Program Overview

- The Women and HIV/AIDS Unit was implemented in 1997 in response to the increase in the number of AIDS cases among women, especially African American and Latina women.
- The Female Condom Education and Distribution Project began in 1998 to make female condoms available to women in New York City. The Women and HIV/AIDS Unit developed a standard for citywide education about the proper use of the female condom, and distribution of the female condom by Community Based Organizations (CBOs).
- The program collaborates with its community partners to share information and to address critical issues regarding HIV transmission and prevention, and to strategize, design, and implement HIV interventions for adult and adolescent females.
- The program provides training and technical assistance support to CBOs seeking to develop and/or enhance female condom education and distribution services for their clients.
- by convening The Female Condom Advisory Committee. The committee makes recommendations on issues related to the distribution of and education about the female condom in New York City.

CBOs interested in participating in the Female Condom Education and Distribution Project should send us the following information: experience providing HIV prevention services to at-risk populations; and a plan of action which explains how the female condom will be used to enhance your agency's HIV prevention program. Upon review and approval, a member of our staff will contact the CBO to schedule a program orientation meeting.

Contact Information: New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

> Bureau of HIV/AIDS Women and HIV/AIDS Unit

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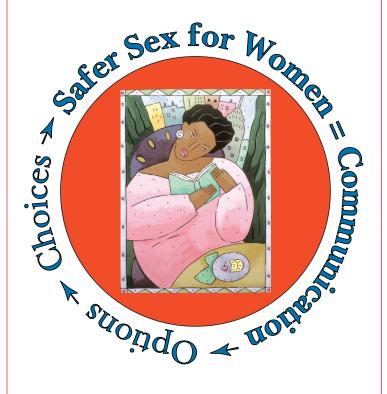
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Female Condom Education & Distribution Project



The Women and HIV/AIDS Unit

Female Condom Education and Distribution Project:

Participating Community Based Organizations (CBOs) are trained by staff of the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Women and HIV/AIDS Unit in female sexuality and the female condom. Upon completion of training, the CBOs provide education and distribute the female condom free of charge to their clients.

The following CBOs provide HIV/AIDS prevention education and female condoms free of charge:

MANHATTAN

African Services Committee 429 W. 127 St., 2nd Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10027 212-222-3882

Alianza Dominicana 2340 Amsterdam Ave. N.Y., N.Y. 10033 212-927-6810

Asian Pacific Islander Coalition on HIV/AIDS 150 Lafayette St. 6th Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10013 212-334-7940

Care for the Homeless 12 W. 21st St., 8th Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10010 212-366-4459

Cathedral Community Cares 1047 Amsterdam Ave. N.Y., N.Y. 10025 212-316-7581

Center for Urban Epidemiologic Studies/NYAcademy of Medicine (CUES) 1216 Fifth Ave. N.Y., NY. 10029-5293 212-402-8748

Community Healthcare Network 79 Madison Ave., 6th Fl. N.Y, N.Y. 10016 212-366-4500, x279

Episcopal Social Services, Clinical Department 305 Seventh Ave. N.Y., N.Y. 10001-6008 212-675-1000

Exponents, Inc. ARRIVE 151 W. 26th St. N.Y., N.Y. 10001 212-243-3434 Gay Men's Health Crisis, Women & Family Services Dept. 119 West 24th St. N.Y., N.Y. 10011-1913 212-367-1360

Greenwich House Inc. 122 West 27th St., 3rd Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10001 212-255-8980

Harlem United Comm. AIDS Ctr/African Immigrant Women Program 306 Lenox Ave., 2nd Fl. N.Y., N.Y., 10027 212-803-2880

HHC Health and Home Care 230 West 41st St. N.Y., N.Y. 10036 212-302-4321

LIFEbeat 630 Ninth Ave., Suite 1010 N.Y., N.Y. 10036 212-459-2590

Mailman School of Public Health Columbia University (c/o CUES) 722 West 168th St., 17th Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10032 917-940-4954

Minority Task Force on AIDS 3280 Broadway, Rm. 302 N.Y., N.Y. 10027 212-283-9180

National Development & Research Institute, Inc. 2301 Second Ave., 2nd Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10035 212-845-4512

New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene STD Clinics, All Boroughs 311 or 212-427-5120 New York University Medical Ctr./ Downtown Hosp. Trinity MMTP 74 Trinity Place N.Y., N.Y. 10006 212-422-0250

Palladia, Inc., 360 W. 125 St., Suite 11 N.Y., N.Y. 10027 212-866-2252

Ryan Nena Community Health Center 279 East Third St. N.Y., N.Y. 10009 212-477-8881

St. Christopher's, Inc. 154 W. 127th St. N.Y., N.Y. 10027 212-280-5163

St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital /CTR Partner Notification/Comp Care 1111 Amsterdam Ave., Sty. 7 N.Y., N.Y. 10025 212-523-7587

