

Ending the HIV Epidemic/Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Planning Body
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EDUCATION AND AWARENESS COALITION

AGENDA

Noon, Tuesday, May 21, 2024 — This meeting is virtual only

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8899837982>

Meeting ID: 889 983 7982

Or, join by telephone at: 346 248-7799

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| I. | Welcome | Co-Chairs Ashley Barnes,
Titan Capri and Rebecca Chapa |
| | A. Identification of facilitator for today's meeting | |
| | B. Introductions | |
| II. | Brief Description of the EHE/Integrated Plan | Tori Williams, Director
Ryan White Office of Support |
| III. | Review Organizational Chart & Summary of Activities | Tori Williams |
| IV. | Review Goals | All |
| V. | Roles, Responsibilities & Overall Process | Tori Williams |
| | A. Co-Chairs, Staff & Leadership Team | |
| | B. Members of Data and Evaluation Committees | |
| | C. Process for 2024: | |
| | ➤ Review the goals. | |
| | ➤ Create inventory of resources related to the goals. | |
| | ➤ Justify editing or giving goals away. | |
| | ➤ Educate, educate, educate (data, speakers & more). | |
| | ➤ After much education, take action/make recommendations. | |
| | D. Document progress for Leadership Team at each meeting (see below). | |
| VI. | Assign Tasks & Set Date for Next Meeting | Co-Chairs Ashley Barnes,
Titan Capri and Rebecca Chapa |
| VII. | Adjourn | |

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Summary of Committee Activities
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Education and Awareness Committee, 05/21/24, Tori Williams, OoS
SUMMARY OF MEETING:

DECISIONS MADE & TASK ASSIGNMENTS:

NEXT MEETING DATE: _____

Submitted by: _____
Tori Williams

Date: _____

Education & Awareness Committee/Coalition

Goal 1C: Establish an Education and Awareness Committee/Coalition by reaching out to colleges, consumers, in-person educators, youth, and professional healthcare workers in partnership with AIDS Education and Training Centers (AETCs), the Ryan White (RW) program, Houston Community Planning Group (CPG), and city and county health departments to increase consumer input and participation into science-based health education and Houston Area HIV linkage to prevention and care services.

Key Activities:

- Establish an Education and Awareness Committee/Coalition to provide education for:
 - *Individuals in prevention, treatment, and care services and*
 - *Professionals on accurate medical information, training in referring clients to the local HIV prevention and care system, and customer service skills. See Goal 3A for more information. This educational goal will address Diagnose, Treat and Prevent.*
- Increase knowledge of HIV among individuals and the health workforce in geographic areas disproportionately affected.

College Workgroup		Consumer & Community Engagement Workgroup
<p><u>Key Activities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity 2A1e: Expand community partnerships (e.g., churches and universities) to increase rapid linkage and ART availability at community-preferred gathering venues. • Activity 3Ac: Increase consumer input into developing educational materials about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity 3Ad: Increase consumer participation in delivering educational information to individuals and service providers about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction, particularly for priority populations. 		<p><u>Key Activities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity 2A1c: Develop a health literacy campaign to educate those diagnosed on benefits of Rapid Start and treatment as prevention (TasP). • Activity 3Ab: Develop and implement informational programs that are tailored to priority populations and others. Describe HIV risks; options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; mental health and substance use disorder treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity 3Ac: Increase consumer input into developing educational materials about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity 3Ad: Increase consumer participation in delivering educational information to individuals and service providers about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction, particularly for priority populations.

<p style="text-align: center;">Needing In-Person Education Workgroup</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Youth Workgroup</p>
<p><u>Key Activities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity 3Ab: Develop and implement informational programs that are tailored to priority populations and others. Describe HIV risks; options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; mental health and substance use disorder treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity 3Ac: Increase consumer input into developing educational materials about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity 3Ad: Increase consumer participation in delivering educational information to individuals and service providers about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction, particularly for priority populations. 		<p><u>Key Activities:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activity 3Ab: Develop and implement informational programs that are tailored to priority populations and others. Describe HIV risks; options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; mental health and substance use disorder treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity 3Ac: Increase consumer input into developing educational materials about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction. • Activity ****: Create a Houston Area Youth Council supported by Ryan White Staff and volunteers.

