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Steve Jenison is a Paramedic and retired public health physician. He moved to Albuquerque in 1991 to join the Faculty of the Infectious Diseases (ID) Division, Dept. of Medicine, UNM Health Sciences Center. Research interests included human papillomavirus (HPV) and hantavirus infections during the 1993 – 1994 outbreak. He served as Medical Director of the ID Bureau of the NM Dept. of Health in Santa Fe from 1995 to 2010 with medical oversight of HIV/AIDS, STD and viral hepatitis programs. Responsibilities also included implementation of statewide drug policy programs including syringe exchange, naloxone distribution and the medical cannabis program. Dr. Jenison left NMDOH in 2010, moved to Dixon, became involved with the Dixon VFD, and ultimately became a Paramedic and EMS Instructor. He is Rescue Chief of Dixon VFD, and he currently teaches for the EMS Program (EMT-B, EMT-I) and for the Biology Department (Intro to Biology; A&P I&II) at UNM-Taos. He received a BS degree in Zoology & Anthropology from Iowa State University, MD degree from U. of Iowa, completed Internal Medicine Residency training at UNC-Chapel Hill and ID Fellowship training at U. of Washington. He completed EMT-Basic training at the U. of Iowa and Paramedic training at Creighton University in Omaha.

