# We're Getting AHEAD of HIV.

### What is AHEAD?

America's HIV Epidemic Analysis Dashboard (AHEAD) is a data visualization tool that displays data on the six EHE indicators: incidence, knowledge of status, diagnoses, linkage to HIV medical care, viral suppression, and PrEP coverage.

Located on HIV.gov, AHEAD gives national, state, and local stakeholders the ability to monitor progress towards meeting the goals of the *Ending the HIV Epidemic: A Plan for America* (EHE) initiative.

AHEAD was developed by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) through its Office of Infectious Disease and HIV/AIDS Policy (OIDP) in collaboration with the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Indian Health Service (IHS), National Institutes of Health (NIH), Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services (SAMHSA), and Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

# WHO CAN USE AHEAD?

AHEAD is one element of a society-wide effort. Local jurisdictions can monitor progress towards indicator goals and access tools to understand the HIV epidemic through systematic comparisons and analyses. Public health officials, HIV advocates, researchers, healthcare professionals, people living with HIV, and people impacted by HIV can also use AHEAD to track EHE progress in their communities.

# **AMPLIFYING THE EHE MISSION**

AHEAD is one of two large-scale OIDP programs working to end the HIV epidemic in America. While Ready, Set, PrEP focuses on providing HIV medications at no cost to eligible individuals, AHEAD focuses on data transparency and progress. This site empowers local stakeholders to track movement towards the goals of the EHE initiative and focus additional expertise, technology, and resources required to tailor and implement successful interventions.

# STAY UPDATED ON AHEAD

AHEAD will be an evolving resource, with new information, resources, data, and functionality added to the site throughout the initiative. Visit often to see how your local community is advancing the fight against HIV by visiting ahead.hiv.gov.

# **JURISDICTIONS**

AHEAD focuses on locations identified by phase I of the EHE initiative: 48 counties, Washington, D.C., and San Juan, Puerto Rico, where more than 50% of new HIV diagnoses occurred in 2016 and 2017, and an additional 7 states with a substantial burden of HIV in rural areas, bringing the total number of phase I jurisdictions to 57.



### WHAT CAN I DO ON AHEAD?

- Track progress towards EHE goals;
- Compare EHE indicator data at the national, state, and local levels;
- Learn about innovative strategies;
- Read about success stories from jumpstart sites;
- Discover new Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) announcements;
- → Find HIV testing, care, and PrEP services near you.

# **INDICATORS**

Tracking these six EHE indicators helps stakeholders, jurisdictions, and other partners use up-to-date data to make key decisions on programs and interventions.

### **Decrease:**



Incidence



Diagnoses

# **Increase:**



Knowledge of Status



Linkage to HIV Medical Care



**Viral Suppression** 



**PrEP Coverage** 



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