

# SESSION 119: CORRECTIONAL HEALTH IS PUBLIC HEALTH IS COMMUNITY HEALTH: COLLABORATION IS ESSENTIAL

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- Enhancing Linkages to HIV Primary Care and Services in Jail Settings, 2007-2012
- Culturally Appropriate Interventions of Outreach, Access and Retention among Latino(a) Populations, 2013-2018
- System-level Workforce Capacity Building for Integrating HIV Primary Care in Community Health Care Settings, 2014-2018
- The HIV Housing & Employment Project, 2017-2021

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# ACOJA CONSULTING

ACOJA Consulting LLC owners created, implemented and adapted Transitional Care Coordination, an evidence-informed intervention that facilitates correction to community linkages through collaborations.

Skilled in strategic planning and guidance for health and human services, public health research, and government programs.



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## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. **Identify facilitators** and barriers to correction to community collaborations from the perspective of each discipline
2. **Apply Implementation Science** methodology to address barriers from the perspective of each discipline
3. **Examine the impact** key outcomes for people with criminal / legal system involvement



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# INTRODUCTIONS

What is your role in Correctional Health Services? Where are you located? What is the type of work setting?





# OVERVIEW

**Correctional, public health and community** collaborations are essential to address the myriad health and social needs of people entering and exiting U. S. correctional facilities:

- High rates of chronic and communicable diseases, including COVID-19
- Socioeconomic and racial disparities

**Collaborations Essential:** approaches to and benefits of establishing strong corrections, correctional health, public health, and community health and social service collaborations

**Evidence-informed interventions** using integrative approaches include:

- A Community/Public Health Model of Correctional Health Care
- Transitional Care Coordination

**Teamwork:** Physicians, nurses, social workers and case managers, based in both correctional and community settings, facilitate continuity of care and services

- “Warm Transition” approach for people returning home after incarceration.
- Functional Assessment Tool to identify gaps and align local practices with proven approaches



## LEARNING OBJECTIVE 1: FACILITATORS & BARRIERS

*From your perspective:* What barriers exist to correction to community collaboration? What facilitators exist to support correction to community collaborations? What do you think are the greatest barriers to successful correctional and community health collaborations?

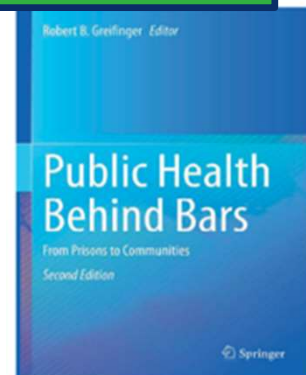


# CORRECTIONAL HEALTH IS PUBLIC HEALTH IS COMMUNITY HEALTH\*

- U.S. has the world's highest incarceration rate.
- Disproportionately impacts the poor, people of color, and those with behavioral health problems.
- Inconsistent scope and quality of care - often directed by security leadership, not health professionals.
- Vital information needed to coordinate care with community providers / consider alternatives to incarceration.

Programs make safer correctional facilities and communities at large through partnerships with key stakeholders.

\***COLLABORATION IS ESSENTIAL**



# POPULATION HEALTH DISPARITIES

Table 33.1 Incarceration Rates by Race and Ethnicity based on U.S. 2010 Census.

Race/Ethnicity	% of U.S. population <sup>2</sup>	% of U.S. incarcerated population <sup>2</sup>	National incarceration rate (per 100,000) <sup>2</sup>
White (non-Hispanic) <sup>1</sup>	64%	39%	450 per 100,000
Hispanic	16%	19%	831 per 100,000
Black	13%	40%	2,306 per 100,000

1. "Whites" refers to white non-Hispanics throughout this report and the accompanying figures. Because the Census Bureau does not publish non-Hispanic data for any other race in correctional or detention facilities, all other racial categories in this report are that race alone without distinguishing ethnicity.
2. Figures calculated with Census 2010 SF-1 table P42 and the PCT20 table series

