#### HRSA Moves Forward with Technical Assistance and Training

**USCA2015 - September 11, 2015** 





# RWHAP provides capacity building TA/Training. Learn about services/resources that your agency can use on: Clinician training New models of care Clinical quality management Health literacy Data ADAP support

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- Harold Philips, HAB
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- Rene Esler, JSI
- Beth Hurley, Cicatelli
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#### **Learning Objectives**

Identify technical assistance products and services available to the Ryan White grantee and provider community

Know how to find technical assistance and capacity building tools and resources to use in your respective programs

Understand how to request additional technical assistance when needed





#### **HRSA/HAB TA Resources**

Affordable Care Act

General

Project Officers, HRSA Contact Center and "TAC"

**AETCs** 

Data

**SPNS** 





#### **HRSA/HAB TA Resources: ACA**

Affordable Care Enrollment (ACE) Project John Snow, Inc.



**Engaging Insurance Plans Under the ACA**Cicatelli Associates



**ASO Service Models** Fenway Community Health







#### **HRSA/HAB TA Resources: General**

**TARGET Center Website (UCSF)** 



National Quality Center (HRI/NYSDOH)



Fiscal Management (HealthHIV)





**ADAP TA** (NASTAD)





Engaging MSM in Care (NASTAD)

Health Literacy Project (John Snow, Inc.)







#### **HRSA/HAB TA Resources: HRSA**

**HRSA Project Officers** 

**HRSA Contact Center: HCC** 

(Verizon/Teletech)

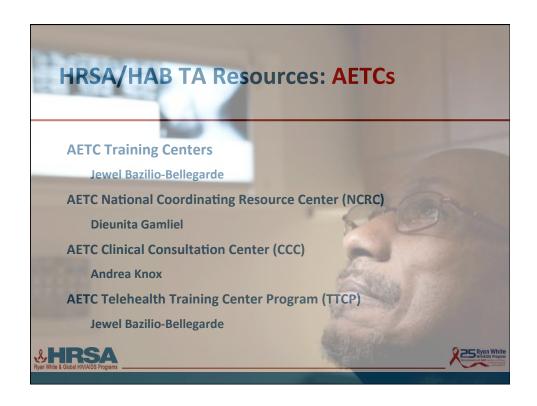
**National TA Contract: TAC** 

(Management Strategists Consulting Group)











#### **HRSA/HAB TA Resources: SPNS**

Special Projects of National Significance (SPNS)

Adan Cajina

Integrating HIV Innovative Practices (IHIP)

Melinda Tinsley





#### **HRSA/HAB TA Resources: Using Them**

- HAB has a host of TA resources available to assist grantees
- Become familiar with these resources
- Ask any questions you may have
- · Let us know any TA needs or gaps you identify
- Thank-you!





#### **Learn More/Additional Resources**

TARGET Center Help Desk

Drop Down Menu for TA Providers
<a href="https://careacttarget.org/content/ta-providers">https://careacttarget.org/content/ta-providers</a>





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# National Quality Center (NQC) Improvement/ Management Technical Assistance Center Cooperative Agreement

The NQC provides training and technical assistance to Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program recipients and funded providers to improve the quality of care and services and respond to and implement quality management legislative mandates

HRSA Cooperative Agreement #U28HA04132

#### Overview

Type: Cooperative agreement

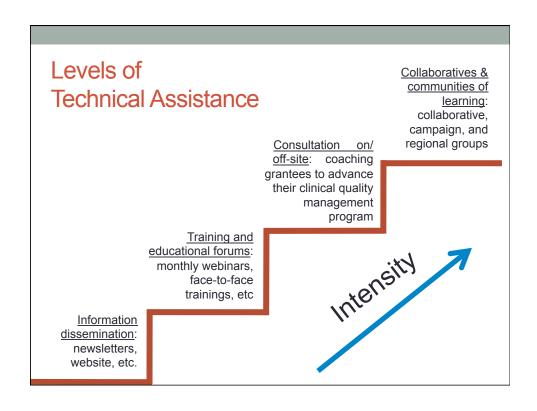
Project period: September 2004 – June 2017

