

Does Your Patient Have Challenges Taking Their ART?

- Are they living with HIV?
- Are they 15-24 years of age?
- Do they have a viral load of ≥ 200 copies/mL?

If so, refer them to the SMART study!

We are recruiting for a study to support youth struggling with adherence and maintaining a suppressed viral load.



- Your patient will receive a daily text message reminder or a phone call from an adherence facilitator each weekday to support them in taking their ART.
- Patients will be randomized to receive either the text message reminder or the phone call.
- With your patient's permission, our adherence facilitator will contact your clinical team if they are having problems with taking their ART (e.g., insurance issue).
- Our adherence facilitator will support your patient to contact your clinical team for other issues such as homelessness, substance use, and other challenges that might make ART adherence difficult.
- If eligible for SMART, your patient could also **receive up to \$200** for their participation.



We have provided materials about the study that you can give to your patients. You can refer them by:

- Phone: **212-206-7919**
- Text: "research" to **99-000**
- Web: chestnyc.org/SMART

We will screen your patient to see if they are eligible for enrollment, which will require a copy of their viral load and proof of ART medications.

If you have any questions about the study, please contact the Hunter College Center for HIV Educational Studies and Training (CHEST) team at SMARTatn@chestnyc.org or **212-206-7919**.