Sisterhood Mobilized for AIDS/HIV Research & Treatment (SMART) 217 East 85th St., PMB#117 N.Y., N.Y. 10028 212-876-6255

The Committee for Hispanic Children and Families Inc. 140 W. 22nd St., Suite 301 N.Y., N.Y. 10011 212-206-1090

The Door Adolescent Health Clinic 121 Ave. of the Americas N.Y., N.Y. 10013 212-941-9090

The Fortune Society 53 West 23rd St., 8th Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10010 212-691-7554

The Momentum AIDS Project 322 Eighth Ave., 3rd Fl. N.Y., N.Y. 10011 212-691-8100

BROOKLYN

Association for Drug Abuse Prevention & Treatment Inc. (ADAPT) 815 Broadway, 2nd Fl. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11206 718-782-2080

Bedford Stuyvesant/Crown Heights HIV Care Network 1360 Fulton St., Suite 502 Brooklyn, N.Y. 11216 718-622-8184 Brooklyn College CUNY/Women's Ctr. 2900 Bedford Ave. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11210 718-951-5777

Brooklyn Plaza Medical Center Inc. 650 Fulton St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217 718-596-9800

Brownsville Multiservice Center 444 Thomas Boyland St., Rm. 106 Brooklyn, N.Y. 11212 718-345-6366

Canarsie Aware, Inc. 1285 Rockaway Ave. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11236-2339 718-257-3195

Caribbean Women's Health Association 123 Linden Blvd. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11226 718-940-8386

Church Ave. Merchants Block Association 19 Winthrop St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11225 718-462-8654

Care to Cure, Inc. 395 Pearl St., 4th Fl. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201 718-858-1086

Community Counseling and Mediation 1815 Montague St., G Fl. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201 718-230-5100

Comrade In Arms/Family Servs. Network of NY Inc. 1420 Bushwick Ave., Bsmt. Fl. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11207 718-452-3197

Crown Heights Service Center, Inc. 1193 Dean St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11216 718-774-9800

East New York Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr./ Ryan White Mental Health Program 2094 Pitkin Ave. Brooklyn, NY 11207 718-240-0612

Griot Circle 30 Third Ave. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217 718-246-2775

Haitian Centers Council Inc. 50 Court St., Suite 1010 Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201 718-855-7275 Haitian Women's Program 464-466 Bergen St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217 718-399-0200

Healthcare Choices. Inc. (ICL) 6209 16th Ave. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11204 718-243-0073

Life Force Inc. 175 Remsen St., Suite 1100 Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201 718-797-0937

New World Creations Resource Ctr., Inc. 201 Powell St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11212 718-342-1465

Phoenix House Foundation, Inc. 55 Flatbush Ave. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217 718-858-2462

Positive Health Management Prog./ Wyckoff Heights Med. Ctr. 374 Stockholm St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11237 718-963-6502

Protestant Board of Guardians 1368 Fulton St., 2nd Fl. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11216 718-636-8103

Sisters Coming Full Circle 5905 Glenwood Rd., Suite 2D Brooklyn, N.Y. 11234 347-524-5206

The PATH Center of the Brooklyn Hospital Center 121 Dekalb Ave., Box 197 Brooklyn, N.Y., 11201 718-940-5934

The STD/HIV Call Back Program/ Brookdale University 1 Brookdale Plaza, 5 Aaron Room 566 Brooklyn, N.Y. 11212 718-240-6190

United Community Centers Incorporated 613 New Lots Ave. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11207 718-649-7979

OUEENS

AIDS Center of Queens County 97-45 Queens Blvd., Rm. 1220 Rego Park, N.Y. 11374 718-896-2500

Queens Health Care Network Steinway Child and Family Services, Inc. 41-36 27th St. LIC, N.Y. 11101 718-389-5100

Steinway Child & Family Services Inc./CAPE 41-36 27th St. LIC, N.Y. 11101 718-389-5100

BRONX

Albert Einstein/Montefiore Prev. Intervention Res. Center for Child Health 1300 Morris Park, NR Rm. 7S16 Bronx, N.Y. 10461 718-918-4419

Citiwide Harm Reduction 260 E. 143rd St. Bronx, N.Y. 10451 718-292-7718

Health People Inc. 552 Southern Blvd. Bronx, N.Y. 10455 718-585-8585

Hope Case Management 384 E. 149 St., Suite 500 Bronx, N.Y. 10455 718-402-2614

Project Street Beat/Planned Parenthood of NYC 349 E. 149 St., 2nd Fl. Bronx, N.Y. 10451 212-965-4850

St. Ann's Corner of Harm Reduction Prevention Case Management Program 310 Walton Ave., Suite 201 Bronx, N.Y. 10451 718-585-5544

United Bronx Parents 966 Prospect Ave. Bronx, N.Y. 10459 718-617-6060