



MINUTES

SOUTHERN NEVADA HEALTH DISTRICT Southern Nevada HIV Prevention Planning Group August 2, 2019 1:00-3:00PM

VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT

Lyell Collins, State of Nevada	Tiana Junes, Planned Parenthood
Preston Nguyen Tang, State of Nevada	Robert Thurmond, Planned Parenthood
Robert Thurmond, Planned Parenthood	Connie Rose Shearer, Southern Nevada LGBT Center
Chris Reynolds, ASP Cares	
Leana Ramirez, Avella Pharmacy	

NON VOTING MEMBERS & GUEST PRESENT

VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT

Xavier Foster, SNHD
Todd Dickey, The LGBT Center

VISITORS/PUBLIC ATTENDANCE

Kashona Carew, SNHD	Wayne Arnold, Nevada Health Coalition
Phillip Washington, Nevada Health Coalition	Kandre Hunt, AIDS Healthcare Foundation

I. CALL TO ORDER - NOTICE OF POSTING AGENDA

Chair Cheryl Radeloff called the Southern Nevada HIV Prevention Planning Group meeting to order at 1:05 p.m. The Affidavit of Posting, Mailing of Agenda, and Public Notice of the Meeting Agenda were executed in accordance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment is a period devoted to comments by the general public on items appearing on the Agenda. All comments are limited to five (5) minutes. Chair C. Radeloff asked if anyone wished to address the group pertaining to items appearing on the Agenda. Seeing no one, she closed the Public Comment portion of the meeting.

III. ADOPTION OF AGENDA (for possible action)

A motion was made by Lyell Collins, seconded by Chris Reynolds and was unanimously carried to adopt the May 17th, 2019 agenda as presented.

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

Items for action to be considered by the Southern Nevada HIV Prevention Planning Group which may be enacted by one motion. Any item may be discussed separately per group member request before action. Any exceptions to the Consent Agenda must be stated prior to approval.

V. REPORT/DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE ACTION

The Southern Nevada HIV Prevention Planning Group may take any necessary action for any item under this section. Members of the public are allowed to speak on action items after the group's discussion and prior to their vote. Once the action item is closed, no additional public comment will be accepted.

a. APPROVE MINUTES/SOUTHERN NEVADA HIV PREVENTION PLANNING GROUPS MEETING: March 29 2019

A motion was made by Chris Reynolds to approve minutes with revisions. Seconded by member Leana Ramirez and carried unanimously to approve the minutes as amended.

b. VOTING OF NEW MEMBERS FOR SOUTHERN NEVADA HIV PREVENTION PLANNING GROUP:

There were no new nominations for new members for the Southern Nevada HIV Prevention Planning Group. Seeing no one, she closed the Voting of New Members portion of the meeting.

c. VOTE FOR UPDATES AND CHANGES TO BYLAWS

A motion was made by Leana Ramirez to vote for updates and changes to the bylaws. Seconded by Chris Reynolds and carried unanimously to approved.

VI. INFORMATIONAL ITEM/DISCUSSION ONLY

a. UPDATE ABOUT LISTENING SESSIONS

Chair Cheryl Radeloff stated that listening sessions with priority populations (Youth, Young Adult, MSM, Substance Abuse/Use, HIV+) have been started in order to fulfill requirements as indicated in the Nevada Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan 2017-2021.

Chair Cheryl Radeloff informed Southern Nevada has completed eight (8) one-on-one sessions and a listening group (11 people participated from Community Counseling Center)

Preliminary data from Listening Sessions indicate mix awareness about HIV in Southern Nevada.

More listening sessions and listening groups needs to be conducted with the Spanish speaking population and trans* population.

SNHD provides \$10 Walmart Gift Card for time. Contact Joyce/Cheryl to obtain more information.

B. UPDATE ABOUT STATUS OF SON HPPG TECHNICAL ADVISOR

Chair Cheryl Radeloff informed SoN HPPG regarding previous Technical Advisor Robert Nagele leaving for medical school. Robert plans to apply for membership in the near future.

