

**HIV Prevention Planning Council (HPPC)
and HIV Health Services Planning Council**

**Points of Integration Between Prevention & CARE
Tuesday, September 19, 2006
3:30 – 5:30 PM
25 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 330A**

AGENDA

1. Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements 3:30-3:35 pm
2. Public Comment 3:35-3:40 pm
3. Approval of minutes from 8/1/06 meeting (vote) 3:40-3:45 pm
4. Committee Business: 3:45-4:00 pm
 - Report from HIV Prevention Planning Council (HPPC)
 - Report from HIV Health Services Planning Council (HSPC)
5. Follow-up on Disclosure (vote) 4:00-4:10 pm
 - Present draft Motion

RECOMMENDATION 1. Disclosure services, as a vital part of HIV prevention in San Francisco, should be client-centered, culturally competent, and incorporate a harm reduction approach.

The Points of Integration Between Prevention & Care Committee (POI) recommends to the Health Department that it incorporates disclosure services, also known as partner notification, as a vital part of HIV prevention. Disclosure services funded by the San Francisco HIV prevention section should adhere to guidelines and principles of the HIV Prevention Plan. As such, disclosure services should be client-centered, culturally competent, and incorporate a harm reduction approach.

Disclosure services are to be made available to both HIV-positive and HIV-negative individuals. These services should provide a broad range of approaches that support both individuals who are interested in disclosure as well as those who are not interested or not ready to disclose their HIV status. A component on risk reduction strategies should be incorporated that may include, but not limited to, safer sex negotiation and safety enhancement practices. The POI Committee believes that this support of HIV status communication will greatly impact both the mental and physical health of individuals and the well being of communities impacted by HIV.

RECOMMENDATION 2. Provider training and agency guidance should be a requisite for implementation of a broad range of disclosure services.

The POI committee recommends to the Health Department that it provides guidance for agencies and adequate training for providers on disclosure services to ensure that 1) agencies have the resources to implement disclosure services; and 2) providers have the skills to incorporate broad approaches to disclosure with their clients.

RECOMMENDATION 3. Disclosure services should be included in the HIV Prevention Plan.

6. Follow-up Draft motion based on Recommendations from late & non-testers (possible vote) 4:10-4:25 pm
7. Presentation by Tim Vincent 4:25-5:15 pm
8. Planning for next meeting 5:15-5:25 pm
 - Review revised work plan
9. Evaluation and closing 5:25-5:30 pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday, October 17, from 3:30-5:30 p.m., Room 330A

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