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Rural Health Office

An Inventory of Its Regional Coordinating Boards Files

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

- Agency:** Minnesota. Office of Rural Health.
- Series Title:** Regional coordinating boards files.
- Dates:** 1993-2001.
- Abstract:** Files documenting the organization and administration of six regional coordinating boards created in 1992 [Laws 1992 c549 art1 s6] to provide a means for providers, health plan companies, employers, consumers, and elected officials to react to policy changes which occurred as a result of health care reform.
- Quantity:** 4.7 cu. ft. (5 boxes).
- Location:** See Detailed Description section for box locations.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE RECORDS

The files include both general files detailing meetings and joint efforts of all the boards and minutes and subject files from each of the individual boards. Topics covered include rural health care, elderly care, tobacco reform, legislation, and health care delivery. The boards were sunsetted on June 30, 1999 [Laws 1999 c245 art2].

INDEX TERMS

These records are indexed under the following headings in the catalog of the Minnesota Historical Society. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Topics:

- Health care reform—Minnesota.
- Health services administration—Minnesota.
- Regional medical programs—Minnesota.

Rural elderly—Medical care—Minnesota.
Rural health services—Minnesota.
Tobacco use—Health aspects—Minnesota.

Organizations:

Minnesota. Dept. of Health.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

Note to Researchers: To request materials, please note the location shown below.

Location

111.A.10.1B Regional coordinating boards general files:
 All-Member Legislative Summits, April 26, November 22, 1996. 2
 folders.
 All Member Spring Summit, April 4, 1997. 2 folders.
 All Member Summit, December 10, 1997.
 Annual Reports, 1994-1997. 2 folders.
 Chairs' meetings files, 1995-1997. 7 folders.
 Includes minutes.

 Comparing Regional Coordinating Boards to Similar Groups, 1994.
 Correspondence, news releases, newspaper articles, 1995-1998.
 Efforts to change or disband regional coordinating boards, 1994-
 1998.
 Evaluation Advisory Group, [undated], 1998-1999.
 Evaluations, 1996-1998.
 Joint Meeting of Boards One, Two and Three, June 12, 1996, June
 18, 1997, June 3, 1998. 3 folders.
 Legislation and budget, 2000-2001.
 Member lists; Board chairs, 1993-1994, 1995-1997. 2 folders.

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- 111.A.10.1B Reports, 1993-1998. 2 folders.
Arranged chronologically.
Public Health in a Reformed Health System, September 1993.
Regional Coordinating Boards Interim Report, January 1994. 6
items.
One report from each of the six regions.
Procedure Manual for Tasks and Special Tasks, February 1994.
Monthly Reports for the Regional Coordinating Boards, 1995-
1998.
MinnesotaCare, A Comprehensive Summary of Health Care
Reform in Minnesota, 1992-1996, December 1996.
Evolution of Minnesota's Health Care Delivery System, January
1997.
Regional Coordinating Boards Staff Report, Summer 1998.
Statewide Issue Response, 1995-1996.
Structure, 1994-1998.
Transition, 1999.
Region One Regional Coordinating Board:
Minutes and meeting files, September 1993 - September 1995. 7
folders.
- 111.A.10.2F Minutes and meeting files, December 1995 - March 1999. 25
folders.
Special projects and resolutions.
Region Two Regional Coordinating Board.
Minutes and meeting files, October 1993 - March 1998. 23 folders.
- 111.A.10.3B Minutes and meeting files, May 1998 - March 1999. 6 folders.
Cholesterol Committee, 1997.
Correspondence, 1999.
Memorial resolution, 1997.
Provider tax information, 1996-1998.
Rural health care, April 1997.
Region Three Regional Coordinating Board.
Minutes and meeting files, September 1993 - April 1999. 17
folders.
Chamber of Commerce letter, April 1995.
Citizen Forums on Health Care, [undated].
Correspondence, 1997.
Dreams for Region 3, [undated].
Education plans, 1992-1995.

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- 111.A.10.3B Elderly health care, 1998.
Legislature, 1995, 1997.
Minnesota Health Reform Master Plan, June 1994.
Minnesota Office of Rural Health and Primary Care, An Assessment
of Program Needs and Responsibilities, December 1996.
Planning, 1998.
Public Forum, Alexandria, Minnesota, February 13, 1996.
Slide presentation, [undated].
Staff job description, 1996.
Statewide issue response meeting, July 18, 1996.
Tobacco Collaborative, Committee suggestions, [undated], 1996.
Tobacco information, 1997.
Tobacco Task Force, [undated], 1992-1997. 2 folders.
Tribal Elders Entitlement Project, 1993.
Urban HPSA [Health Professional Shortage Area], 1996.
Region Four Regional Coordinating Board.
Minutes and meeting files, September 1993 - April 1994. 2 folders.
- 111.A.10.4F Minutes and meeting files, May 1994 - May 1997. 9 folders.
Correspondence, 1993-1997.
Newspaper articles, 1996-1997.
Public health, 1994.
Tobacco Project, 1995-1996.
Region Five Regional Coordinating Board.
Minutes and meeting files, February 1993 - June 1999. 57 folders.
Subject files, 1993-1999. 2 folders.
Recommendations/resolutions, 1993-1999.
Reports, 1993-1994.
Preliminary Report and Work plan for July 1993 - June 1994.
Health Goals Mandate, January-August 1994.
- 111.A.10.5B Region Six Regional Coordinating Board.
Minutes and meeting files, February 1993 - April 1999. 55 folders.
Preliminary Report and Work plan for July 1993 - June 1994.
Public Hearing, June 9, 1993.
Recommendations, 1993-1997.