

Virtual Capacity-building Sessions for Correctional Linkage to Care (CLTC)

Session 2



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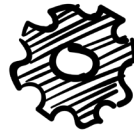
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Introductions

- Your name and pronouns (e.g., she, he, they)
- Your organization
- Your role in CLTC services





Poll Question

What do you call fizzy drinks?

Soda

Cola

Pop

Carbonated beverage

Other

Depends on what kind of mood I'm in



Pre and Post Release Activities and Challenges

Intake/assessment

- Space in HOC to meet with client?
- Release date known?
- Client priorities?

Start health insurance and other paperwork

- Does client have necessary paperwork/ID?
- Is there someone to do MassHealth application?

Pre and Post Release Activities and Challenges

Locate infectious disease providers

- Near where client lives?
- Taking on new patients?
- Provider “concerns” about treating people with SUD?

Locate SUD/MOUD providers

- Near where client lives?
- Taking on new patients?





Pre and Post Release Activities and Challenges

Schedule medical and/or MOUD appointments (co-located if possible)

- Appointments available?

Link to OEND/SSP day of release

- Changing release dates?
- Transportation?
- Client priorities?

Support attendance at appointments

- Transportation?

Pre and Post Release Activities and Challenges

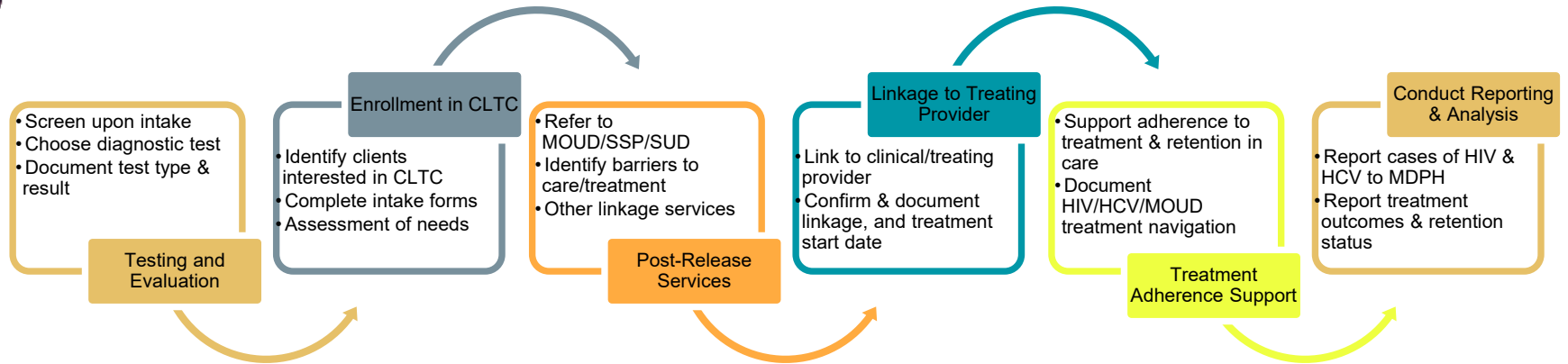
Confirm attendance at appointments

- Client phone number working?
- Signed release for provider to share information?

