

Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part A Colleagues –

HRSA's HIV/AIDS Bureau (HAB), the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD), Office of HIV/AIDS Housing (OHH), the National AIDS Housing Coalition (NAHC) and the National Alliance of State and Territorial AIDS Directors (NASTAD) are hosting **a webinar "Leveraging the Housing Service System Through Planning and Coordination" on January 30, 2018 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM EST**. This webinar will present ways in which Ryan White HIV AIDS Program (RWHAP) recipients, subrecipients and planning bodies can engage in the housing planning process.

With safe, decent, and affordable housing, people with HIV are better able to access comprehensive health care and supportive services, get on HIV treatment, take their HIV medication consistently, and see their health care provider regularly. However, individuals with HIV who are homeless or lack stable housing are more likely to delay HIV care, have poorer access to regular care, and are less likely to adhere to their HIV treatment, and less likely to achieve viral suppression.

In 2016, 8.8% of RWHAP clients had temporary housing and 5.2% had unstable housing situations. People living with HIV (PLWH) utilizing Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program (RWHAP) services with unstable housing consistently have lower viral suppression rates than those with temporary or stable housing. **Please join us for this important and informative webinar targeting RWHAP recipients, subrecipients and planning body members.**

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