



Illinois HIV Planning Group (ILHPG) Workshop –Revised Final Agenda

August 25, 2017, 8:45 am – 1:00 pm

Memorial Center for Learning and Innovation

2A Curtis Theater Classroom

228 West Miller St., Springfield, IL 62702

8:45 am: Welcome; introduce co-chairs, leadership, and facilitator, acknowledge moment of silence (5 minutes)

8:50 am: Meeting process; Attendance; Announcements; Updates (10 minutes)

- Meeting process, meeting survey, online discussion board instructions
- Roll call attendance of voting members, announcement of non-voting members and others, including those participating remotely
- Review of agenda and meeting objectives; Announcements

9:00 am: HIV Section and HIV Program Important Updates - (40 minutes)


Eduardo Alvarado, IDPH HV Section Chief

Curt Hicks, Jeffery Maras, Cheryl Ward, Karen Pendergrass, IDPH HIV Program Administrators

- Questions & Answers, Discussion, Input – (10 minutes)

 *Goal 4(Achieve a More Coordinated National response to the HIV Epidemic)*

9:50 am: ILHPG Liaison and RIG Lead Agent Reports – (40 minutes)

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10:30 am: 2017 Legislation/HIV-Related Policy Update – (20 minutes)

Dan Frey, Director of Government Relations, AIDS Foundation of Chicago


- Questions & Answers, Discussion, Input – (10 minutes)

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11:00 am: Break (15 minutes)

11:15 am: Illinois AIDS/HIV & STD Hotline Update – (15 mins)


Jill Dispenza, Director, HIV/AIDS/STD Hotline and HIV Testing & Prevention, Center on Halsted

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11:30 am: Results of 2016 Ryan White Client Satisfaction Survey (Core Services and Prevention) - (20 minutes)

Jennifer Koechle, IDPH HIV RW Part B Data Specialist


- Questions & Answers, Discussion, Input - (10 minutes)

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12:00 pm: 2018 Prevention Services Regional Gap Analysis and Funding/Service Distribution - (30 minutes)


Curt Hicks, IDPH HIV Prevention Administrator

- Questions & Answers, Discussion, Input - (15 minutes)

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12:45 pm: Public Comment Period/Parking Lot/Announcements- (10 minutes)

1:00 pm: Adjourn

 *Planning Group presentations/ discussions are designed to be centered on Planning Group functions/processes and the goals/ indicators of the National HIV/ AIDS Strategy (NHAS) and/ or the steps of the HIV Care Continuum. This symbol, followed by its description, indicates the focus of the presentation in relation to NHAS or the HIV Care Continuum.*