

Community Newsletter

HEADLINES

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Up to the Minute HIV & COVID-19 Resources

Follow the Partnership on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) and stay up to date on the latest HIV and COVID-19 news and resources!

PARTNERSHIP MEETINGS ARE BACK!

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

RSVP Required. [Click here](#) for calendars.

- ◆ Part 3 of the 2020 Ryan White Program Needs Assessment Zoom Meetings is scheduled for June 25.
- ◆ Ending the HIV Epidemic Team meeting is June 23 to review the FDOH MDC Jurisdictional EHE Plan.
- ◆ Community Coalition Committee meets June 29, featuring roundtable discussion on your experience accessing HIV services during COVID-19.

HIV.gov NEWS

New FDA Information on OraQuick In-Home HIV Test

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has published new information on the OraQuick In-Home HIV Test. This is the only FDA-approved in-home HIV test.

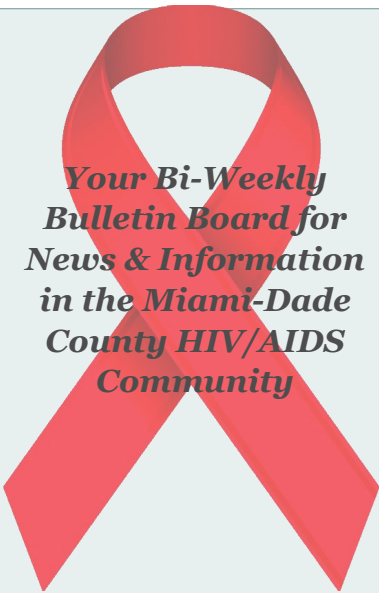
Albertsons Companies and Walmart Donate Dispensing Services to HHS to Support the EHE Initiative

HHS will further expand access to pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) HIV prevention medications by adding donated dispensing services from Albertsons Companies and Walmart to the Ready, Set, PrEP program beginning no later than July 30, 2020. The program allows uninsured patients to fill their prescriptions at no cost.

FDA Approves New Drug to Treat Infants/Children with HIV

On June 12, 2020, the FDA approved Tivicay (dolutegravir) tablets and Tivicay PD (dolutegravir) tablets for suspension to treat HIV-1 infection in pediatric patients at least four weeks old and weighing at least 3 kg (6.61 pounds) in combination with other antiretroviral treatments.

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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 Groups, please 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 are taking place on a virtual platform.

[Click here](#) for Event details.

New! June 24: Southeast Viral Hepatitis Interactive Case Conference (SVICC) : HCV/ HBV Co-Infection

New! June 25: Hurricane Season 2020: BrainSTORMing in the Age of COVID-19.

Join Legal Services and other community provider to brainstorm and discuss the coordination of 2020 Hurricane Season relief and recovery in light of COVID-19 health crisis.

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

In light of COVID-19, HRSA HAB is making arrangements to host the 2020 National Ryan White Conference on HIV Care and Treatment virtually.

September 8-11: SYNC 2020

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, & LGBTQ communities.

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.

Live events

New! June 20: Free Food Distribution

Infinite Ways Network in partnership with JAH RISE and the House of God present Free Food Distribution in Florida City.

New! June 22-26: National HIV Testing Week with Project Access Foundation.

HIV testing at: Biscayne Medical Center; Bayshore Medical at Mercy Hospital; and Palm Springs Medical Campus

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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)



Each year, on June 27, we observe National HIV Testing Day (NHTD). On this day, we unite with partners, health departments, and other organizations to raise awareness about the importance of HIV testing and early diagnosis of HIV.

LOCAL TRAINING & WEBINARS

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.

New! June 25: HRSA to Host Second Aging with HIV Webcast

In 2018, 46.1 percent of HRSA HAB Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program (RWHAP) clients were aged 50 years and older. HRSA HAB is continuing to work with RWHAP recipients, subrecipients, and providers to identify and share effective strategies to meet the unique needs of this growing population. As part of this effort, HRSA HAB is hosting its second national webinar in its series on Thursday June 25, 2020, titled “Psychosocial and Support Needs for People with HIV who are Aging in the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program.”



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

New! June 26: NATAP HCV Training: Hepatitis C Today!

Topics will Include: Hepatitis C Treatment & Retreatment; What is “Cure?”; What is the best treatment?; COVID-19 Impact and affects on care & treatment; Barriers to Linkage, Care & Treatment; Special populations: Young men & women, Injection drug users, women of child bearing age and newborns. Contact Hours available to: Nurses, CASAC, CAADE, Addiction Professionals, and Social Workers!



Southeast AIDS Education & Training Center has announced these webinars.

- ◆ June 19: Webinar: Now is the Time to Be Trauma Informed!
- ◆ June 24: Webcast Wednesday: Increasing Access to PrEP
- ◆ July 1: Webcast Wednesday: Louisville’s Syringe Exchange Program
- ◆ July 8: Webcast Wednesday: Mindfulness for HIV Healthcare Workers
- ◆ July 15: Webcast Wednesday: Privacy: What Does It All Mean?



These webinars are available for download.

- ◆ COVID-19 Updates for HIV Providers
- ◆ Telehealth & COVID-19 Implications for HIV Care & Treatment

FIND IT ON AIDSNET.ORG!

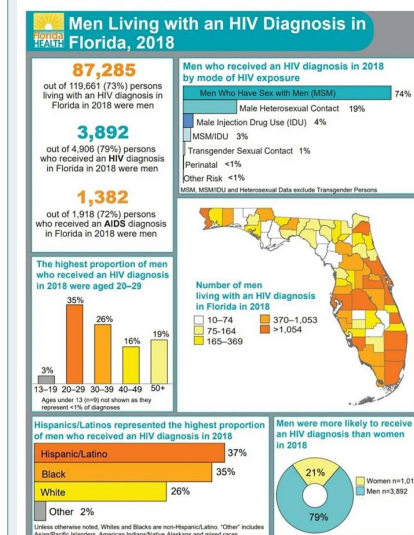
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Housing

- ◆ 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)



Men’s Health Awareness Week is the Week before Father’s Day. National Men’s Health Week is observed each year leading up to Father’s Day. This week is a reminder for men to take steps to be healthier to support and encourage early detection and treatment of diseases among men.

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

- ◆ **New!** Department of Health: Government Operations Consultant III (Tallahassee) This is a highly responsible professional position that serves as the Statewide Minority HIV/AIDS Coordinator.
- ◆ 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

GRANTS & FUNDING

[Click here](#) for Grant details.

- ◆ Miami-Dade County Small Business Assistance Forgivable Loan Program: Loans up to \$25,000, with 0% interest . . .
- ◆ Miami-Dade County Back-to-Business Box Program: If you're re-opening your small business and need assistance, Miami-Dade County is offering the Back-to-Business box. Supplies are limited and will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis. Deadline Date: Open
- ◆ HRSA Funding - Due dates throughout June - Apply now! For providers who have conducted COVID-19 testing or provided treatment for uninsured individuals with COVID-19 on or after February 4, 2020.
- ◆ Miami Foundation Community Recovery Fund Accepting Nonprofit Interest Forms: For Miami-Dade nonprofits whose operations are severely impacted and supports their long-term recovery, resilience and financial stability.
- ◆ SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loans and Loan Advance: Provides small businesses with working capital loans of up to \$2 million that can provide vital economic support to small businesses to help overcome the temporary loss of revenue they are experiencing.

SURVEYS

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

Participants Needed!
Miami COVID Cohort.