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# A COMMUNITY PROBLEM NEEDS A COMMUNITY SOLUTION

*The Opioid Crisis Affects Everyone. Where to Start?*

**Identify Key Stakeholders and Champions in your Community!**

## **Criminal / Legal Partners:**

- Police
- Courts (District Attorney, Bar Association, Judges)
- Probate and Family Court
- Community Corrections (Probation, Parole, etc.)
- Jail & Prison Leadership
- Reentry Support
- Alternatives to Incarceration / Sentencing

## **Primary Care & Treatment:**

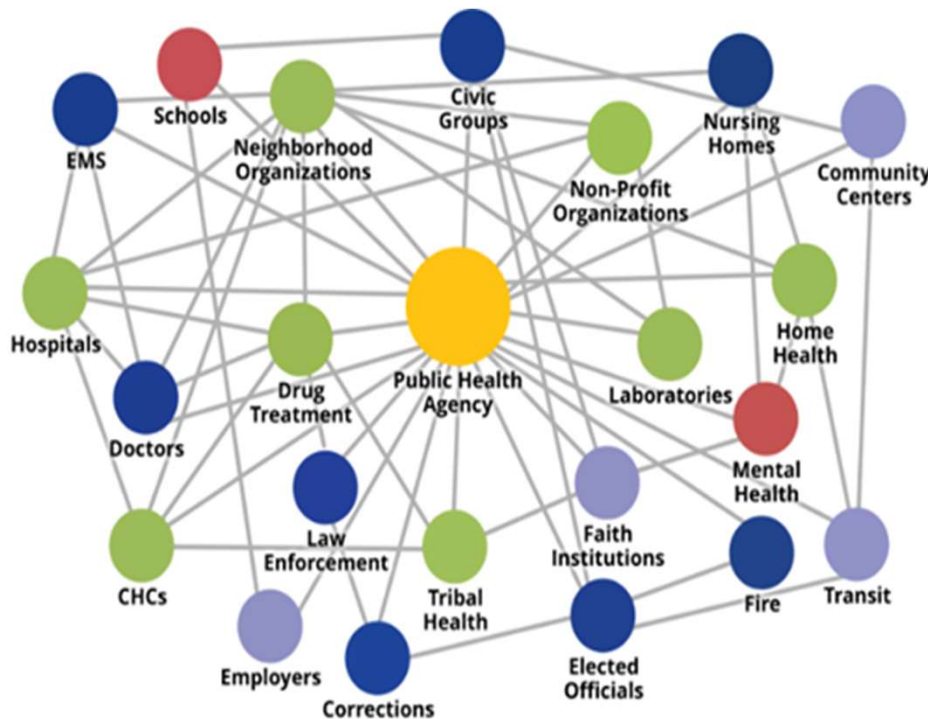
- Hospitals
- Community Health Centers
- Behavioral Health Clinics
- Opioid Treatment Programs
- Outpatient Treatment
- Harm Reduction Agencies
- Recovery Homes

## **Community Services:**

- Peer Recovery Centers
- Social Service Programs
- Concerned community / family members
- K-12 and post-secondary schools

*Courtesy of Ed Hayes, Sheriff's Department, Franklin County, MA*

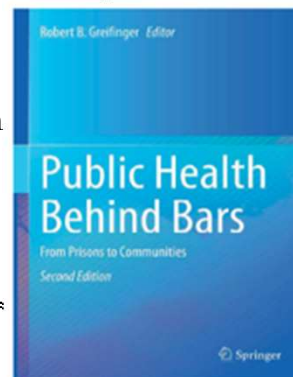
# PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES



## Ten Essential Public Health Services

1. Assess and monitor population health status, factors that influence health, and community needs and assets
2. Investigate, diagnose, and address health problems and hazards affecting the population
3. Communicate effectively to inform and educate people about health, factors that influence it, and how to improve it
4. Strengthen, support, and mobilize communities and partnerships to improve health
5. Create, champion, and implement policies, plans, and laws that impact health
6. Utilize legal and regulatory actions designed to improve and protect the public's health
7. Assure an effective system that enables equitable access to the individual services and care needed to be healthy
8. Build and support a diverse and skilled public health workforce
9. Improve and innovate public health functions through ongoing evaluation, research, and continuous quality improvement
10. Build and maintain a strong organizational infrastructure for public health

