

Community Newsletter

HEADLINES

We hope this Newsletter finds you well and safe. We have all been making major life and work adjustments over the past few months. Today is the return of *Community Newsletter*, as we continue [Moving to a New Normal](#).

Today is also [HIV Long-Term Survivors Day](#). *Not Our First Pandemic* is the HLTSAD 2020 theme - an invitation to survivors to share insights gleaned from surviving the AIDS pandemic in a world gripped by COVID-19. Take a moment today to recognize HLTS in your life. #NotOurFirstPandemic #HLTSAD

COVID-19 RESPONSE

Visit www.AIDSNET.org and Follow Us!  

We are posting news and resources *daily!* [One click](#) gets you to the latest news on Partnership meetings, Ryan White Program TA, community resources, service provider updates, the local and national COVID-19 response, and more!

PARTNERSHIP MEETINGS ARE BACK!

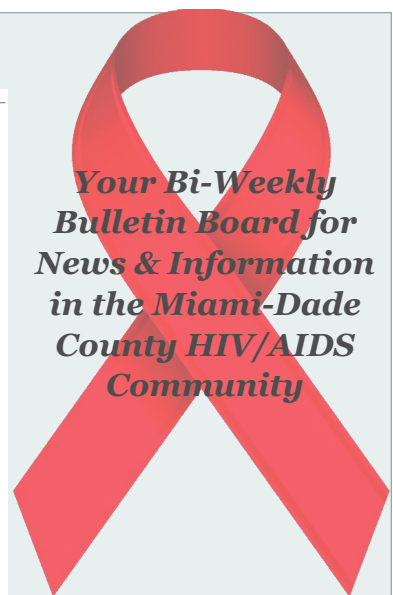
June 2020 meetings are taking place via [Zoom](#). [RSVP Required](#).

- ◆ 2020 Ryan White Program Needs Assessment Zoom Meetings are scheduled for June 11, 18, and 25.
- ◆ The Partnership meets on June 15 with a packed Agenda! Don't miss it!
- ◆ Ending the HIV Epidemic Team meeting is June 23 to review the FDOH MDC Jurisdictional EHE Plan.
- ◆ Community Coalition Committee meets June 29, featuring "COVID Tips for People with HIV," presented by Alex Muñoz from Gilead.



HOPWA WAITLIST

The Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) Wait List lottery results are available on the City of Miami website. [Click here](#) for the list, or call 311 or 305-468-5900 for assistance.



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ZOOM MEETINGS

The Partnership has scheduled meetings via [Zoom](#).

If you have a Zoom desktop application downloaded, please check for updates prior to your meeting. *As of June 1, 2020, the current version is 5.0.4.*

Zoom has many tutorials to help you. [Click here for How to Join a Meeting](#) or [Click here for other features](#).

Meetings are open 20-30 minutes before the start time so you can log in and test your system.

Feel free to [contact us](#) before the meeting if you have any questions.

Remember: [RSVP Required!](#)

SUPPORT GROUPS

Support Groups have gone virtual! If your organization is holding Support Group, let us know!

[Click here](#) for Support Group details.



Borinquen Health Care Center

- ◆ AIMS/MAT Program: A Mental Health and Substance Abuse Program
- ◆ Group Counseling to Quit Smoking!
- ◆ STOPP-Y Outpatient Substance Abuse Program

Positive People Network

- ◆ Karaoke Night!

Pridelines

- ◆ Coffee and Conversations with LGBTQ – Community Support Connection
- ◆ Virtual Dance Workout with Thee Dinomite
- ◆ Chakradance™
- ◆ Online Meditation
- ◆ Mindfulness Hour Benefits
- ◆ LGBTQ Older Adults Online Happy Hour

Survivors' Pathway

- ◆ Free Support Groups and Google Meets

EVENTS

These events have announced a switch to a virtual platform.

[Click here](#) for Event details.

June 9: As seen on Facebook!

Walk Up Clinic for COVID-19 Testing - No Car Needed!

June 10: Today. Tomorrow. Together.

Supporting You and Your HIV Patients During the COVID-19 Crisis and Beyond. Janssen Infectious Diseases event.

August 11-14: 2020 National Ryan White Conference on HIV Care & Treatment

In light of the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, HRSA's HIV/AIDS Bureau is making arrangements to host the 2020 National Ryan White Conference on HIV Care and Treatment virtually.

September 8-11: SYNC 2020 is Going Virtual

SYNC 2020 will be a completely virtual, interactive experience with dynamic content, speakers, and sessions. SYNChronicity brings together medical professionals, service providers, government officials, and health advocates on HIV, HCV, STI, and LGBTQ health in the changing and dynamic health care landscape, with a focus on underserved racial and ethnic minorities, and LGBTQ communities.

QuizTime: Ending the HIV Epidemic with PrEP in 2020

QuizTime is an app developed by Vanderbilt University Medical Center, designed to help busy clinicians obtain CME. (through June 30)

QuizTime: COVID-19 AETC activity for clinical providers (CME Credits available)

Legal Services of Greater Miami COVID-19 Small Business Legal Clinic

These advice and counsel clinics are an opportunity for Florida's small businesses and non-profits who have suffered adversely from the impact of the COVID-19 crisis to receive free legal advice during a 45-minute remote consultation with a volunteer attorney.



These events have not announced a switch to virtual. Please contact them directly for details.

- ◆ September 23-26: 38th GLMA Annual Conference on LGBTQ Health (Ft. Lauderdale)
- ◆ October 10-13: The United States Conference on HIV/AIDS (USCHA) (San Juan, Puerto Rico)
- ◆ November 1-4, 2020: Adherence 2020 (Orlando)



LOCAL TRAINING & WEBINARS

[Click here](#) for Training and Webinar details.

