STI/HIV Updates for 2024 San Mateo County

San Mateo County HIV Program

Community Board Meeting

March 2024



Living HIV Cases as of 12/31/2023

Total		1,751	100.0
Gender	Male	1,502	85.8
	Female	214	12.2
	Transgender/Other/Unknown	35	2.0
Race/Ethnicity	American Indian/Alaska Native	4	0.2
	Asian	220	12.6
	Black/African-American	157	9.0
	Latinx	660	37.7
	Multirace	45	2.6
	Other/Unknown	15	0.9
	Pacific Islander/Native Hawaiian	20	1.1
	White	630	36.0
Age	0-19	8	0.5
	20-29	90	5.1
	30-39	301	17.2
	40-49	314	17.9
	50-59	449	25.6
	60+	589	33.6
Transmission Category	MMSC	1,146	65.4
	IDU	96	5.5
	MMSC/IDU	90	5.1
	Heterosexual Contact	184	10.5
	Perinatal	8	0.5
	Other Risk	8	0.5
	Not Specified	219	12.5



Newly Diagnosed HIV Cases in 2023

Total		57	100
Gender	Male	46	80.7
	Female	8	14
	Transgender/Other/Unknown	3	5.3
Age	0-19	1	1.8
	20-29	14	24.6
	30-39	24	42.1
	40-49	10	17.5
	50-59	5	8.8
	60+	3	5.3
Race/Ethnicity	Asian	9	15.8
	Black/African-American	3	5.3
	Latinx	33	57.9
	Multirace	2	3.5
	White	10	17.5
Transmission Category	MMSC	39	68.4
	IDU	1	1.8
	MMSC/IDU	1	1.8
	Heterosexual Contact	4	7
	Perinatal	0	0
	Other Risk	0	0
	Not Specified	12	21.1



Medi-Cal Update

- As of January 1, 2024, multiple changes:
 - Still income eligibility of 138% of Federal Poverty Limit (FPL).
 \$20,782 for single in 2024
 - Asset limitation removed. You can have as much cash in bank accounts, homes, financial resources
 - Immigration status removed. Anyone who can provide an address in CA (utility bill, lease, phone bill) is eligible for Medi-Cal
 - Receiving Medi-Cal does NOT count against public charge determination



TakeMeHome.org

- Free testing program funded through California Department of Public Health (CDPH)
- San Mateo is one of 14 counties participating
- Residents 17 and older can order online at https://takemehome.org/
- Can order HIV (oral rapid or fingerstick conventional), HCV, syphilis, gonorrhea, chlamydia tests
- Resident sends in specimens and receives results
- San Mateo Public Health receives positive results in order to follow up with treatment



- CDPH is transitioning from ARIES to HIV Care Connect (HCC)
 - ARIES is over 16 years old, needing to switch to newer system
 - HCC will include ADAP and eHARS (HIV surveillance) data, basically combining all HIV data systems
 - All Ryan White and HOPWA funded agencies transitioning
 - Current plan is May 6, 2024
 - Clients will need to sign a new Consent Form
 - HCC will still be a shared system



- Edison Clinic is upgrading the Electronic Medical Record (EMR) to EPIC
- This is an upgrade throughout all of San Mateo Medical Center (SMMC), including Dental Clinic
- This combines multiple EMRs that SMMC has used into one system
- EPIC is used by most large medical facilities (Kaiser, Sutter, UCSF, Stanford)



- Edison Clinic has begun offering Long-Acting Injectable Anti-Retroviral Therapy (LAI ART); Cabenuva
- LAI ART is a once-monthly injection instead of taking daily oral medication
- Being offered to patients who:
 - Have no resistance to either medication in Cabenuva (cabotegravir and rilpivirine)
 - Are virologically suppressed for at least 6 months
 - Are not pregnant
 - Are not on other medications that have a contraindication
- Currently around 30-40 patients at Edison Clinic receiving LAI ART



- Edison Clinic staffing updates:
 - Pharmacist on staff who can:
 - Oversee all PrEP and Cabenuva (LAI ART) treatment
 - Completes medication reconciliation after a hospital discharge
 - Consults for drug resistance and drug-to-drug interactions
 - Helps with prior authorizations for medications not covered by insurance
 - Co-manages diabetes and hypertension with PCP and specialists
 - Social Worker who was providing harm reduction therapy has left, currently in hiring process
 - Adding a temporary Eligibility/Financial Benefits staff to assist with transition to HCC and EPIC



- Edison Clinic has begun the annual Client Satisfaction Survey
- Started in February and planning on going until June or July
- Looking at electronic survey system such as Survey Monkey in order for clients to have easier access



- Edison Clinic is working with CDPH to provide incentives to HIV+ patients who have not received the mpox vaccine
- Currently identifying patients who have not received any mpox vaccine so outreach and education can be provided to bring in for mpox vaccine



Ryan White Funding History

Decrease in Ryan White Part A of \$600,231 (29.26%) since 2011-2012

- 2011-2012: \$2,051,640
- 2012-2013: \$1,641,628
- 2013-2014: \$1,358,915
- 2014-2015: \$1,183,453
- 2015-2016: \$1,183,460
- 2016-2017: \$1,179,267
- 2017-2018: \$1,176,303

- 2018-2019: \$1,143,218
- 2019-2020: \$1,267,929
- 2020-2021: \$1,375,312
- 2021-2022: \$1,362,815
- 2022-2023: \$1,442,325
- 2023-2024: \$1,451,409
- 2024-2025: ????

