



Clinical Services

Student Health has screened **841 international students** thus far, and we are continuing to see more!



Communications

Communications participated in **Destination Iowa State** last Thursday, took many **#ISUHealthySelfies**, and gave away hot/cold packs to freshman.



Lab/X-Ray



There have been **747 QuantiFeron Gold TB tests** ran in August. The laboratory gets two pick-ups per day from the State Hygienic Lab during our busiest week of the year.



Quality Improvement



Quality improvement officer, **Bridget Konz**, has begun coordinating policy and procedure review to prepare for our **upcoming survey**.



Physical Therapy

With the start of the **new semester**, physical therapy will be treating numerous students who have undergone surgery over summer break.



Administration



On campus **interviews** for the assistant director of administrative services have been completed. The associate director of clinical services position will close **September 7, 2015**.



Pharmacy

Flu vaccines have arrived!



Health Information Management



The health information management billing section is focused on testing and training for **ICD-10** implementation arriving on **October 1, 2015**.

specializing in **students: SART**

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— *Maria Pringle, ARNP, Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner*



Student Health’s nurse practitioners are on the **Story County Sexual Assault Response Team (SART)** as sexual assault

nurse examiners (SANE). SART consists of specially trained professionals from multiple agencies who work together to provide a community coordinated response to reports of sexual assault. SART strives to provide the **first response** to ensure a consistent, compassionate and professional initial contact for victims and to improve the likelihood of successful prosecutions.

Once a SART team is activated, a three-person team responds. These responders include a **sexual assault nurse examiner (SANE)**, a **sexual assault advocate**, and a **law enforcement officer**. All of the nurse practitioners at Student Health are trained SANE responders.

“When a student has been sexually assaulted it is imperative to have an environment where he or she feels comfortable and can get the best care possible,” said certified sexual assault nurse examiner, **Maria Pringle, ARNP**. “It is important that Student Health be a part of the coordinated community team for that reason.”

Nurses respond by evaluating and treating any injuries, as well as providing STDs and pregnancy prophylaxis. In addition, if requested by the individual, nurses can collect sexual assault evidence via a sexual assault evidence collection kit and then give the evidence to law enforcement.

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Story County SART Agencies include:

- Iowa State University Police Department
- Ames Police Department
- Story County Sheriff’s Office
- Nevada Police Department
- Huxley Police Department
- Story City Police Department
- ACCESS
(Assault Care Center Extending Shelter and Support)
- Mary Greeley Medical Center
- Thielen Student Health Center
- Story County Medical Center
- Story County Attorney’s Office