



Creating Awareness
Providing Opportunities
Improving Quality of Life

JOB TITLE: CTR Counselor (Counseling, Testing, Referral Counselor)
DEPARTMENT: HIV Prevention
SALARY RANGE: \$28,000.00 -- 31,000.00
HOURS: Full-time (40 hours per week) unconventional hours with some evenings, nights and weekends

Functions of Work:

Under the supervision of the Prevention Program Manager and Executive Director, performs HIV counseling, testing and referrals services to for Young Men of Color (Black and/or Hispanic) who have Sex with Men (YMSM) at high risk for HIV infection and/or living with HIV/AIDS ages 13 to 29.

Examples of work Performed

- Conducts HIV Testing using Rapid Testing Technology
- Conducts STD and/or Blood borne pathogen screenings
- Conducts a comprehensive HIV/STD risk assessment of factors that influence client risk taking
- Develop individualized client risk reduction plan with realistic, time-phased, measurable goals
- Supporting and reinforcing client behavior changes by repeating risk reduction messages and offering suggestions to overcome barriers.
- Monitoring client progress toward his/her risk reduction plan at each session by reviewing individual risk reduction goals/objectives.
- Developing a plan to obtain necessary services, such as housing, drug treatment, job training and HIV/STD prevention and treatment services through referrals, case manager assistance and follow up at each session
- Participate in street outreach for HIV/STD Prevention education and CTR
- Responsible for maintenance and quality assurance of agency data collection
- Advocate for the use of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) and assist clients in enrollment
- Provide referral and assistance in HIV+ YMSM Clients attaining medical care and treatment adherence.

Specific objectives of the risk reduction plan may include:

- Learning correct way to use a male /female condom
- Increasing condom usage to every time/every other time with all partners/everyone but your primary partner
- Within one/three/six months, reducing the number of partners to X
- Decreasing intercourse to X times per week/month

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