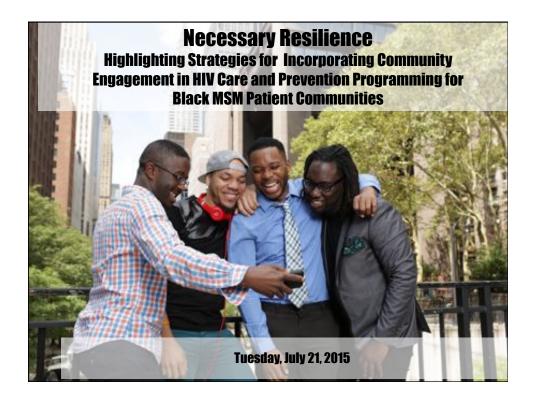
Current budget period: July 2015-June 2016

Grantee: Health Research, Inc./NYS Dept. of Health (AIDS

Institute)

Annual budget: \$2,185,000.00





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#### Center for Engaging Black MSM Across the Care Continuum NASTAD (CEBACC)

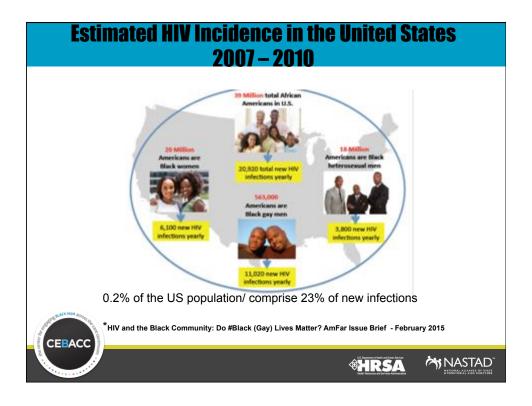


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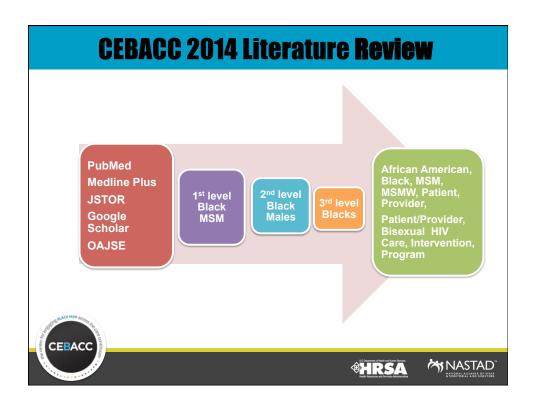
# CEBACC 2014 Literature Review Focus

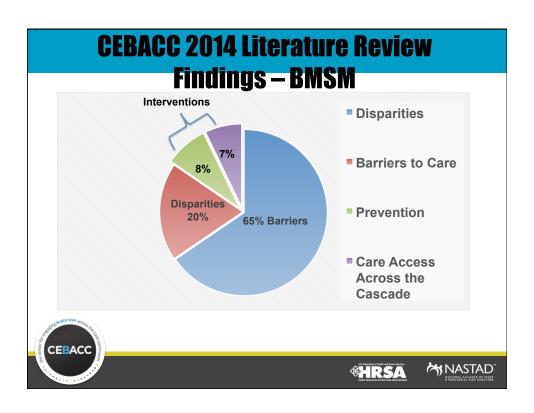
- Interventions for HIV screening, linkage and retention for positive Black MSM
  - > less emphasis on prevention, behavioral modification
- ➤ Peer reviewed studies/articles published between 2008 2014 \*Multiple study designs considered
- Primary Study population Black MSM residing in the US











#### U.S. Public Health Response and Addressing Social Determinants of Health

- · Lancelet, July 2013
- A systematic review of HIV interventions for black men who have sex with men (MSM)
  - 12 completed studies of interventions for black MSM
    - 8 out of 12 interventions aimed to reduce HIV risky behaviors among Black MSM patients
    - · 4 studies focused on care interventions for Black MSM living with HIV
- Many Men, Many Voices 3 MV Behavioral Modifications 3MV uses small group education and interaction to increase knowledge and change attitudes and behaviors related to HIV/STD risk among black MSM.

#### **Singular Approach**



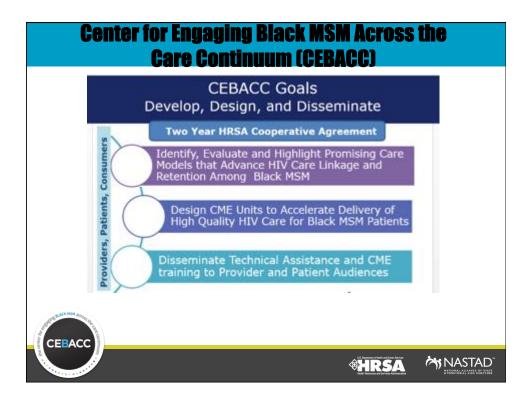


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# Dreams



#### **Patient/Provider Relationship**

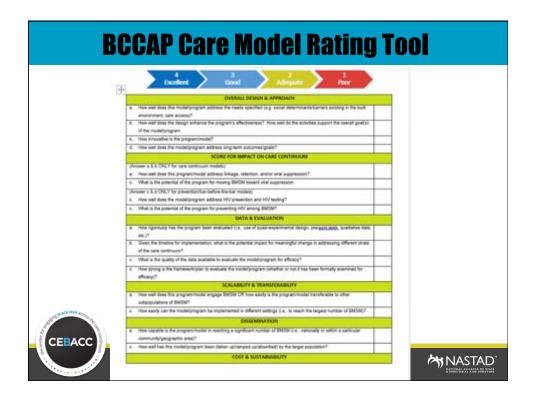
- Bi directional opportunities to address the communication gap
- Black MSM patients and health care providers must be willing to educate and inform one another
- Successful care engagement is a partnership!











Care Model Inventory				
Care Model	Institution Funded	Budget	Funder	
CRUSH (Alameda County, CA)	Academic/CBOs	\$1,000,000	California HIV/AIDS Research Project/ UCSF (State)	
Connect to Protect/SMILE (Memphis, TN)	CBOs/Hospitals/Local Health Department		National Institute Health/NICHD ATN (Federal)	
Howard Brown/Broadway Youth Center (Chicago, IL)	ASO	\$500,000		
Project Silk (Pittsburgh, PA)	Academic/CBO	\$467,000	,	
Linkage To Care (L2C) (Indianapolis, N)	ASO	\$400,000	AIDS United (Federal)	
Us Helping Us – Ties that Bond (Washington, DC)	СВО	\$300,000	CDC (Federal)	
Retention Through Enhanced Personal Contact (REPC)	ASO/CBO (multisite)	\$241,565	CDC/HRSA (Federal)	
CLEAR Program (Norfolk, VA)		\$83,000		
Project Healthy Living: ManDate (Washington, DC)	Local host house (varies)	\$60,000	NASTAD, DC HAHSTA, Gilead	
SMILE - Fenway Institute (Boston, MA)	FQHC	\$55,000	Adolescent Trials Network (Federal)	
AIDS Foundation Chicago HIV-VIP Program (Chicago, IL)	NGO	\$14,500	CDC (Federal)	

#### What's Working? Characteristics of selected care models

- Care is client centered
- Care is client- driven
- Assets based vs. Deficits based
- Program design addresses health systems/targets multiple stakeholders
- Promise for maximum utilization by Black MSM
- Significant impact on HIV care across one or more strata of the care cascade, including prevention
- Program is currently ongoing







#### What's Working? CEBACC Key Concepts

- · Intersectionality Black, gay, male, youth
- Community Engagement Designed closely with the target population — e.g. CRUSH
- Leveraging Partnerships linking black MSM patients with support services, strong referral networks for partner services, (mental health/substance use, employment) C2P
- Innovations + Refreshing Traditional Strategies recreational space AND affiliation with medical clinic, support and counseling groups: Project Silk, UHU Ties that Bond, Kaiser Speakout 25 under 25







### What's Working? CEBACC Key Concepts

- Prioritizes patients' immediate concerns, needs and desires
- Patient navigation, case management, individualized attention
- Not rushing patients into first appointment readiness check
- Assisting black MSM patients with additional structural and psycho-social barriers to care (mental health/substance use, employment)
- Programs meet clients where they are at









#### **CEBACC CME/CNU Development**

- Describe health care challenges for black MSM
- 2. Address misinformation, knowledge gaps, and ignorance among provider communities
- Develop skills in offering high quality and nuanced culturally appropriate sexual health services







#### **CME/CNU Development**



Dr. David Malebranche STD/STI Screenings



Dr. Leo Moore Sexual Health Intake History



Dr. Quintin Robinson Vaccinations







#### Part B/AIDS Drug Assistance Program Training and Technical Assistance Cooperative Agreement

Ann Lefert, Senior Director, Prevention/Care Program & Policy
USCA



# NASTAD and HRSA Cooperative Agreement: Ryan White Part B and ADAP TA

- NASTAD has been funded by HRSA/HAB to provide TA to Ryan White Part B/ADAPs from July 2014 - June 2017
- Provide TA to Part B/ADAPs to strengthen capacity to implement and administer <u>insurance purchasing</u> programs
- Provide TA to ADAPs to implement an effective <u>ADAP</u> financial forecasting model
- Assist Part B/ADAPs in conducting <u>analysis and evaluation</u> of <u>health plans</u> and identifying barriers to access
- Provide TA to Part B/ADAPs to leverage data to improve health outcomes across the HIV Care Continuum (i.e., data to care), including building and enhancing comprehensive systems of care



#### NASTAD and HRSA Cooperative Agreement: Ryan White Part B and ADAP TA

- Assist Part B/ADAPs in implementing and participating in <u>integrated planning</u> processes
- Assist Part B/ADAPs in implementing effective cost-containment strategies and preventing the use of waiting lists, including participating in the 340B program, CMS data sharing, and other data sharing
- Assist ADAPs in their efforts to "get the best price" and explore opportunities to negotiate or gain access to discounts on high utilization, non-HIV-specific drugs
- Provide on-going mentorship and peer-to-peer training and educational opportunities



#### NASTAD and HRSA Cooperative Agreement: Ryan White Part B and ADAP TA

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# In It Together: National Health Literacy Project for Black MSM

Presented by:

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#### **PROJECT AIM**

Improve health outcomes along the HIV care continuum by developing health literate organizations and promoting health literacy as a component of culturally appropriate service delivery.



#### **PROJECT INFORMATION**

**Contract issued by:** Health Resources and Services Administration, HIV/AIDS Bureau, Division of State HIV/ AIDS Programs

HRSA Program Officer: Magnus Azuine, PhD

Period of Performance: September 17, 2014- September

16, 2016

Implementing organization: John Snow, Inc.

JSI Partner: Black AIDS Institute



#### **HOW WILL IT WORK?**

100 community members from 25 states participate in a 8-part online training course to become health literacy trainers.



Trainers provide health literacy training and materials to organizations in their community that serve HIV-positive black MSM.





#### WHAT COMMUNITIES ARE INVOLVED?

- West Coast Cluster California (San Francisco, Los Angeles, Oakland)
- I-95 Corridor New York (New York City), New Jersey (Newark, Jersey City), Connecticut (Hartford), Maryland (Baltimore), Pennsylvania (Philadelphia), Washington DC (Washington DC), Virginia (Richmond, Norfolk)
- Midwest Cluster Illinois (Chicago), Michigan (Detroit), Ohio (Cleveland), Wisconsin (Milwaukee), Indiana (Indianapolis), Minnesota (Minneapolis), Missouri (St. Louis, Kansas City)
- South I Delta Region Cluster Louisiana (New Orleans, Baton Rouge). Alabama (Birmingham), Mississippi (Jackson, North Mississippi Delta region)
- South II Cluster Florida (Miami), Georgia (Atlanta), Texas (Houston), Arkansas (Little Rock, Western Delta region), Tennessee (Memphis, West Memphis), North Carolina (Raleigh, Charlotte), South Carolina (Columbia)



#### WHAT WILL THE TRAINING ADDRESS?

#### **Training topics include:**

- Guiding principles of health literacy
- Factors that may affect the health literacy of Black MSM
- Attributes of a health literate organization
- Strategies to improve interpersonal communication
- Strategies to improve written instruction and material
- Tools and techniques to promote health literacy
- Technology and health literacy



#### WHAT MAKES THIS TRAINING UNIQUE?

- ✓ Health literacy trainers are from the community
   ✓ 75% are black MSM
- ✓ Online ToT format provides flexible scheduling for trainers
- ✓ Health literacy training will be provided to any interested health organization located in the target community
- ✓ Continuing Nursing Education credit (CNEs) will be offered





#### TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR HEALTH LITERACY TRAINERS

#### **Customized technical assistance includes:**

- Online training rehearsal space
- Presentation feedback and assistance
- Regional support structure
- Training debriefs

#### **Robust learning opportunities include:**

- Micro trainings
- Monthly roundup calls
- Facilitated online forums



#### TOOLS AND RESOURCES FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

#### **Training:**

- In-person, onsite health literacy training provided by a skilled, dedicated community member
- Downloadable 'Training of Trainers' material for health literacy advocates within an organization
- Guide to additional online resources

#### **Material:**

 Brochures and poster that promote health literacy as a component of culturally appropriate service delivery



#### **TIMELINE**

<u>Training of Trainers (ToT)</u>: October- December, 2015

**Community Trainings: January- September, 2016** 

<u>Technical Assistance</u>: January- September, 2016





#### - DART -Data and Reporting TA

#### **USCA** September 11th, 2015

Workshop 8: HRSA Moves Forward with TA and Training







#### **Learning Objectives**

- Identify DART focus areas
- Describe how DART can help with ADR and RSR submissions
- · Describe data reporting improvements
- Locate TA resources and identify how to request assistance



#### ADR & RSR Data Submissions

- Help grantees and providers know what to do or where to start to ensure on-time submissions
  - Determine if systems currently collect required data
  - Develop strategies for creating the XML file
    - · Data extraction and conversion
    - · Use of an RSR-Ready System
    - · Creation of the encrypted Unique Client Identifier (eUCI)
- Methods of Technical Assistance (TA)
  - Webinar series
  - Materials on the TARGET Center
  - Email blasts
  - Individualized TA



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#### Data Quality & Completeness

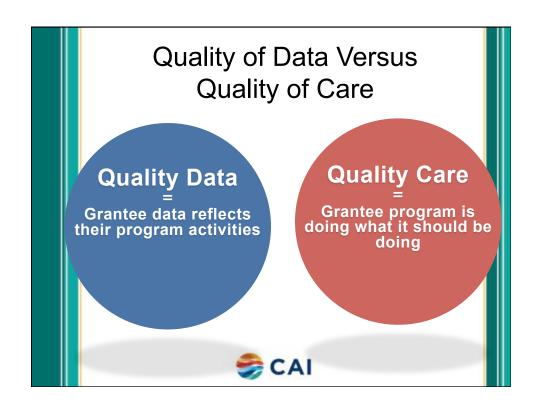
- Understanding and analyzing Completeness Reports
- Communicating data quality issues and supporting them in making improvements
- Developing tools to help providers analyze their own data prior to submission

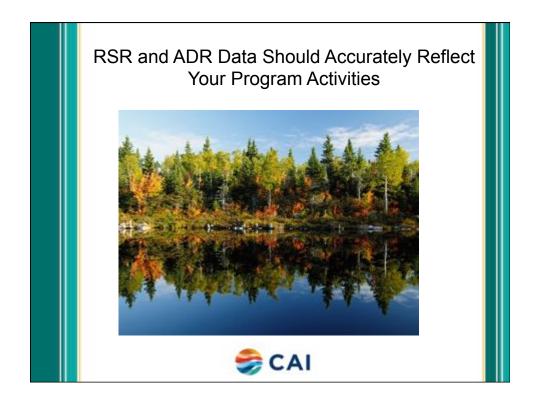


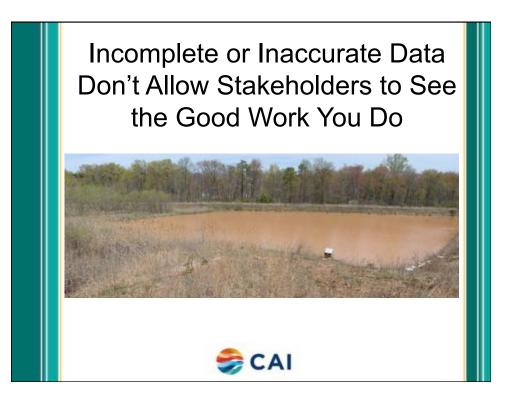
#### Your Data Count!

