Nevada's Ending the Epidemic Workgroup Meeting Notes

Monday, June 5, 2023, 12–1 PM PT

Updates:

RW Part A: Not present

RW Part B: New RWPB coordinator, Ashley Martin, with the office of HIV, was present and introduced.

SNHD/Fast Track Cities: Next Empowering Change course is July 19th and 20th. There is a waitlist for the program. The next HGP joint meeting is 6.28.23 from 2-4 pm PDT.

SNHD: Providing free HIV testing with Walgreens for National Testing Day on June 27th.

WCHD: No updates

CCHHS: no updates

State prevention programs: Currently conducting a condom distribution survey for clients.

PACE: CDC is looking to amplify resources for congenital syphilis nationally. Today is national long-term survivors' awareness day. <u>HIV.gov</u> Blog- <u>https://www.hiv.gov/blog/hrsa-recognizes-hiv-long-term-survivors-awareness-day/?utm_source=email&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Daily20230605</u>

The next Presidential advisory committee on HIV will be in Phoenix, AZ, on the last week of June. The first day will focus entirely on the needs of the tribal and indigenous communities across Arizona and some of Nevada. The meeting will be held in person and virtually.

New CDC data shows a decrease in HIV among youth MSM

Southern Nevada Health Consortium: not present

• PAETC: They are offering a lunchtime congenital syphilis webinar on 7.20.23 and planning a DoxyPEP program in August.

Presenter: Ending the HIV Epidemic Initiative Updates: At this meeting, the Holy Order Sin Sity Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence, Sister Prudence, gave the EHE Workgroup an update on their medication assistance program, which is short-term financial stop-gap assistance for medication, co-pays, and labs.

Next meetings:

- Monday, July 10, 2023, 12-1 PM PT via Zoom
- Monday, August 7, 2023, 12-1 PM PT via Zoom