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# Early Intervention Services: Achieving the End HIV Oregon Vision

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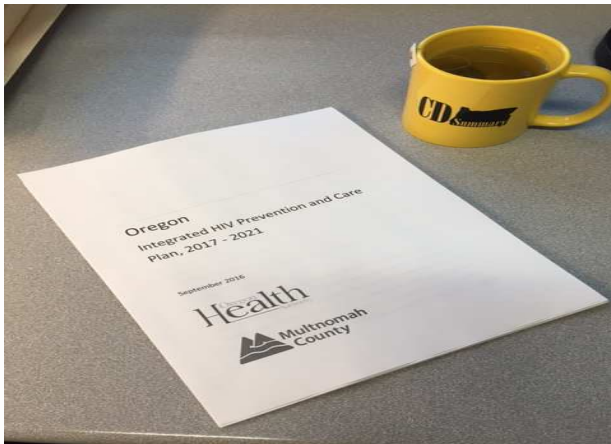
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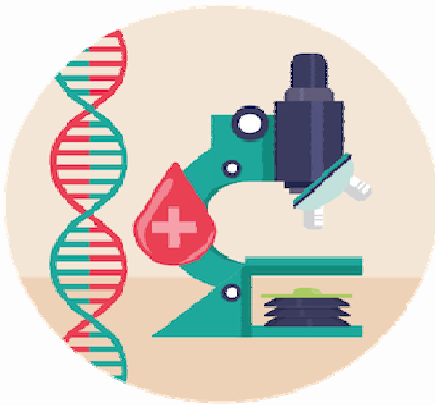
# What are Early Intervention Services (EIS)?

- As defined by the federal funders of the Ryan White Program, EIS must include 4 things:
  - 1) HIV testing
  - 2) Referral services
  - 3) Health literacy/health education
  - 4) Access & linkage to care

# EIS, the Comp Plan, and End HIV Oregon



- The IPG identified numerous strategies related to EIS in the Comp Plan.
- EIS is a key strategy for achieving our testing, prevention, and treatment goals in End HIV Oregon.



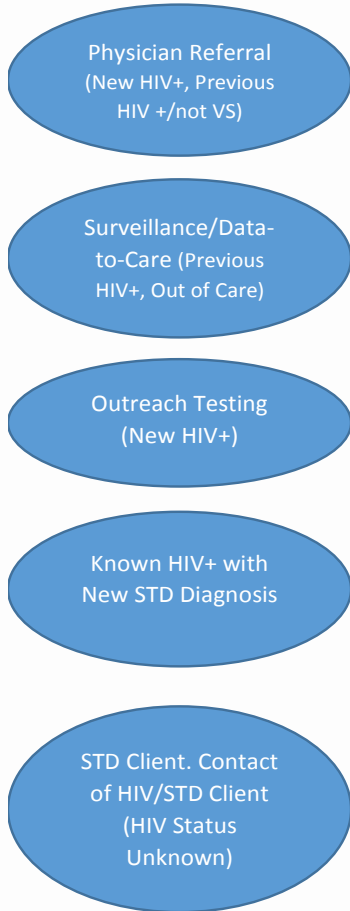
# EIS in Oregon Today

- Currently, there are some Early Intervention Services in the Portland metropolitan area, but not in the rest of Oregon.



# What EIS in Oregon Might Look Like

## Entry into Program



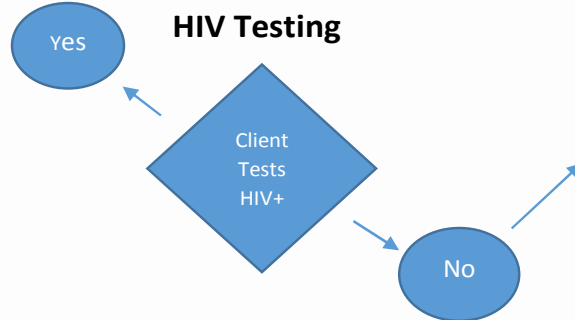
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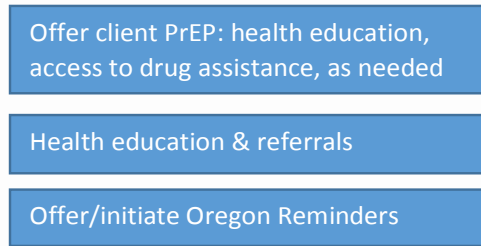
## Engagement in Care



## HIV Testing



## PrEP Services



# EIS in Oregon Moving Forward, 1

- OHA has encumbered Ryan White Part B program funding to expand EIS in Oregon.
- OHA will allocate about \$4 million/year to EIS over 5 years.
- These funds will **ONLY** be available over the next 5 years. The funds will not be renewable and are dependent on availability.
- OHA has solicited feedback from internal & external stakeholders and will be assembling a committee to give input on EIS program standards.

# EIS in Oregon Moving Forward, 2

- Local public health authorities (LPHAs) with the greatest identified need will be offered the opportunity to apply for funds. LPHAs will be strongly encouraged to partner with community-based agencies and other local stakeholder groups.
- OHA will be presenting this information to the Coalition of Local Health Officials (CLHO) on March 10<sup>th</sup>.
  - The purpose of CLHO is to advocate for effective and improved public policies, programs, and financing of local public health in Oregon.
  - OHA will make a proposal to CLHO and get feedback from them on proposed plans related to funding allocation.
- We hope to be able to post a competitive funding opportunity on ORPIN by June 30th. (This is subject to change...)

# How You Can Stay Informed & Involved

- We will post monthly updates on the IPG Website to ensure that people who are interested in this issue as it develops can stay informed.
- We need a name! If you have ideas, forward them to Josh: [joshua.s.ferrer@state.or.us](mailto:joshua.s.ferrer@state.or.us)
- There will be a 1-2 day EIS stakeholder meeting—likely at the end of April—and we will be encouraging LPHAs who are identified by OHA & CLHO as representing the highest need communities to send representatives to give input. Stay tuned.



# End HIV Infections: The Time is Now

