# Florida's Partnerships for Care (P4C) Demonstration Project:

Data sharing for improved service delivery and health outcomes for persons living with HIV

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# **Legal Aspects**

- MOAs between health centers and Florida Department of Health (FDOH)
- Client consent allowing bi-directional data exchange
- Electronic data sharing via P4C Dashboard
- Verbal data sharing via case conferencing



# **P4C Data Sharing**

#### P4C Data Sources:

- Health center EHR
- Florida DOH HIV/AIDS surveillance systems
- Florida DOH STD database (PRISM)

#### Used for:

- Data-to-Care
- P4C Dashboard
- Outreach and DIS services (partner services, linkage, reengagement
- Case conferencing



# Data and Surveillance Systems

- Dashboard
  - ELR, health center EHR, CAREWare, CTLS, ADAP, Provide
- eHARS- integrates with dashboard, used for data matching and quality assurance checks
- PRISM- communicates with eHARS and will have dashboard hyperlink available (saves time, more accurate information, all systems talking to each other)





### **Data Matching Process**

- Data match comparing health center EHR data to DOH surveillance systems; creates two lists:
  - Matching clients/non-matching clients (identify why they are not in DOH systems and reconcile)
- Dashboard master list (includes data from multiple state systems) compared to eHARS; creates two lists:
  - In system/not in system (identify why they are not in eHARS and reconcile)
- Generate eHARS out-of-care list and identify if clients are 1)
  health center clients and 2) non-health center clients out of
  care but living in the service area (using zip codes of health
  center service areas)





### Development

- Build relationships with health centers, IT staff, etc.
- Set protocols and procedures
- Set up data exchange
  - Health center EHR capability
  - SFTP set up
  - Testing
- Test data transfers; Full data transfers
- Build dashboard and reports
- PRISM
  - Integrate P4C DIS activities into normal/traditional DIS flow/processes
  - Make changes/upgrades to PRISM





# Challenges

- Delays in development and implementation timelines
- Legal Issues
  - MOAs between health department and health centers
  - Client consent forms
- Data Sharing
  - Health centers and their EHR capabilities/costs associated with modifications
  - Format of shared data from multiple EHRs
  - Development time and processes
  - Consistent out-of-care definitions (linkage/retention)



### Successes

#### Case Conferencing

- Improves linkage for newly diagnosed clients
- Improves retention and re-engagement activities
- Improves partner services and identification of clients with undiagnosed HIV infection

#### Integration with HIV/AIDS Surveillance and STD Data System (PRISM)

- Enhancements in matching of HIV/AIDS surveillance data
- Improves localized data-to-care lists for linkage and re-engagement in care for health center service areas

#### Dashboard Reports

- Better access to client-level information for services
- Reports and follow-up for linkage, re-engagement and viral load suppression

#### PRISM Upgrades

- Dashboard hyperlinks in PRISM for DIS
- Linkage privileges for DIS



# Sustainability

- Anticipation of fully functional dashboard
- PRISM upgrades for existing programs/activities (e.g., P4C DIS given linkage privileges in system, hyperlink to dashboard)
- eHARS/PRISM/dashboard integration; improves functionality and accuracy of data across all systems
- Use P4C as a model to expand similar activities to other health department and health centers statewide
- Established health center partnerships with DIS for partner services, linkage and re-engagement



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