

# CARE STATUS REPORTS

Using NYC HIV  
Registry Data  
for Linkage/  
Retention  
Efforts

# NEW YORK STATE PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTING OF HIV/AIDS

- **1983:** Mandated named **AIDS** case reporting
  - Emergency amendment to section 24.1 of the state sanitary code
- **2000:** Implemented named **HIV** reporting
  - Public Health Law Article 21 Title III
- **2005:** In addition to positive confirmatory test results, mandated emergency regulations for reporting:
  - All CD4 counts (or percentages), viral loads (detectable or undetectable), HIV viral nucleotide sequences

**Comprehensive lab reporting can help indicate receipt of HIV-related care (linkage and retention)**

# NEW YORK STATE RULES AND REGULATIONS (2010 HIV TESTING LAW)

- Revised in February, 2012 regarding the amended 2010 New York State (NYS) HIV Testing Public Health Law stated:

“Nothing contained herein shall prevent the department, municipal health commissioner or district health officer from informing physicians and other persons authorized to order diagnostic tests or make medical diagnoses or their agents that there is ***no need for additional follow-up by such provider for such individual.***”

# INTERPRETATION OF THE RULES

- Limited amount of patient-specific data from the NYC HIV Registry can be disclosed to HIV care providers regarding the overall care status (e.g. “receiving care” or not) of a person living with HIV **out of care  $\geq 12$  months from their facility**
- What information will providers receive for a submitted patient:
  - Follow-up needed
  - No additional follow-up needed

# Care Status Reports

**Request for access to web-based CSR application**



**Submit eligible out of care patients**



**Care Status: Follow-up or No Add'l Follow-up**

# Care Status Reports

## Request for access to web-based CSR application

- Eligibility:
  - Provider located in NYC AND
  - Conducts confirmatory testing or provides HIV-related care
- Care Status Report Designee: only one designee per site
- Request for access: 2 step process completed by Designee
  - NYCMED HIV CSR Registration page
  - Email exchange
    - *CSR Security Use Policy form*
    - *CSR Agreement and Affiliates form (complete and return)*

NYCMed User Name

## Clinical Site ( must be located in NYC)

Name of clinic/site

Type of clinic

 Diagnosing only  Diagnosing/care provider

Street Address /Street Name /Suite

 /  / 

Borough /City / Zip

BRONX ▾ /  / 

## Medical Director / Program Manager

First/Last name

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Provider type

 Physician  Physician assistant  Nurse practitioner

NYS License number

Work Email

Work Phone

## CSR Designee

 Same as above Medical Director / Program Manager

First/Last name

(Person requesting access)

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Work Email

Work Phone

Title

Degree

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# Care Status Reports

Request for access to web-based CSR application



**Submit eligible out of care patients**

- Must submit demographic info, date of last lab, date of last med visit. Not a direct query of the Registry.
- Patient/provider verification conducted on each patient
  - If not confirmed, care status match will not proceed
  - Additional investigation will be conducted



Patient Data Entry

Last Name \*

First Name \* / Middle Name

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Date of Birth \*

Alias Last Name

Alias First Name / Middle Name

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Alias Date of Birth

Sex at birth \*

 Male  Female

Social Security Number \*

Medical record number (MRN)/facility identifier \*

Date of the last HIV-related medical visit at facility/site \*

Date of the last HIV-related lab at facility/site \*

\* Required Fields

[Submit](#)

[Reset](#)

# Care Status Reports

- Look-up view limited to:
  - MRN/facility identifier
  - Care status match (pending, follow-up, no add'l f/u)
  - Date request submitted
  - Date care status match was run
- Printing rights NOT given
- Not a direct query of the HIV Registry

**Care Status: Follow-up or No Add'l Follow-up**

Status 
 MRN/facility identifier 
 Submitted From  To

1 records found

MRN/facility identifier	Process Status	Submitted Date	Match Care Status Date	Comment
1000002	Follow-up needed	04/07/2014		

[Open Process Status Description](#)

Process Status Description ✕

- **Blank**  
Case is awaiting processing
- **Non-case**  
Unable to establish that the patient has ever been diagnosed with HIV and reported to the NYC DOHMH
- **Pending**  
Case currently being processed
- **Follow-up needed**  
Patient did not meet criteria for being engaged in care in NYC
- **No additional follow-up needed**  
Patient met criteria for being engaged in care in NYC

Disclaimer - information regarding the patient's care status is limited to the receipt of data that has been reported to the NYC DOHMH HIV Surveillance Registry

# **BENEFITS TO THE COMMUNITY**

- Empowers the provider to direct efforts to those who are truly out of care while improving resource utilization
- Re-engagement of out of care patients will improve health outcomes and decreases transmission
- This system will be of little cost and provide available data to better support the NYC providers and patients

# TIMELINE

- **Feb 2012:** NYS rules and regulations released
- **April 2012:** Initial CSR protocol drafted
- **Oct 2013:** Web application developed
- **Nov 2013:** Application placed on internal web server for test list pilot and QA checks
- **Jan 2014:** Conducted demonstration of beta application with key members of 16 facilities who provided out of care patient lists
- **Nov 2014:** Application placed on NYCMED for final testing with 21 sites
- **Spring 2015:** Citywide launch anticipated

**QUESTIONS/COMMENTS**

# CONTACT INFORMATION

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