Chair Cheryl Radeloff updated SoN HPPG that Preston Tang has filled the role as Technical Advisor.

C. UPDATE ON STATUS OF EVALUATION OF NEVADA INTEGRATED HIV PREVENTION AND CARE PLAN 2017-2021

Lyell Collins reported there hasn't been any update about the Nevada Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan 2017-2021 since the last SoN HPPG Meeting.

Preston informed that University of Nevada, Reno - Center for Program Evaluation has sent out a standardized survey monkey to collect data for Nevada Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan 2017-2021. If you need to be added to the survey monkey, contact Kelly Morning.

Lyell Collins stated that the group should be looking to start work on the Nevada Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan for 2022, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) should be releasing a new guidance document soon related to the plan.

D. UPDATE ON GETTING TO ZERO AND OTHER LOCAL, STATE AND NATIONAL INITIATIVES (E.G. U=U, FAST TRACK CITIES ETC)

Cheryl informed members that State of Nevada are running several initiatives at the same time. Nevada Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan 2017-2021, Getting to Zero, Fast Track Cities, U=U, 90/90/90, Rapid ART/START.

Regardless of the multiple initiative, making sure our work are congruent to develop less duplications of work.

Campaigns:

• **Getting to Zero**

- Zero new HIV infections. Zero deaths from AIDS-related illness.
- State of Nevada is moving to that Direction
- UNR AETC and CPE have been leading the Getting to Zero Plan
 - Contact Preston for more information
 - <https://ari.ucsf.edu/clinical-care/getting-zero>

• **90 / 90 / 90**

- 90% of all people living with HIV will know their HIV status.
- 90% of all people with diagnosed HIV infection will receive sustained antiretroviral therapy.
- 90% of all people receiving antiretroviral therapy will have viral suppression.
- SNHD had a "Call To Action" for to community partners and health care providers to implement HIV/AIDS interventions and strategies to achieve the goal of 90-90-90 in Nevada.
- <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/library/factsheets/cdc-hiv-care-continuum.pdf>

• **Fast Track City**

- Nevada, specifically Las Vegas, bear a large share of the global HIV burden.
- A global partnership between the City of Paris, International Association of Providers of AIDS Care (IAPAC), the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), and the United Nations Human Settlements

Programme (UN-Habitat), in collaboration with local, national, regional, and international partners and stakeholders

- Focused on translating global goals, objectives, and targets into local implementation plans, the FTCL is meant to build upon, strengthen, and leverage existing HIV-specific and -related programs and resources to:
 - Attain 90-90-90 targets
 - Increase utilization of combination HIV prevention services
 - Reduce to zero the negative impact of stigma and discrimination
 - Establish a common, web-based platform to allow for real-time monitoring of progress
 - <https://www.fast-trackcities.org/about>
- **Rapid ART / START**
 - SNHD has started Rapid ART/START since April 2019
 - 2 rapid HIV test conducted for someone who comes back as preliminary positive - Ideally start medication the same day or next day (handout included)
 - Initiating antiretroviral therapy (ART) as early as the day of HIV diagnosis is a strategy of increasing global interest to control the HIV epidemic and optimize the health of people living with HIV (PLWH). No detrimental effects of rapid-start ART have been identified in randomized controlled trials undertaken in low- or middle-income countries, or in cohort studies performed in high-income countries.
 - <http://www.gettingtozerosf.org/rapid-committee/>
- **Undetectable = Untransmittable (U=U)**
 - <https://www.preventionaccess.org/>
 - "People who take ART daily as prescribed and achieve and maintain an undetectable viral load have effectively no risk of sexually transmitting the virus to an HIV-negative partner." The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (September, 2017)
 - Lab result virally suppressed for 6 months
 - Virally Suppressed less than 200 copies
 - Standard is less than 20 copies
 - Some people cannot achieve undetectable, but are virally suppressed

Member Connie Shearer inquired if any of the campaigns are looking at racial disparities. Member Lyell Collins informed that Fast Track Cities was looking at it.