<https://www.cdc.gov/publichealthgateway/publichealthservices/essentialhealthservices.html>





# POPULATION BASED APPROACH

## **Determine:**

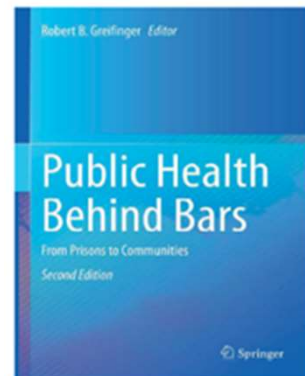
- Health-specific risks
- Perceived lowest safety-risk
- Survival needs (food, transport...)
- Critical services/programs needs (housing gaps)
- Case management/navigation
- Criminal / legal alternatives

## **Educate:**

- Leadership and staff
- Health education

## **Community Collaborations:**

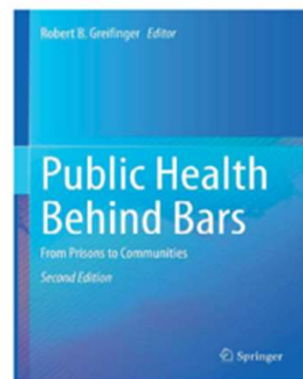
- Leadership and planning
- Implementation cycle
- Share best practices / lessons learned



# CORRECTIONAL HEALTH LEADERSHIP

*“with the highest incarceration rate in the world – where persons of color are disproportionately represented and have a higher incidence of chronic and communicable diseases, and where the recidivism rate is unacceptably high – are we successfully accomplishing the ostensible social goals of punishment or rehabilitation?”*

*Correctional Health Care, Carmona 2018*



# INFECTIOUS DISEASES

(STI TB HCV HBV HIV COVID19)

## Opportunity for Public Health & Correctional Health Collaborations

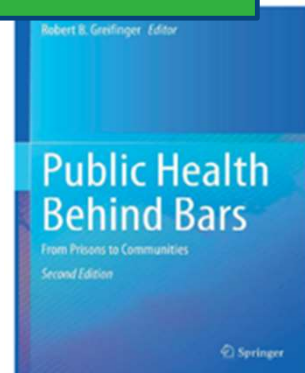
### Surveillance:

- screening = identification
- identification = treatment
- treatment w/o insurance payer = cost shift to Correctional Health

### Public Health benefits:

- Reduces community viremia and cost to treat
- Epidemiology requires
- Import to those with pre-existing conditions (MI, SU )
- Disease progression costs mitigated through early identification & treatment

Consider stationing  
Public Health Agency  
Disease Investigators /  
Surveillance staff  
at jail medical intake.



# RYAN WHITE FUNDING

## Policy Clarification Notice #18-02: The Use of Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Funds for Core Medical Services and Support Services for People Living with HIV Who Are Incarcerated and Justice Involved

Core medical and support services to support only the HIV-related needs of eligible individuals on a:

- 1) transitional basis to people living with HIV (PLWH) who are incarcerated in Federal and State prison systems;
- 2) short-term and/or transitional basis to PLWH who are
  - incarcerated in other correctional systems (e.g., local prisons and jails) or
  - under community supervision (e.g., parole or home detention).

Provider of last resort applies.

# COVID-19 HEALTH EQUITY TASK FORCE

OASH / OMH Subcommittee Interim Recommendation May 28, 2021

## PROBLEM STATEMENT 5

The health outcomes of people in jails, prisons and other carceral settings are not tracked or addressed in real time or by our public health agencies and structures, contributing to preventable death. This failure to measure the health and health outcomes of incarcerated people is a potent and harmful example of racism in health.

1. The CDC and State Departments of Health should establish efforts to track and report in real time, the health and health outcomes of incarcerated people, and develop evidence-based programs to protect and improve their health.
2. The federal government should promote research on the effectiveness of interventions to prevent death in carceral settings during COVID-19, such as early release.

