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### 2022 Project LEAP Student Selection Guidelines

The following guidelines will be used by the Office of Support to select students for the 2022 Project LEAP cohort. They are presented in order of priority:

1. As outlined in the 2022 Service Definition for Project LEAP:
  - a. The Office of Support shall enroll 20 to 30 persons who are living with HIV prior to the commencement of the training program. No more than 10 affected individuals are to be included in the training program. Preference will be given to non-aligned (non-conflicted) consumers of Ryan White HIV Program services in the Houston EMA and high risk applicants.
  - b. Selected students shall be representative of the demographics of current HIV prevalence in the Houston EMA, with particular attention to sex, race/ethnicity, and the special populations of young adults (age 18 - 24) and people who are transgender and/or gender non-conforming.
2. If the applicant is a prior LEAP graduate, they may be selected for the 2022 cohort if they have not been appointed to the Planning Council following LEAP participation and if space in the class is available.
3. Be available for the 2022 Project LEAP class schedule.
4. Have the ability to commit to Project LEAP expectations in regards to class participation, activities, and homework assignments.
5. Demonstrate an interest in planning HIV services in the Houston EMA. Students should have an understanding of the expected roles of Project LEAP graduates in local HIV prevention and care services planning.
6. Demonstrate an interest in volunteerism, advocacy, and other types of community involvement. If possible, have a history of past volunteerism, advocacy, and/or community involvement.
7. Demonstrated interpersonal skills consistent with successful participation in Project LEAP, such as ability/willingness to work in a team, effective communication skills, etc.



# 2022 Project LEAP Recruitment

Status	Date	Location/Event	Recruiter
<b>AGENCIES</b>			
		AIDS Healthcare Foundation/Out of the Closet	Tori → Matilda
		Avenue 360	Tori → Denis
		Harris Health/TSHC	Tana
		Legacy (California)	Tana
		Montrose Center	Crystal (maybe), Tana
		St. Hope Foundation	Tana (Greenspoint) Crystal (Bellaire, will email to Herman for distribution) Skeet (Sugar Land)
		Bee Busy	Skeet
		AAMA	Steven
		Accesshealth/Ft. Bend	Diane
		AFH & Housing Complexes	Johnny
		Baylor Teen Clinics	Diane/Paul R.
		Bering support group, church, dental clinic, day treatment	Allen
		Blast Fax	Diane
		Brentwood Project WAITT	Ronnie
		A Caring Safe Place/Lydia's Place	Skeet
		Catholic Charities	Tori → Carol
		Central Care	
		Change Happens!	Skeet
		HATCH (Montrose Center)	Tana
		HAWC	Tori → Nike
		Law Harrington Apartments	Skeet
		Living Without Limits	Cecilia (NOT CURRENTLY MEETING)
		Lord of the Streets	Crystal (Partial services)
		RMCC	Robert
		San Jacinto Apartments	Skeet/Johnny/Crystal
		Santa Maria Hostel	Diane
		St. John's Downtown/Bread of Life	Skeet
		SEARCH	Crystal will check if open
		Tony's Place	Skeet/Johnny/Crystal
		The Women's Home	Tana
<b>GROUPS</b>			
		2005 - 2021 LEAP Graduates	Diane
		AA State of Emergency Task Force	Tori → Sha'Terra
		Adolescent Trial Network	Tori → Moreniké
		FIMR	Diane
		Ft. Bend Coalition	Tori → Sha'Terra
		HCV Task Force	Tori → Steven
		Heterosexual Peer Group	Tori → Cecilia
		HIV & Aging Coalition	Skeet

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<b>GROUPS</b> <i>continued</i>			
		HIV Prevention Contractors	Tori → HHD
		HOPWA All-Providers	Tori → Melody
		Houston Medical Monitoring Project	Tori → Osaro
		IMPAACT CAB	Tori → Moreniké
		Impulse Group Houston	Crystal
		Latino HIV Task Force	Tori → Gloria
		Mahogany Project	Crystal
		MPACT	Tori → Antonio
		National HIV Behavioral Surveillance	Tori → Imran
		Part A CM Supervisors/CM	Diane
		Part D Partners	Tori → Sha'Terra
		Positive Women's Network	Tana
		Project PATHH	Skeet
		Rural Part B/SS Providers	Tori → Sha'Terra
		Save Our Sisters	Crystal
		Serenity Sisters Support Group	
		SIRR	Diane
		Youth Task Force	Tori → Gloria
		United Way Interagency Meeting	NOT CURRENTLY MEETING
		VA Hospital	Tori → Chris E. OR Cecilia
<b>MEDIA/ONLINE</b>			
		Ads in Outsmart, Houston Defender, and community newspapers in rural areas; RMCC bulletin/email list	Diane
		DSHS Insider	Tori
		Idealist	Tori
		Posse (largest HIV+ meetup grp in Houston)	Allen → Denis
		Project LEAP Alumni FB Page	Diane
		Texas HIV Coalition FB Page	Diane
<b>SPECIAL EVENTS</b>			
		AIDS Walk	NOT APPLICABLE
		Organizing for Power	Tana
		Planning Council	Diane
		Volunteer Round Up (date TBD)	NOT APPLICABLE
<b>OTHER</b>			
		Multi Service Centers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acres Home</li> <li>• Emancipation</li> <li>• Hiram Clarke</li> <li>• Kashmere</li> <li>• Leonel Castillo</li> <li>• Sunnyside</li> <li>• Third Ward</li> <li>• West Gray</li> </ul>	All
		Social Media sites	All
		Bars/Clubs/testing events	All
		Grocery Stores	All
		Post Offices	All
		Houston Community College	Crystal
		Joseph Gathe, MD office	Skeet
		Grace Place	Crystal

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<b>OTHER</b> <i>continued</i>			
		Green Grove MBC	
		Greater New Hope Baptist Church	
		<del>Houston Public Library</del>	They told Tracy NO, Ms. Dee also told NO
		Lone Star College	
		Kindred & Plymouth Church	Tori → Amber re church list
		Radio PSA	NOT APPLICABLE
		Rice University	Tori → Bobby
		St. Joseph downtown	Tori
		St. Thomas	Tori → Bobby
		San Jacinto College	Allen
		SHAPE Community Center	Crystal
		Shrine of the Black Madonna	Crystal
		U of H downtown and central	Tori
		TSU	Crystal, Tana
		Urgent Care Clinics	All
		Walgreens	Tori → Tom Lindstrom
		Wheeler Ave Church	NOT CURRENTLY MEETING
		Dr. Crofoot	Tori → Maggie
		Dr. Schrader	Tori
		U.T. Physicians - Fannin	
		U.T. Physicians - Bellaire	Tori → Bobby
		Dr. Gary Brewton	Tori
		Baylor Clinic	Allen
		Dr. Arya Mouisha	Tori → Dr. Patel