Update in CAREWare

- Challenges discussed in session 3 😁

CLTC Indicators – Components of Service



CLTC Indicators – Broad Overview

No.	Steps for Testing and Treatment	Process Indicators (Required Indicators are in bold)		Outcome Indicators (Care Cascade) (Required Indicators are in bold)			
		No.	Indicator	Comment	No.	Indicator	Comment
1	Testing and Evaluation: -Screen upon intake (clients are screened for eligibility by means of confirmed HIV and/or HCV diagnosis) -Choose appropriate diagnostic test -Document test type and result	a.	# HCV-antibody tests conducted	Required	c.	#/% Clients tested for HCV (among all screened)	Required
		b.	# Confirmatory HCV RNA tests conducted	Required	d.	#/% NAT positive clients (among those tested)	Required
					e.	#/% Clients with positive HCV-antibody test and negative HCV RNA result (among those tested)	Required
2	Enrollment in Correctional Linkage to Care (CLTC) Service: -Identify clients who may be interested in CLTC services -Complete intake forms to enroll clients in the service -Perform assessment of needs		# Clients referred to CLTC				
		a.	Stratification by correctional referral type (e.g., out-posted testing staff, HOCV staff, etc.)	Required	c.	#/% Clients enrolled in CLTC	Required
3	Post-Release Services -Refer clients to Medication Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) and/or SSP/OEND/SUD support services -Identify client barriers to care/treatment -Other linkage services (e.g., transportation assistance, housing, behavioral advocacy, etc.)		# Clients referred to MOUD/SSP/SUD support services		b.	# Clients linked to MOUD/SSP/SUD service provider(s) Stratification by linkage type	Required
		a.	Stratification by referral type	Recommended	c.	# Clients linked to MOUD/SSP/SUD support services within 30 days (*linkage to MOUD should be done within 7 days)	Required
4	Linkage to Medical Care: -Link to clinical/treating provider post-release -Confirm and document linkage to treatment -Document treatment start date	a.	# Clients referred to care through CLTC services	Required	d.	#/% HCV+ who initiate HCV treatment (among all NAT positives)	Required
		b.	# HCV+ Clients who attend initial visit with treating provider, post-release	Required	e.	#/% Clients who initiate HCV treatment within 30 days of release (among all NAT positives)	Required
		c.	# HIV+ Clients who attend initial visit with treating provider, post-release	Required	f.	#/% HIV+ clients linked to medical/treating provider (among all HIV positives)	Required
5	Treatment Adherence Support: -Support adherence to treatment and retention in care -Document HIV & HCV treatment navigation activities	a.	# Vistis with medical/treating provider Stratification by disease type (e.g., HIV or HCV)	Recommended	d.	#/% Clients who have completed treatment (among all NAT positives)	Required
					e.	#/% Clients retained in care (among all NAT positives)	Required
		b.	# HCV RNA tests of cure conducted Stratification by ordering provider if applicable	Required	f.	#/% Clients who interrupt HCV treatment due to re-incarceration	Recommended
					g.	#/% Clients who are virally suppressed, or in continuous care for 12 or more months with a CD4 cell count >350 cells/mm ³ or viral load of <200 copies/mL (among all HIV+ cases)	Required
		c.	# Clients who are out-of-care, or have failed to engage in medical care necessary to treat and/or cure disease Stratification by testing facility	Required	h.	#/% Clients retained in care (i.e., with up-to-date viral loads and/or CD4 counts, and 2 or more visits per year with a medical provider for routine HIV medical care)	Required
					i.	#/% Patients with active ART prescriptions (among HIV+ clients who initiated treatment) Stratification by whether adherence support was received or not	Required
6	Conduct Reporting and Analysis -Report cases of HIV & HCV to Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH) -Report treatment outcomes, including date and treatment retention status -Report clients who are out-of-care, or clients who require treatment re-engagement	a.	# HCV cases reported	Required			
		b.	# HIV cases reported	Required			
		c.	# Cases engaged in care (i.e., undergoing treatment, and/or receiving treatment adherence support)	Required	d.	#/% Cases reported on-time to MDPH	Recommended

Post-Release Services -- Components of Care

Component	Type of Indicator	Indicator	Data for this indicator is <u>required</u> to be reported or <u>recommended</u> to be collected?	Where to record this data
Post-Release Services	Process Indicator	# Clients referred to MOUD/SSP/SUD support services	Recommended	CAREWare
	Outcome Indicator	# Clients linked to MOUD/SSP/SUD service provider(s)	Required	CAREWare
	Outcome Indicator	# Clients linked to MOUD/SSP/SUD support services within 30 days <i>(*linkage to MOUD should be done within 7 days of release)</i>	Required	CAREWare

Questions & Clarifications



Interview with Boston Health Care for the Homeless



Interview with Baystate



Interview with Seven Hills Behavioral Health



Question & Answer



BREAK



Poll Questions

- For what percent of clients are you able to make a post-release appointment with an HCV treating provider before the client is released?
- How soon after release is the first appointment with an HCV treating provider?
- What percent of clients need and get MOUD post-release?





Group Discussion

Pre and Post Release Activities

- How has your program dealt with the challenge of changing release dates?
- What is working well with post-release linkage to MOUD? What is challenging?
- What is working well with post-release linkage to HCV and HIV medical care? What is challenging?
- What would increase success with linkage to medical care and MOUD?

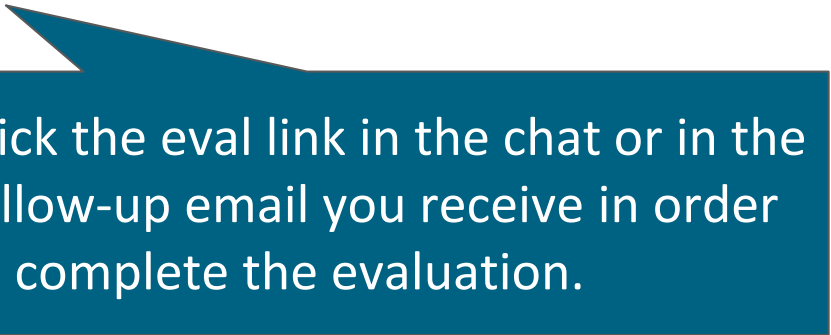
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