Data, Analytics, and Research: Chair: Joneigh Khaldoun  
Attendees: James Hildreth, Andy Imparato, Victor Joseph, Homer Venters  
Staff: Josephine Nguyen, Martha Okafor, Catie Pennington, Minh Wendt

# NCCHC: USE OF HUMANIZING LANGUAGE

*February 3, 2021: NCCHC Board approves position statement*

“We encourage adding:

‘use person-first language such as person/people/individuals experiencing incarceration, incarcerated person/people/individuals, the incarcerated, person living with HIV, person with substance use disorder.’

to your protocols along with:

‘greet your patient with a warm smile and a handshake or bow.’” (or masked nod during COVID-19 pandemic).

<https://www.ncchc.org/use-of-humanizing-language-in-correctional-health-care>

Take away messages:

- Person-first approaches set the stage for a therapeutic relationship
- Mutual objectives are achievable despite the setting.
- Using person-affirming language creates a more positive environment for you and your team.

<https://www.ncchc.org/blog/language-matters-ncchcs-new-position-statement-on-use-of-humanizing-language-in-correctional-health-care>



# WORDS MATTER

USE: PERSON, PEOPLE OR INDIVIDUAL	AVOID:	POPULATION-BASED ALTERNATIVES:
experiencing incarceration	Offender, Inmate, Felon, Criminal, Convict, Prisoner, Offender, Delinquent	The incarcerated
with incarceration history; prior criminal / legal system involvement; previously incarcerated;	ex-inmate, ex-offender, ex-convict, ex-prisoner, ex-felon, "incarceritis"	Formerly incarcerated; Incarceration history
under judicial supervision; detained	detainee	Held pending a hearing
supervised by parole or probation; under parole or probation supervision	parolee, probationer,	Under supervision
with sex offenses conviction; history of sex offense charges	Sex Offender	Formerly incarcerated; incarceration history
with mental health needs; history of mental illness	Mentally Ill, psychotic	Receiving mental health services
currently or previously experiencing homelessness; unstably housed	Homeless	Unstably housed; houselessness
Person with HIV; person with with diabetes	HIV/AIDS patient; HIV/AIDS infected; diabetic	People with diagnosed HIV
with a history of substance use or substance use disorder (if known); living on the substance use spectrum; who used / uses substances	Substance abuser; addict; drug user, illicit drug use	Substance use spectrum
USE: YOUNG PERSON / YOUNG ADULT	AVOID:	POPULATION-BASED ALTERNATIVES:
with criminal / legal system involvement; impacted by the criminal / legal system; under criminal / legal supervision; detained	Juvenile Offender, Juvenile Delinquent	Held pending a hearing; Under legal supervision

# HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

**Purpose:** Managing by data is critical for both public health and correctional health systems.

## **Facilitators:**

- Collaborations between corrections, health and community
- Information sharing: patient-level and population-wide
- Electronic health records: correctional and community providers virtually share patients.

