**Meningitis – College Project - 2018**

**Meningitis educational materials:**

1. **Bacterial Meningitis in the United States**, 1998–2007. N Engl J Med. May 26, 2011; 364:2016-2025. General information about various forms of bacterial meningitis, and surveillance data through 2007

<http://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMoa1005384>

1. **Current Vaccine Information Statements–** includes VISs for both: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/current-vis.html>
   1. [Meningococcal ACWY (MenACWY and MPSV4)](https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/vis-statements/mening.html) (3/31/2016)
   2. [Serogroup B Meningococcal (MenB)](https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/vis-statements/mening-serogroup.html) (8/9/16)
2. **CDC website on various forms of Meningitis** (Viral, Noninfectious, Bacterial causes)  
   [www.cdc.gov/meningitis/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/meningitis/index.html)
3. **CDC website about Meningococcal Meningitis**: <https://www.cdc.gov/meningococcal/about/index.html> which provides info on both vaccines: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/vpd/mening/public/index.html>. These websites offer educational material about the disease and an opportunity to demonstrate background about meningitis to students and families.
4. **Meningitis Video – Survivor’s Story** (by GSK vaccine manufacturer): <https://www.meningitisb.com/?bing=p_&rotation=71700000015842871&banner=58700001591743183&kw=12721621491&cc=81F6897B614F&pid=43700012721621491>
5. **Meningitis Angels** – A nonprofit parent advocacy group started by Frankie and Bob Milley after the death of their 18 year old son, Ryan: <http://www.meningitis-angels.org/> .   
   See stories of Angels who did or did not survive their meningitis illness.

Furthermore, see the Meningitis B Action Project – Started by the mothers of two young women who died at 17 and 19 from Meningitis B: <https://meningitisbactionproject.org/>

1. **National Meningitis Foundation** (nonprofit parent advocacy organization): <http://www.nmaus.org/>   
   - See “Stories” to learn more about the impact of meningitis on individuals and their families

**Best Practices – Identified from 2018 F/U Survey of Nebraska College Contacts:**

The following institutions provide some great examples for how they have implemented content to address various portions of this law. To learn more about content used by these colleges, visit their web sites, and/or contact Linda Ohri at [lohri@creighton.edu](mailto:lohri@creighton.edu) (cell: 402.880.8114) for further explanation of content – Some materials require a search for special pages within the college website.:

1. **Clarkson College, Omaha NE**
2. **Wayne State College**
3. **Former Grace University, Omaha NE**
4. **Central Community College**
5. **Concordia University**, Seward NE
6. **Creighton University**, Omaha NE