

SUPPORTING HANDS NURSE-FAMILY PARTNERSHIP QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



WELCOME TO THE TEAM

We are excited to share our new team member, Carolyn, who joined our team as a Nurse Home Visitor in Lincoln, Lyon and Yellow Medicine counties on *June 17th, 2024*. Carolyn is housed in Granite Falls, MN at Countryside Public Health. Carolyn comes with excitement to empower and educate women on a variety of health topics and to play a part in the next generation's first years of life!
Welcome Carolyn!

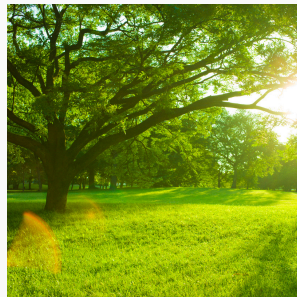
WELCOME CAROLYN!

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PARK MEET-UP EVENTS



SHNFP is offering *Park Meet-Up* events in 5 different locations throughout our service area this summer for current SHNFP clients enrolled in the program. Each event will include education, activities & time for social connection. Events will be held in Litchfield, Morris, Willmar, Montevideo, and Marshall this summer. Check out some of the photos on the bottom left side of this page to see the fun from Morris and Litchfield this month!

COME GROW WITH US!

SHNFP is hiring one nurse home visitor position in the Renville and Redwood service area.

If you know of any wonderful, caring nurses, please send them our way!

Direct them to our website www.shnfp.org, where you will find the full job description & application under the "employment" tab.

- Flexible Scheduling**
- Regular Work Week Hours**
- Paid Holidays Off**
- PERA Pension**
- Single Paid Health Insurance**
- Pretax \$ Contribution from Employer**
- Training & Continuing Education**



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MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PARTNER SPOTLIGHT

Supporting Hands Nurse-Family Partnership was recently highlighted in the Minnesota Department of Health's (MDH) Partner Spotlight in May. Our organization is currently one of MDH's family home visiting's 65 Strong Foundations grantees supported through federal and state funds. This funding helps support program implementation.

The full partner spotlight can be [viewed here](#).

JUNE IS GREAT OUTDOORS MONTH

Great outdoors month is celebrated in June and encourages people everywhere to enjoy the beauty of nature. Spending time outdoors offers many mental, physical and economic benefits. If you are looking for a few ideas to enjoy the outdoors, try one of the options we have listed below:

- *Blow bubbles outside*
- *Explore a local park or hiking trail*
- *Play in the sand*
- *Try catching a butterfly or firefly*
- *Go on a picnic*
- *Ride a bike or go for a walk*
- *Collect leaves, seashells, rocks or flowers*



For more information or to make a referral, contact:

320-287-2585 or

complete the

[Online Referral Form](#)

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SERVING FIRST-TIME PARENTS IN BIG STONE, CHIPPEWA, DOUGLAS, GRANT, KANDIYOHI, LAC QUI PARLE, LINCOLN, LYON, MCLEOD, MEEKER, MURRAY, PIPESTONE, POPE, REDWOOD, RENVILLE, ROCK, SIBLEY, STEVENS, SWIFT, TRAVERSE AND YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTIES