Ending the HIV Epidemic (EHE) Regional Meeting

Taking strategic action to address substance use in California

Tuesday, Oct. 20, 2020, 9-11 a.m. PST
and
Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2020, 9-11 a.m. PST
Figure 1. Human immunodeficiency virus outbreaks among persons who inject drugs (United States, January 2015 to December 2018). PWID, persons who inject drugs.
Day 1 Recap and Meeting Objectives

1. Discuss the current state of substance use and how it contributes to the HIV epidemic and related syndemics in CA

2. Identify multiple strategies to address substance use in CA

3. Discuss action steps for policy, advocacy, programmatic, and research stakeholders to move these strategies forward over the next 12 months
Meeting Agenda

9:05 – 10:00 am
Strategies in Action Panel
Live Q&A

10:05 – 10:55 am
Breakout Sessions: Action Planning

10:55 – 11:00 am
Closing and Next Steps
Key Resources and Opportunities to Engage

Technical Assistance:

• Pacific AIDS Education and Training Center (PAETC)
• Pacific Southwest Addiction Technology Transfer Center (PS-ATTC)
• Technical Assistance Provider-Innovation Network (TAP-in)
• Two NIDA-funded projects: SAT2HIV-II and STS4HIV

Opportunities to Engage:

• Advancing efforts to address HIV, HCV, and STDs in the era of COVID-19 and beyond – Wednesday, November 18, 2020 from 1 PM - 3 PM
CALIFORNIA HIV/AIDS POLICY RESEARCH CENTERS

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WHAT WE DO

Our centers are comprised of multi-disciplinary teams of investigators working in partnership with consumers, advocates, and policymakers to conduct policy-relevant research that strengthen local, state, and national HIV responses. This research produces new knowledge that can be applied to improve prevention and care services for affected persons and populations.