

Washington State Getting to the End of AIDS

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End AIDS Washington Developing Recommendations



Recommendation: Development

Governor's Proclamation

- Empowered State HIV Planning Group (HPSG)

HPSG created End AIDS Steering Committee

Tasked Committee to:

- Build upon present work
- Develop recommendations to achieve goals
 - 50% reduction in rate of new HIV diagnoses by 2020
 - Reduction of disparities in health outcomes
- Obtain and include community input

The Governor's Proclamation



Reference to the HIV Strategic Framework and six outcomes

Reference to multi-agency, multi-sectoral approach and leveraging resources

Reference to 50% reduction in rate of new HIV diagnoses by 2020 and reduction of disparities in health outcomes



History of the epidemic in Washington

Reference to ACA and health systems transformation/Healthier Washington

Assignment of Leadership to HIV Planning Steering Group

Community Input: Process

Recommendation Development

- How: Webinars. Town Halls. Surveys. Targeted Conversations.
- Questions: What needs to happen to End AIDS in Washington? Given all that we know, why is it still so hard to prevent HIV? What is the most important thing to consider? If you could do anything to end AIDS, and money and politics were not issues, what would you do?

Draft Report and Recommendations

- How: Email and web-based questionnaires.
- Questions: What are the strengths? What are the weaknesses – and what would correct them? What is missing?

Community Input: Outcomes

Beginning Development

- Address Stigma
- Address Health Disparities
- Meaningful Community Engagement

Draft Report and Recommendations

- Substance User Health
- Meaningful Community Engagement
 - PLWH over 50
 - Transgender

Policy & Systems



- New FTE
 - Policy
 - Legislative
- Engages with:
 - Federal Partners
 - Tribal Nations
 - Other Agencies
 - Community Based Organizations
 - Community Members
- Knowledge & Experience
 - Working with Policy Makers
 - Maneuvering through the Legislative Process
 - System Level Changes



End AIDS Washington What Next?

What We Learned

- No Single Solution
 - 11 Recommendations each with Action Steps
- Need Change Across Systems
 - Health Care, Insurance, Policy / Regulations
- New Partnerships / New Relationships
 - Health Care Authority, Insurance Commissioner, Legislature, Health Care Organizations and Systems

What We Learned We Need

Calls to Action regarding:

- ❖ **Stigma**
- ❖ **Health Disparities**
- ❖ **Community Engagement**

Implementation

Develop Coordination / Leadership

Continued Community Engagement

Develop Recommendation Plans

- Identify Early Wins, Prioritize Actions

- Engage New Partners

Measuring Progress Goals and Recommendations

- Development of metrics and dashboard

New Staff Positions

- Peer Navigator

- Health Disparities

- HIV Stigma

End AIDS WA Marketing Campaign

The screenshot displays the Facebook profile of End AIDS Washington, a community organization. The cover photo features a light blue background with a central orange band containing five circular call-to-action buttons: "GET INSURED", "GET TESTED", "GET PREP", "GET TREATMENT", and the "END AIDS WASHINGTON" logo. The profile picture is a square version of the logo. The "ABOUT" section states the mission: "Working together, we can end AIDS in Washington State" and provides the website URL "http://endaids washington.org/". The "PHOTOS" section shows a grid of images, including portraits of diverse individuals and campaign graphics. A recent post from July 10, 2015, is visible, featuring a blue banner for the "U.S. Trans Survey" and text about the National Center for Transgender Equality's upcoming survey.

End AIDS Washington
Community Organization

GET INSURED GET TESTED GET PREP GET TREATMENT END AIDS WASHINGTON

Sign Up Liked Message

Timeline About Photos Likes More

ABOUT

Working together, we can end AIDS in Washington State.

<http://endaids washington.org/> Promote Website

PHOTOS

What have you been up to?

End AIDS Washington
Published by Robert Roth · July 10 at 10:55am

The National Center for Transgender Equality is gearing up to release the largest ever national trans survey next month. Learn more about how you can participate and sign up for updates at the link. #EndAIDSWashington

U.S. Trans Survey

We Need – Continued Support from Leadership



L: Joseph Ready, End AIDS Steering Team
R: John Wiesman, Director WA DOH

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**Governor Jay Inslee**
On World AIDS Day, we unite in the fight against HIV. Together, we can end AIDS: <http://endaidswashington.org/>

We Need – Stakeholder Involvement

- End AIDS Washington is a collaboration.
- Not owned by WA DOH or by any single AIDS service organization – Ownership by all stakeholders
- Ending the HIV epidemic requires active involvement, collaboration, and leadership of all stakeholders:
 - PLWH, at-risk communities
 - healthcare plans and providers, insurance systems, social service providers
 - DOH, other State government agencies, LHJs, CBOs
 - Governor, Legislature, Cities and Counties
 - Researchers, Business Community
- This will require developing new partnerships and maintaining and growing established partnerships





We Will Get Us There

We have achieved so much in Washington State because of the efforts of incredibly dedicated people.

We can build on these successes.

End AIDS Washington provides us with a unifying purpose.

It calls us to:

- Find new answers to address long standing challenges, and
- Align our efforts to transform existing systems

Together, we can reach our goals.

Together, we will End AIDS in Washington.



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Reducing Health Disparities: 10 Objectives

Measure	Population	2014 Baseline Difference*	2020 Target Difference*
New HIV Dx Rate	U.S.-born Black	14.6 per 100K	≤ 7.3 per 100K
	Foreign-born Hispanic	8.9 per 100K	≤ 4.5 per 100K
Late HIV Diagnosis	Foreign-born Black	4% late	≤ 2% late
	Foreign-born Hispanic	10% late	≤ 5% late
	Ages 45 and older	10% late	≤ 5% late
Linkage to Care (in 30 days)	U.S.-born Black	4% linked	≤ 2% linked
Engagement in Care	Foreign-born Hispanic	14.5% engaged	≤ 7.3% engaged
VL Suppression	U.S.-born Black	8.1% suppressed	≤ 4.0% suppressed
	Foreign-born Hispanic	10.5% suppressed	≤ 5.2% suppressed
	Persons Who Inject Drugs	20% suppressed	≤ 10% suppressed

* Difference compared to aggregate value among all PLWH, statewide

Improving Quality of Life: 3 Objectives

Measure*	2014 Baseline	2020 Target
Percent who rate their overall health as good, very good, or excellent (includes both physical and mental health).	81%	≥ 82%
Mean numbers of days in which poor physical or mental health prevented normal activity, during past 30-day period	3.6 days	≤ 3.0 days
Summary index of healthy days: mean number of healthy days (mental and physical; limit 30) reported during past 30-day period	19.8 days	≥ 22.0 days

Source: Medical Monitoring Project (MMP) surveys conducted annually with PLWH.

Note: All measures based on CDC's HRQoL Core Module (4 questions)

Recommendations: The Task

Achieve the Goals

1. Reduce Rates
2. Increase Viral Suppression
3. Reduce Morbidity
4. Address Disparities
5. Improve Life Quality

Build on Present Work

Public In-Put

- Address Stigma
- Reduce Disparities
- Community Engagement

Recommendations

1. Stigma
2. Disparities
3. Routine HIV Screening
4. PrEP
5. Sexual Minority Healthcare
6. Substance Users
7. Insurance
8. Housing
9. Whole Person Healthcare
10. Youth
11. Community Engagement