

## Community Informatics Activity

### Vital Statistics:

Go to <https://www.dph.illinois.gov/data-statistics/vital-statistics> and answer the following questions:

<p>1) What vital record events can be found on this website?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Abortion statistics can be found on this website</li><li>• Birth statistics can also be found on this website.</li><li>• This website also provides divorce statistics.</li></ul>
<p>2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?</p>	<p>A public health nurse can use this data to identify possible health disparities in a community.</p>

US Census Bureau:

Go to <https://www.census.gov/data.html> and answer the following questions:

<p>1) What information can be found on this website?</p>	<p><i>This website provides profiles, tables, and maps of the 2020 Census data.</i></p>
<p>2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?</p>	<p><i>A public health nurse can use this to access demographics, population, and economic data for a specific community.</i></p>

Coles County Health Department:

Go to <https://www.co.coles.il.us/cchd/index.html> and answer the following questions:

<p>1) What vital record events can be found on this website?</p>	<p>This website offers information related to public health for Coles County, including information from Charleston. This info includes communicable diseases and STD testing.</p>
<p>2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?</p>	<p>A public nurse may want to use this website for more information about STDs and spreadable <del>ill</del> illness in Coles County.</p>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:

Go to <https://www.cdc.gov/> and answer the following questions:

<p>1) What vital record events can be found on this website?</p>	<p>data and stats related to COVID-19, death and mortality, and immunizations can be found on this website.</p>
<p>2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?</p>	<p>A nurse can use this information to gauge the spread of COVID-19 in a specific community.</p>