

2003 “Friend of Public Health Award” Recipient

Robert Clark, M.D.

List of Public Health Accomplishments and Collaborations

- Initiated the 5th District Medical Response Coalition (the first such regional coalition in the State of Michigan) in January, 2002. The State of Michigan has now patterned Regional Bioterrorism Planning Groups after the Medical Response Coalition initiated by Dr. Clark.
- Current leadership role (serving as Chairman) of the 5th District Medical Response Coalition.
- Designed and participated in the tabletop Bioterrorism scenario which was conducted by the Berrien County Emergency Operations Center (spring, 2002).
- Developed, tested and revised the Mass Casualty/Mass Fatality Plan for Berrien County. The Plan is now being considered the model plan for local jurisdictions around the State of Michigan.
- Active member of the Smallpox Planning Committee for the 5th District.
- Member of the Child Death Review Committee of Berrien County.
- Medical Examiner for Berrien County since May, 1988.
- Recognized as an authority on medical response issues on the local, regional, and state level.