



PrEP for Transgender Women: Successes, Challenges & Opportunities

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BREAKOUT SESSION QUESTIONS

ACCESS TO PrEP

- 1) What issues and challenges, that were not discussed this morning, do you find are unique to PrEP access for trans women?
 - a. What makes these factors unique to trans women?
 - b. What strategies has your setting tried to address these challenges?
- 2) What are the keys to success, including best practices for PrEP access for trans women?
 - a. Can you describe a program or strategy that you know has been successful in engaging trans women in PrEP? Why do you think it worked? How could it be replicated in other settings?
- 3) What policy changes or new policies are needed to increase PrEP access for trans women?
- 4) Where and how do trans women get health care information? How can we leverage these existing systems to increase access to PrEP?
- 5) As a group, please select 3 of the topics that have been discussed during this breakout session that you think need to be addressed first.

PrEP RETENTION

- 1) What issues and challenges, that were not discussed this morning, do you find are unique to PrEP retention for trans women?
 - a. What makes these factors unique to trans women?
 - b. What strategies has your setting tried to address these challenges?
- 2) What are the keys to success, including best practices for PrEP retention among trans women?
 - a. Can you describe a program or strategy that you know has been successful in retaining trans women in PrEP? Why do you think it worked? How could it be replicated in other settings?
- 3) What policy changes or new policies are needed to increase PrEP retention among trans women?
- 4) As a group, please select 3 of the topics that have been discussed during this breakout session that you think need to be addressed first.

PrEP PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAM DESIGN

- 1) Based on your experience, expertise, and the information from today's presentations, what would the ideal public health PrEP program for trans women look like?
 - a. What clinical services should be included?
 - b. What non-clinical services should be included?
 - c. What organizational and administrative services should be included?
 - d. What could be leveraged and what would need to be newly created?
- 2) What policies/laws/regulations are needed to ensure that public health programs for trans women are effective? *(For example: as of August 2017, health insurers in NYS cannot deny claims for medical services because the insured does not present as the gender to whom the service is typically provided)*
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