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Community Informatics Activity

Vital Statistics:

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

1) What vital record events can be found on this website?	Abortion stats Birth stats Death stats Illinois Population Data Infant Mortality stats Marriage stats Divorce stats
2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?	used to track progress toward health goals

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US Census Bureau:

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

1) What information can be found on this website?	Community demographic information Annual surveys on economic information Available in narrative, chart, table form
2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?	PHN who is taking part in health planning for a community.

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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>Geographic location of services (fire dept, animal control) Listings of community health resources (clinic locations, services)</p>
<p>2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?</p>	<p>To be able to direct patients to their local services PHN may use these resources to improve the health within that region.</p>

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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>Disease information Prevalence of communicable diseases updates for travelers Immunization information</p>
<p>2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?</p>	<p>To give patients a source to review immunization information if they're seeking additional, reliable information.</p>

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