Partnerships for Care (P4C): Data to Care Approaches through Primary Care-Public Health Partnerships

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Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

1. Increase **understanding** of the **Data to Care** strategy and its utilization by CDC-funded health departments and HRSA-funded health centers.

2. Understand **opportunities and challenges** in **Data to Care** implementation.

3. Discuss the **benefits of primary care-public health partnerships** for improving outcomes across the HIV Care Continuum.
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Panel Overview

- Federal project overview (10 minutes)
- Grantee presentations (70 minutes)
- Questions & discussion (10 minutes)

For additional information

http://www.p4chivtac.com
Federal Coordination and Funding

- Multi-agency three-year project coordinated jointly at federal level
  - CDC/Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention (DHAP)
  - HRSA/Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC)

- Other key federal partners
  - HHS/Office of HIV/AIDS and Infectious Disease Policy (OHAIDP)
  - HRSA/HIV/AIDS Bureau (HAB)

- Funded by the Secretary’s Minority AIDS Initiative Fund (SMAIF) & the Affordable Care Act
Overarching Goals

- Strengthen partnerships
  - State departments of health
  - Community health centers

- Identify promising new models for HIV service delivery
  - Improve identification of undiagnosed HIV infection
  - Establish new access points for care and treatment by integrating HIV services in primary care at health centers
  - Enhance the use of data for public health follow-up
  - Improve HIV outcomes along continuum of care, especially among racial/ethnic minority persons
Three Funding Mechanisms

- **CDC/DHAP**
  - Supporting 4 state health departments ("HDs")
    - Each HD identified up to 6 health center partners

- **HRSA/BPHC**
  - Supplemental funding to 22 health center ("HCs") grantees
    - Each with multiple service sites (86 total)
  - Supporting 1 contract for an HIV training and technical assistance collaboration center ("HIV TAC")

- **Funding initiated FY14**
  - HDs in July 2014
  - HCs & HIV TAC in September & December 2014
Grantee Eligibility

- **Health Departments**
  - Burden of HIV: >5,000 HIV cases among African Americans and Latinos
  - Laboratory reporting: viral load and CD4 data at all levels
  - Not receiving CAPUS funding

- **Health Centers**
  - Receive 330 Health Center Program Funds
  - Do not receive Ryan White HIV/AIDS Part C Program funding
  - Utilize an EHR system
  - At least 30% of patients representing racial/ethnic minority groups
  - Formal partnership agreement with a funded HD
P4C Grantees

Florida State Department of Health
- 6 health centers in Jacksonville, Orlando, West Palm Beach, Fort Lauderdale & Miami

Maryland State Department of Health & Mental Hygiene
- 4 health centers in Baltimore City, Prince George’s & Montgomery Counties

Massachusetts Department of Public Health
- 6 health centers in Boston, Fall River, Lowell, and Salem

New York State Department of Health
- 6 health centers in New York City, Hudson Valley area, Rochester and Buffalo
Health Department Activities

**Data Use** - Use HIV surveillance & health center patient data to improve health outcomes for PLWH (e.g., Data to Care and “case conferencing”)

**Field Work** - Expand partner services, linkage, retention, and re-engagement with care services for PLWH

**Training/TA** - Support training & TA activities for health centers to expand HIV testing, care & treatment, and prevention services for PLWH
Health Center Activities

**Service Delivery** – Provide routine HIV testing, basic HIV care, prevention services for PLWH, referrals, enabling services

**Workforce Development** – Establish and train multi-disciplinary HIV care team, train clinicians, staff and board

**Infrastructure Enhancements** – EHRs, 3rd party billing capabilities, develop and update formal referral agreements, care protocols, etc.
HIV TAC Activities

- Serve primarily as a coordinator of training & technical assistance opportunities and resources

- Leverage extensive network of federally-funded and other training programs and resources

- Develop Health Center Toolkit
Anticipated Public Health Impact

- Identify best practices and models of programmatic implementation
  - Data to Care (D2C)
  - Routine HIV testing
  - Integrating HIV into primary care

- Disseminate findings broadly to other health departments and across the Health Center Program
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Presentation #3
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