

HIV, STD and Hepatitis Branch
Public Health Services
December 1, 2017





#### **BACKGROUND – GETTING TO ZERO**

March 1, 2016

Board of Supervisors adopted the Getting to Zero initiative

Seeks to halt the County's HIV epidemic over 10 years

Based on the final report of the HIV Ad-Hoc Task Force

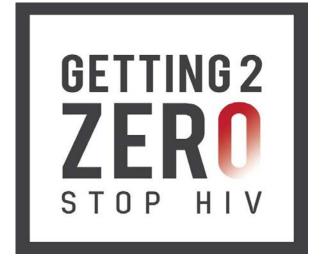
Recommended by
Supervisor Ron Roberts
Supervisor Dave Roberts
Assemblymember Todd
Gloria

All recommendations support:

Strategy 1: Test

Strategy 2: Treat

Strategy 3: Prevent





### EPIDEMIOLOGY IN SAN DIEGO COUNTY (12/31/15)

Approximately 18,100 people living with HIV

12,265 (67%) virally suppressed

4,117 (23%) were aware of their HIV status but not virally suppressed

1,740 (10%)
estimated to be
living with HIV but
unaware of their HIV
status

On average, one new case of HIV is diagnosed in SD every 18 hours





#### **GETTING TO ZERO – SIX RECOMMENDATIONS**

Increase Awareness of HIV through Media

Engage Health Care Systems

Fully implement PEP & PrEP

Use Data to Improve Outcomes

Address Disproportionality

Incorporate
Getting to Zero
into Policy



#### **PREP**

Lessons learned from former HIV Prevention Demonstration Project

Dedicated PrEP navigator

Barriers: Perceptions and Stigma





#### PREP – ADDRESSING STIGMA

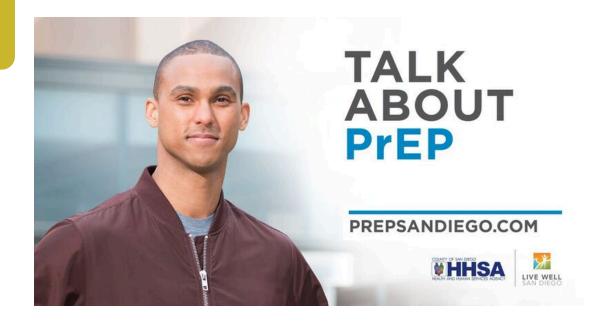
Project will expand its current PrEP social marketing efforts to address stigma

Social marketing will also address perceptions related to:

Engaging in behaviors that are stigmatized

Peer support

Assumptions about their sexual practices





#### **FUNDING OPPORTUNITY**

21 LHJ's in California were invited to apply

CBOs and FQHCs within the LHJ's were also eligible to apply

4 awards were made

San Diego was the only health department funded



\$1,799,581

Y1: \$998,048

Y2: \$801,533

July 1, 2017

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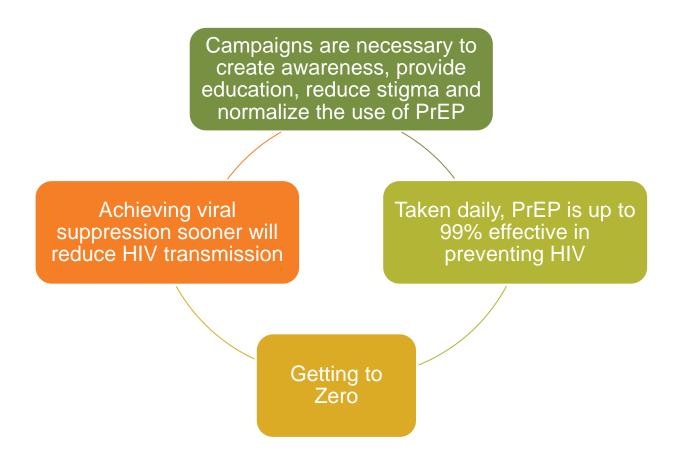
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### Program partners

- Family Health Centers of San Diego
- San Ysidro Health Center
- Vista Community Clinic
- The San Diego LGBT Community Center
- MJE Marketing
- External evaluator TBD



#### REDUCTION IN NEW CASES OF HIV





#### DESIRED OUTCOMES: ACCESS AND LINKAGE

1% positivity rate for HIV tests

6% positivity rate for HCV tests

90% of individuals who are at high-risk for HIV will be linked to PrEP within 0-7 days of HIV negative diagnosis



#### DESIRED OUTCOMES: ACCESS AND LINKAGE

85% of individuals newly diagnosed with HIV will be linked to HIV medical care

85% assigned to the RAPID protocol will be linked to care within 0-1 days of confirmatory diagnosis

85% assigned to the LTC-30 protocol will be linked to care within 30 days of confirmatory diagnosis



