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Media Advisory

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Public Health Heroes Recognized

WHAT

As part of its annual celebration of National Public Health Week the Clark County Health District recognizes the contributions of individuals whose efforts have served to better the health and well-being of the community.

WHO John Gilbertson, M.D.

Dr. Gilbertson, a physician with the University Medical Center Lied Clinic, provided valuable assistance to the Clark County Health District Bioterrorism Preparedness Training Program. His support contributed significantly to the success of the program and is a benefit to the community.

Phillip Campbell & Don Johnson

Phillip Campbell and Don Johnson, members of the Plumbers and Pipefitters Union, volunteered their time to train environmental health specialists. Their contributions have helped to educate staff on water issues affecting commercial food operations and public pools.

Jeff Jordan

Jeff Jordan, a senior at A-Tech High School, is the leader of XPOZ, a youth advocacy coalition. Through his leadership the coalition has grown to include 800 members. He was instrumental in completing the group's strategic plan, facilitating meetings and planning the state's first youth anti-tobacco summit – "The Kick Ash Bash."

WHEN April 5, 2002

8:30 a.m.

WHERE Ravenholt Public Health Center – Auditorium

625 Shadow Lane, Las Vegas, Nev.

For more information contact the health district at 383-6172.

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