Professional Healthcare Education Workgroup

Key Activities:

- **Activity 2A1g:** Develop a provider outreach program focused on best HIV treatment-related practices and emphasizing resources options for clients (Ryan White care system) as well as peer-to-peer support resources for providers (e.g., Project ECHO, AETC, UCSF).
- **Activity 2A2a:** Develop informative treatment navigation, viral suppression, and whole-health care support program including regularly held community forums designed to maximize accessibility.
- **Activity 2A2i:** Survey users of services to evaluate additional service-based training needs.
- **Activity 2A2j:** Conduct provider outreach (100 initial/100 follow-up visits) to improve multidisciplinary holistic health practices including importance of trauma-informed approach, motivational interview-based techniques, preferred language, culturally sensitive staff/setting, behavior-based risk vs demographic/race, and routine risk assessment screenings (mental health, gender-based or domestic violence, need for other ancillary services related to SDOH).
- **Activity 2A2n:** Partner community health workers with local community gathering places (e.g., churches) to recognize and reach individuals who may benefit from support and linkage to resources.
- **Activity 2A4g:** Institute policies that require recurring trainings for staff/providers based on community feedback and focused on current preferred practices (emphasis on status-neutral approach, trauma-informed care, people first-language, cultural sensitivity, privacy/confidentiality, follow-up/follow-through).
- **Activity 3Ac:** Increase consumer input into developing educational materials about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction.
- **Activity 3Ad:** Increase consumer participation in delivering educational information to individuals and service providers about HIV risks, options for prevention, testing, care and treatment; and HIV-related stigma reduction, particularly for priority populations.
- **Activity 3Ae:** Increase education about HIV among people who provide services to those who are at risk or living with HIV.
- **Activity 3Af:** Include comprehensive sexual health and substance use prevention and treatment information in curricula of medical and other health workforce education and training programs.

<p>UPDATED: 05/03/24</p> <p>INTEGRATED PLANNING BODY (IP)</p> <p>Unless otherwise noted, ALL meetings will be held via Zoom or hybrid</p> <p>Z = Zoom (virtual only)</p>	<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>	
				1	2 12 noon RW Steering Committee	3	4	
	5	6 2:00 p.m. RW HTBMN Special Wg #3 - Various Topics	7 6:00 p.m. <i>IP Youth Workgroup</i>	8 10:00 a.m. <i>IP Needing In Person Engagement Workgroup</i> 3:00 p.m. <i>IP Status Neutral Systems and Diagnose Committee</i> 6:00 p.m. Z <i>IP Leadership Team</i>	9 12 noon RW Planning Council CANCELLED 2:00 pm RW Comp HIV Planning with the IP Research, Data & Implementation and Monitoring, QA & Evaluation committees	10 12 noon <i>IP Treat Committee</i>	11	
May 2024	12	13 11:00 a.m. RW Operations	14 12 noon <i>IP Prevention and Policy Committee</i> 2:00 p.m. RW Quality Improvement	15 12 noon <i>IP Aging & HIV Workgroup</i>	16	17	18 National HIV Vaccine Awareness Day	
	19 National API HIV Awareness Day	20 11:00 a.m. RW Affected Community with the <i>IP Consumer & Community Engagement Workgroup</i>	21 12 noon <i>IP Education & Awareness Committee</i> 6:00 p.m. <i>IP Racial and Social Justice Workgroup</i>	22 1:00 p.m. <i>IP Respond Committee</i>	23 CANCELLED RW Priority & Allocations 2:00 pm <i>IP Housing Workgroup</i> 4:00 CPG	24	25	
	26	27 Memorial Day Holiday	28 7:00 p.m. RW Public Hearing	29 TENTATIVE 2:00 p.m. RW Quality Improvement	30	31		