 13 varieties delivered to more than 267 vulnerable Hispanic people and Tribal Members.
- At the same time, in-kind contributed supplies including 110 hand-made masks and 15 gallons of hand sanitizer were distributed to 6 organizations to share with their members and neighbors.

Quotes:

“Better hygiene practices using our delivered supplies should be helpful to prevent further COVID-19 infection, as well as other influenza infection outbreaks, and reduce disproportionate exposure to COVID-19 infection. Thank you.”

“Our delivery teams received much positive appreciation from community members: “The supplies are useful long-lasting” & “Thankful” words to you.”