Member Chris Reynolds mentioned, "as a planning group we need to lend support for U=U." Chair Cheryl plans on bringing the SNHD OEDS Manager at next meeting to have SoN HPPG to lend endorsement of SNHD CHO for the U=U initiative..

E. UPCOMING TRAININGS AND CONFERENCES

<u>Training</u>	<u>Conference / Event</u>
<u>Rapid HIV Testing/Counseling Certification Program</u>	<u>AFAN Black & White Party</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • August 10, 2019 at Hard Rock Casino

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • August 20-23, 2019 (Trac-B) • October 22-24, 2019 (SNHD) • November 5-7, 2019 (Roseman University) • Contact Joyce Castro for more information 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://afanlv.org/event/black-white-party <p><u>Back to School Immunization clinic</u> Free HIV/STI Testing 13-19 years old</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sat, August 10, 2019 • 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM <p><u>United States Conference on AIDS (USCA) 2019</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 5- 8, 2019 • Washington, DC • http://2019usca.org <p><u>The Southern Nevada HIV Summit</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Friday, September 27, 2019 • More Details to come <p><u>Henderson Library Family Pride Day</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 28, 2019 <p><u>Autumn Update</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • November 1-3, 2019 • https://med.unr.edu/cme/au2019 <p><u>Faith Based - World AIDS Day</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • November 29, 2019 • TBA <p><u>Biomedical HIV Prevention Conference 2019</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • December 2-3, 2019 • https://10times.com/biomedical-hiv-prevention-summit-united-states <p><u>International AIDS Conference 2020</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • July 6-10, 2020 • San Francisco / Oakland, CA • https://www.aids2020.org <p><u>USCA 2020</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oct 10-13, 2020 • San Juan, Puerto Rico
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F. UPDATES

- Planned Parenthood
 - Offering Free STI testing at Flamingo Location until September 30, 2019.
 - Sponsoring Uban Pride - Oct 18-20, 2019
 - expanding capacity for HIV Testing
 - They are obtaining lab approval for their new center

- Offering Free HIV Testing at events
- HIV Consortium is working on National LatinX Awareness Event / TLC Healthfair in September - at CSN Charleston
 - Contact Chris Reynolds for more information
- Brochures
 - Hepatitis A - Cheryl is part of incident command staff
 - Hepatitis A disproportionately impact homeless + MSM
 - Chair Cheryl Radeloff has been informing incident command staff about resources within Clark County and that SNHD offers immunization.
 - The Incident Command Program are amping up resources - Going out to homeless encampments.
 - Contact Cheryl for more information
 - Syphilis
 - Nevada tops nation in rate of syphilis infections.
 - Flyer available targeting Pregnant ladies and MSM
 - PrEPing for Change (PrEP)
 - SNHD has a campaign called, “PrEPing for Change” to provide educational resources and information to community providers and community members about PrEP.
 - SNHD also offers PrEP Academic Detailing to educate medical providers to offer PrEP.
 - <https://www.southernnevadahealthdistrict.org/PrEP>
- Com C Moving
 - New spot - 1090 E Desert Inn Road Suite 200 / DI and Maryland Parkway
- Faith Based Initiative - Pastor Washington discuss about engaging faith community leaders to get involve with HIV testing, prevention and care.
- Member Leana Ramirez from Avella Pharmacy mentioned there will be a “large” event with details to follow.

VII. PUBLIC COMMENT:

A period devoted to comments by the general public, if any, and discussions of those comments, about matters relevant to the group’s jurisdiction will be held. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of this Agenda until this matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken pursuant to NRS 241.020. Comments are limited to five (5) minutes per speaker.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT:

Chair C. Radeloff asks for a motion to adjourn.

Member Chris Reynolds motioned to adjourn, and Lyell Collins seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 2:37 PM.