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Community Informatics Activity

Vital Statistics:

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

1) What vital record events can be found on this website?	Abortions 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:

1) What vital record events can be found on this website?	Geographic location of services (fire dept, animal control) Listings of community health resources (clinic locations, services)
2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?	To be able to direct patients to their local services PHN may use these resources to improve the health within that region.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:

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

1) What vital record events can be found on this website?	Disease information prevalence of communicable diseases updates for travelers immunization information
2) Why would a public health nurse use this website for information?	To give patients a source to review immunization information if they're seeking additional, reliable information.