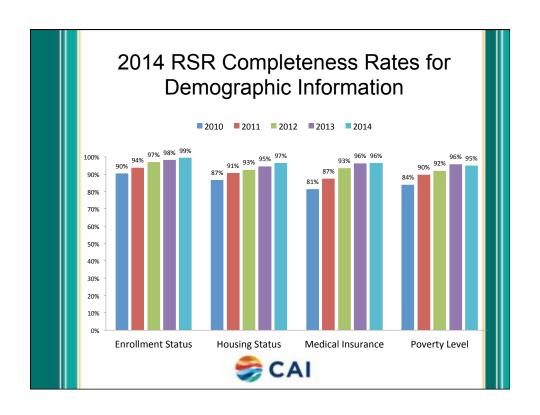
- RSR and ADR Data are used to publically report information about the Ryan White Program
  - HAB
  - Congress
  - HIV/AIDS community
  - The public
- RSR and ADR data should accurately reflect grantees program activities

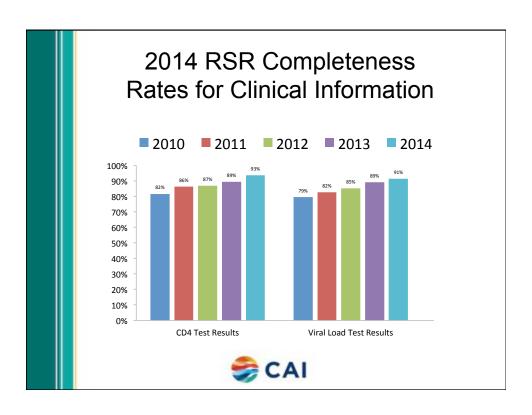












#### TA Resources on TARGET

#### Webinar series

View Webcast Archives

https://careacttarget.org/content/webinar-and-call-archives

- Topics Include RSR, ADR, and other topics, e.g. Data Security
- Recording, Q&A summary & final slide deck on TARGET
- Register for upcoming data webinars
   <a href="https://careacttarget.org/library/fall-2015-data-webcast-series">https://careacttarget.org/library/fall-2015-data-webcast-series</a>
  - 7 RSR-focused webinars coming this fall
  - RSR: The Basics (September 16th, 2-3pm EST)



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#### In Focus Documents

Brief 1-2 page documents on topics including:

- RSR in Focus:
  - RSR Data Are They Complete? Are They Right? Do They Reflect Your Program?
  - Using Your Electronic Health Record (EHR) to Capture and Report RSR Data
  - Understanding the Eligible Scope Requirements for 2015 Data
- ADR in Focus:
  - Reporting Health Insurance Status in the ADR for 2014
  - Understanding Client-Level XML Import Rules for Merging Records
  - Data Quality



January 2015

#### **RSR** in Focus

#### Understanding the Eligible Scope Requirement for 2015 Data

Starting with the 2015 calendar year data collection period, providers will report data on all clients who received services eligible for Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program (RWHAP) funding regardless of the actual funding used to pay for those services. This is a change from previous RSR reporting periods for which providers reported data on only clients who received services paid for by Ryan White funding.

#### Can I still report funded scope?

No, in March of 2016 providers must report clients who received services eligible for Ryan White funding in calendar year 2015. You no longer need to filter and report only clients receiving Ryan White-funded services. Contact Data Support with questions at 888-640-9356.

#### Why the change?

The RWHAP has always been a payer of last resort, covering care for individuals who are uninsured or under insured. The RWHAP also increases the capacity and quality of care for all HIV positive clients receiving services at RWHAP funded sites. At this time, HAB is shifting to eligible scope (defined below) in order to better capture the impact the RWHAP has for all people living with HIV in the country receiving services at RWHAP funded sites.

Eligible Scope reporting allows HAB to better understand the full scope of services that people seeking care from Ryan White providers receive. Eligible scope also supports the continued collection of clinical data, which is essential for measuring

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#### Instructional Videos

#### **RSR Training Video Series**

https://careacttarget.org/library/rsr-training-videoseries

- Fundamental concepts behind the RSR for new and experienced grantees;
- 7 video series including topics such as:
  - How Can I Use My Completeness Report to Improve Data Quality?
  - The eUCl and You
  - Who Reports What for the RSR: Overview of Grantee-Provider Relationships
  - Data Quality: Why it Matters
  - RSR from 30,000 Feet: A Great Place to Start!
  - Choosing a Software System to Create the RSR Client-Level XML File
  - · RSR Client Report E-Learn Module



#### Accessing Technical Assistance

- 1. DART email Data.TA@caiglobal.org
- 2. Subscribe to email updates (RSR and ADR) https://careacttarget.org/dart/subscribe
- 3. TARGET Center Resources https://careacttarget.org/dart