June 9: Produce Rx: Addressing Inequity and Promoting Health During the Pandemic and Beyond

On behalf of The Rockefeller Foundation, the Center for Health Law & Policy Innovation of Harvard Law School, and Food and Society at the Aspen Institute. The COVID-19 pandemic has reinforced the importance of the connection between the food we eat and our health and resiliency. As food insecurity rates skyrocket across the country, people are increasingly seeking ways to access the foods they need to remain healthy and out of our strained health care systems. Fruit and vegetable prescription programs (“Produce Rx”) offer a powerful solution.

June 24: Save the Date: Next HAB You Heard Webinar

Please save the date for the next “HAB You Heard Webinar,” formerly known as the HIV/AIDS Bureau All Grant Recipient Webinar, which will take place on June 24 from 3-4 PM ET. During this webinar, you will hear updates from HIV/AIDS Bureau leadership, updates on the 2020 National Ryan White Conference, and a Recipient Spotlight presentation. Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program recipients, subrecipients and stakeholders are encouraged to participate. Please stay tuned for participation instructions.



Southeast AIDS Education & Training Center has announced these webinars. We will post more details as they become available.

- ◆ June 9: AETC Webinar: Evidence for using face masks to prevent SARS-CoV-2 transmission in the community
- ◆ June 10: AETC Webcast Wednesday: Dyslipidemia Management in People with HIV
- ◆ June 12: AETC Webinar: Two Months In, What’s New - Stronger Together: A Community Forum, REloaded
- ◆ June 15: AETC MULTICULTURAL MONDAYS: Racial and ethnic disparities in the treatment of pain and its impact on HIV Management
- ◆ June 17: AETC Webcast Wednesday: "There Is No Time Like Now to Build a Trauma Informed Workforce!"
- ◆ June 19: AETC Webinar: Now is the Time to Be Trauma Informed!
- ◆ June 24: AETC Webcast Wednesday: Increasing Access to PrEP



These webinars have been broadcast and are now available for download.

- ◆ COVID-19 Updates for HIV Providers: Capturing the Opportunity – Advanced Care Planning in the Time of COVID.
- ◆ Telehealth & COVID-19 Implications for HIV Care & Treatment (HealthHIV On Demand webcast)

FIND IT ON AIDSNET.ORG!

Click the links below

Housing

- ◆ [Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS \(HOPWA\)](#)
- ◆ [Homeless Trust Website](#)
- ◆ [Local & National Housing Resources](#)
- ◆ [The HIV, Housing & Employment Project](#)
- ◆ [HOPE, Inc.](#)

Prevention

- ◆ [Let’s Get Digital!](#)
- ◆ [Local Resources](#)
- ◆ [En Español](#)
- ◆ [LGBTQ](#)
- ◆ [Women, Children & Students](#)
- ◆ [Alcohol and Drug Addiction](#)
- ◆ [Congenital Syphilis](#)
- ◆ [Hepatitis C](#)
- ◆ [General Information](#)
- ◆ [PrEP \(Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis\) and PEP \(post-exposure prophylaxis\)](#)



June 8 is National Caribbean-American Health/AIDS Awareness Day, created to provide Caribbean-Americans with resources, HIV/AIDS health education, evaluation, and opportunities for involvement. [Click here](#) for details, and let us know if you have any events or NCAHAAD resources to share.

HOUSING

[Click here](#) for details on these and more Housing News & Resources.

HUD Funding Opportunities

Over 20 Grant programs that support HUD initiatives . . .

Housing and HIV: HRSA and HUD Coordinate (HIV.gov)

The HRSA HIV/AIDS Bureau (HAB) is highlighting data on housing instability and homelessness among Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program (RWHAP) clients, and the relationship of housing status to viral load suppression.

Toolkit: Addressing HIV Care and Housing Coordination through Data Integration to Improve Health Outcomes along the HIV Care Continuum

This toolkit is designed to help organizations planning to integrate their data. It highlights critical decision points and activities that organizations interested in data integration should consider before the initiation of such a project.

Housing Opportunities Project for Excellence (HOPE), Inc. Newsletter

Featuring Health aide access; Fair housing during the COVID-19 pandemic; Human trafficking; and HOPE's community outreach.



JOBS

[Click here](#) for Job details.

Reemployment Assistance

If your employment has been negatively impacted as a result of the mitigation efforts in Florida to stop the spread of COVID-19, you may be eligible to receive Reemployment Assistance . . .
Deadline Date: Open

Recent Job Listings

- ◆ AIDS Healthcare Foundation: Licensed Clinical Social Worker (Bi-Lingual English/Spanish) Job Locations US-FL-Miami Beach. Req No.: 2020-10731; Category: Healthcare; Type: Regular Full-Time
- ◆ Care Resource: Health Promotion & Prevention Manager (Miami-Dade & Broward)
- ◆ Community Rightful Center: GPD Case Management - Candidates must have experience working with Homeless Veterans
- ◆ Empower U, Inc.: Research Associate; Prevention Manager; CLEAR Counselor; Medical Case Manager
- ◆ Jessie Trice Community Health System: Outreach Worker
- ◆ Latinos Salud: Ryan White Case Manager; Human Resources / Administrative Specialist
- ◆ University of Miami Department of Psychology – College of Arts and Sciences

SURVEYS

[Click here](#) for details on this and other ongoing studies.

Participants Needed! Miami COVID Cohort.

Developing the Foundation for a Comprehensive Approach to COVID-19 (University of Miami) COVID study being done by Dr. Alcaide. The study is up and running and compensates \$10.00 for a brief telephone interview, or \$20.00 for a short face-to-face visit (up to 4 visits). COVID-19 testing is part of the study.

