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end+disparities ECHO Collaborative

The end+disparities ECHO Collaborative is a national initiative to reduce disparities in four disproportionately affected HIV subpopulations. These are: MSM of Color, African American and Latina Women, Transgender People, and Youth. The 18-month collaborative aims to increase viral suppression in these four key subpopulations and increase local quality improvement capacities. The initiative is managed by the HRSA Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Center for Quality Improvement & Innovation (CQII) and was developed using the Project Extension for Community Health Outcomes (ECHO) model and supported by the HRSA HIV/AIDS Bureau.
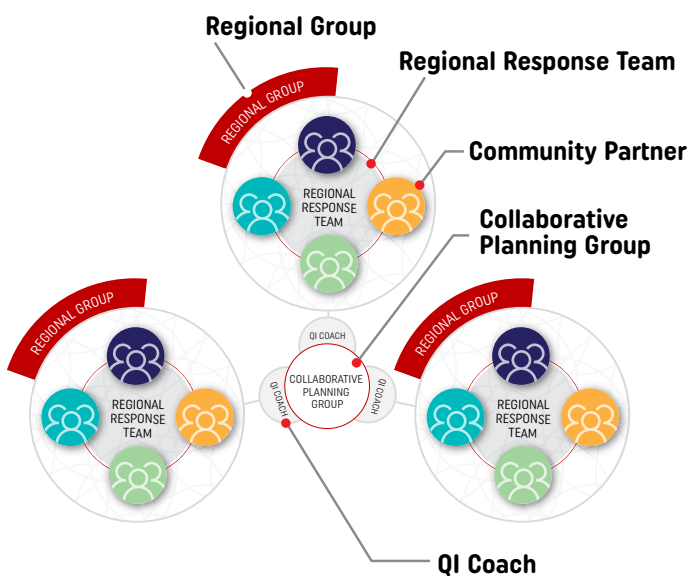
MSM of Color

Youth

Transgender People

African American & Latina Women

EXPECTATIONS OF PARTICIPANTS:

- Select one HIV subpopulation
- Implement a quality improvement project
- Submit viral suppression data every other month
- Join a Regional Group and attend Regional Group Meetings (1x per month)
- Join a subpopulation-specific Affinity Group and attend its Affinity Sessions (2x per month, 60 min each)
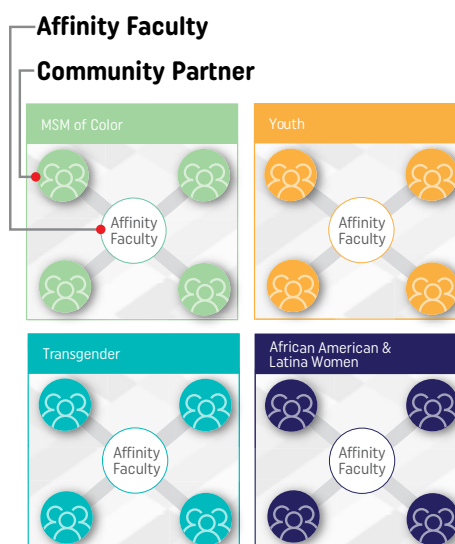- Participate in four Learning Sessions

BENEFITS TO PARTICIPANTS:

- Improve viral suppression rates
- Align with HIV/AIDS Bureau clinical quality management expectations
- Strengthen partnerships and with other RWHAP recipients and subrecipients locally and across the country
- Increase quality improvement capacity of HIV providers and consumers
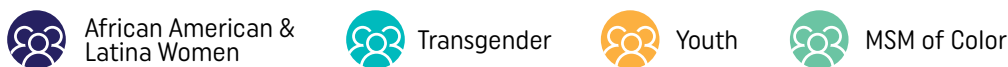
REGIONAL GROUP

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Regional Response Team

Community Partner

Collaborative Planning Group

QI Coach

AFFINITY ECHO GROUPS

Affinity Faculty

Community Partner

KEY TERMS:

Community Partners: individual RWHAP recipients/subrecipients

Regional Group: regionally-based group of Community Partners

Regional Response Team: leadership of the Regional Group formed by the Regional Group's Community Partners

QI Coach: a quality improvement expert who supports Regional Group activities

Affinity ECHO Groups: groups of Community Partners who participate in content-specific meetings that focus on a disparity subpopulation or Collaborative role

Affinity Faculty: a team of experts who help build specialized capacity to target disparity subpopulations

Community Partner

 African American & Latina Women

 Transgender

 Youth

 MSM of Color

Vanguard Meeting	Learning Session 1 (2 Day In-Person)	Regional Group Meetings	Affinity ECHO Sessions	Learning Session 2 (Virtual)	Regional Group Meetings	Affinity ECHO Sessions	Learning Session 3 (Virtual)	Regional Group Meetings	Affinity ECHO Sessions	Learning Session 4 (Virtual)
MAR 2018	JUN 2018	JUN-OCT	JUN-NOV	NOV 2018	NOV-MAR	DEC-APR	APR 2019	APR-AUG	APR-SEP	SEP 2019