# Thank you!

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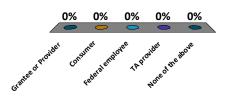




### Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Online TA Resources

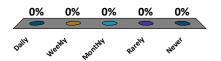
# My relationship with the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program is:

- A. Grantee or provider
- **B.** Consumer
- C. Federal employee
- D. TA provider
- E. None of the above



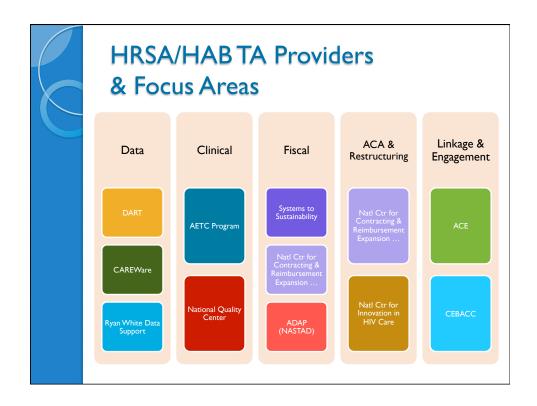
# I go online to find TA and training information

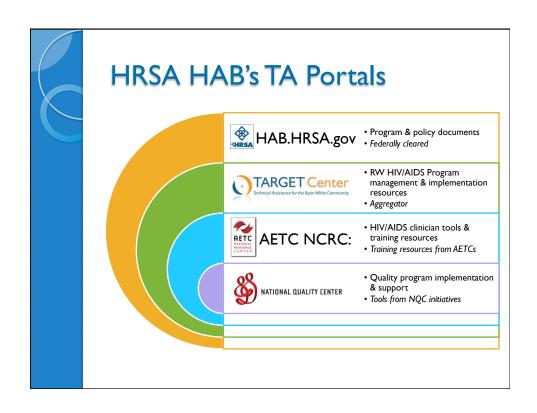
- A. Daily
- B. Weekly
- c. Monthly
- D. Rarely
- E. Never



#### Learning Objectives

- Understand the range of online resources available to RWHAP Grantees
- Get ideas for when you might use RWHAP TA resources
- Learn how to stay informed about new resources and events

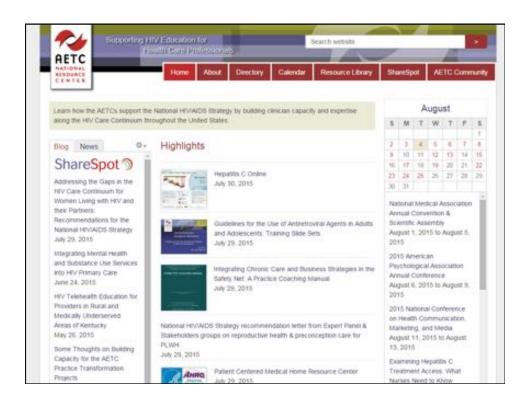










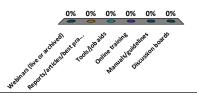


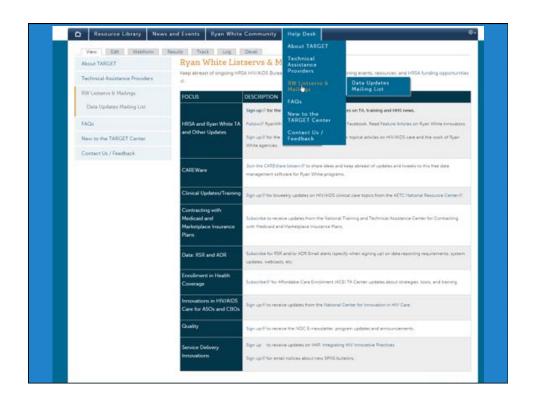


Format	Uses
Webinars & online training	Self education & staff training
Best practices, reports	Ideas & models for new & improved programs
Tools, job aids	Reference, improved consistency & quality
Manuals, guidelines	Reference
Discussion boards	Peer-to-peer support

# The online TA I am most likely to use in my work is...

- A. Webinars (live or archived) & Online training
- B. Reports/articles/best practices
- c. Tools/job aids
- D. Manuals/guidelines
- E. Discussion boards





#### Thank You

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