

CASPER Team Members' Testimonials

- “I honestly hope that I am asked to do this again because I would do it in a heartbeat.
- Great experience! It was very rewarding to be out there serving the public in a more direct manner than normal.
- I really like the idea of having trained DSHS teams who can deploy rapidly and conduct these CASPER assessments post-disaster. Thanks for including me in this process. I look forward to future deployments.
- The families were very grateful to have someone come out and take an interest in their welfare.
- It was inspiring to reachout to a population with no transportation nor access to conventional media and provide them not only with good health education, but also to greet them and have a conversation with them that might help them to stay healthy.
- I learned to be humble, friendly and overall a nice person to get residents to participate with the survey.
- I really enjoyed the whole experience. Team members were motivated and generally positive and easy to work with.
- Not everything will work out perfectly but you do the best with what you have and having good and enthusiastic team members is a valuable asset.
- The people of the community were very open and welcoming and I expected to be shut out. I learned to expect the best from each person I approached.
- This was a wonderful experience for my first CASPER training & exercises. I have a better understanding of the process and more confidence to fulfill my obligations when needed.
- I learned a great deal about how to gain public health information from a community. I got to see how biostatistics is applied in real-life situations, and how the whole assessment was a collaborative effort.
- This was a completely new and exciting experience for me and I am so grateful to have participated in this assessment.”

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