

## **Suggested Activities for RWPA Comprehensive Plan**

### **Goal 1 Reduce new HIV infections**

**Objective 1 Increase percentage of people living with HIV who know their serostatus to at least 90%.**

#### **Strategy 1 Prevention, testing and linkage to care**

- 1.1.1.1 Increase support services for partners by\_\_\_\_\_
- 1.1.1.2 Expand testing in ERs by 5 new sites.
- 1.1.1.3 Promote clinic-level engagement programs.
- 1.1.1.4 Continue to require all HIV testing providers link positive clients to medical care and, where needed, supportive services.

#### **Strategy 2 Education**

- 1.1.2.1 Educate the medical community on the importance of routine testing.
- 1.1.2.2 Encourage providers to increase number of clients aware of their serostatus.
- 1.1.2.3 Incorporate Health Literacy in first visit.
- 1.1.2.4 Use social media/technology to educate clients of importance of knowing their serostatus.

#### **Strategy 3 Community engagement**

- 1.1.3.1 Conduct annual needs assessment to include community input.
- 1.1.3.2 Use technology to reach clients and partners.
- 1.1.3.3 Increase competency and knowledge of HIV-related issues among healthcare providers.
- 1.1.3.4 Support and promote public leadership among people living with HIV in EMA.

**Objective 2 Increase percentage of newly diagnosed persons linked to HIV medical care within one month of their HIV diagnosis to at least 85%.**

#### **Strategy 1 Streamlined processes**

- 1.2.1.1 Incorporate Health Literacy in first visit.
- 1.2.1.2 Ensure 90 percent of people are linked to care in 30 days.
- 1.2.1.3 Strengthen linkage for people diagnosed with HIV to case management and supportive services.
- 1.2.1.4 Providers strengthen follow up with clients and confirm they attended medical appointment.

#### **Strategy 2 Community engagement**

- 1.2.2.1 Work with partners and others in medical community to reach clients.
- 1.2.2.2 Provide technical assistance to providers on recapture/re-engagement initiatives.
- 1.2.2.3 Use technology to reach clients and partners.
- 1.2.2.4 Support and promote public leadership among people living with HIV in EMA.

#### **Strategy 3 Patient-centered care**

- 1.2.3.1 Develop a tiered system of case management to reflect different levels of need.
- 1.2.3.2 Develop and implement continuous quality improvement plan for care in the EMA.
- 1.2.3.3 Regularly survey clients to determine what can be improved to provide patient centered care.
- 1.2.3.4 Review and utilize best practices.