## **SMART CARE MANAGEMENT:**

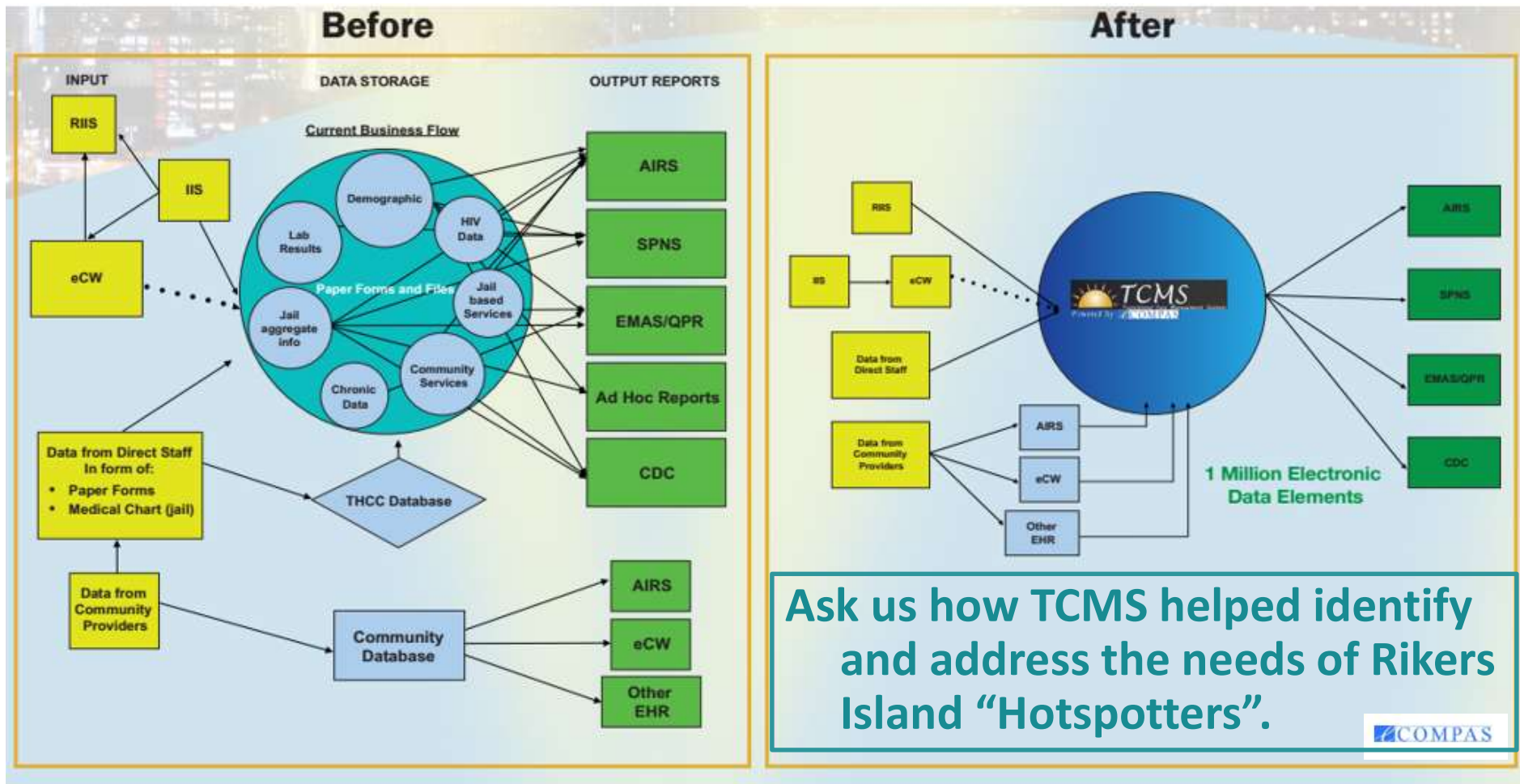
- Cross-matching zip codes to which people return after incarceration helped identify community service providers for appropriate linkages to care
- Health, housing and employment agencies share care plans



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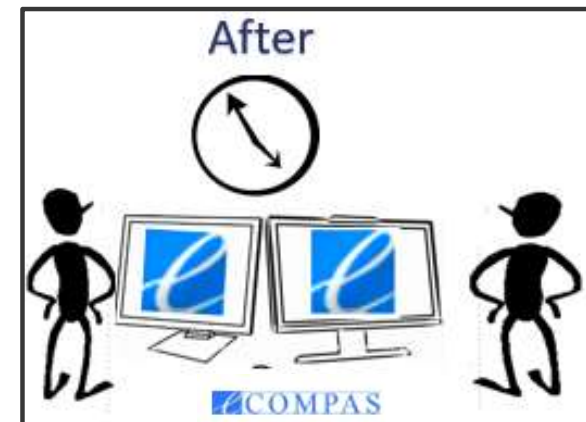
# TRANSITIONAL CARE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM



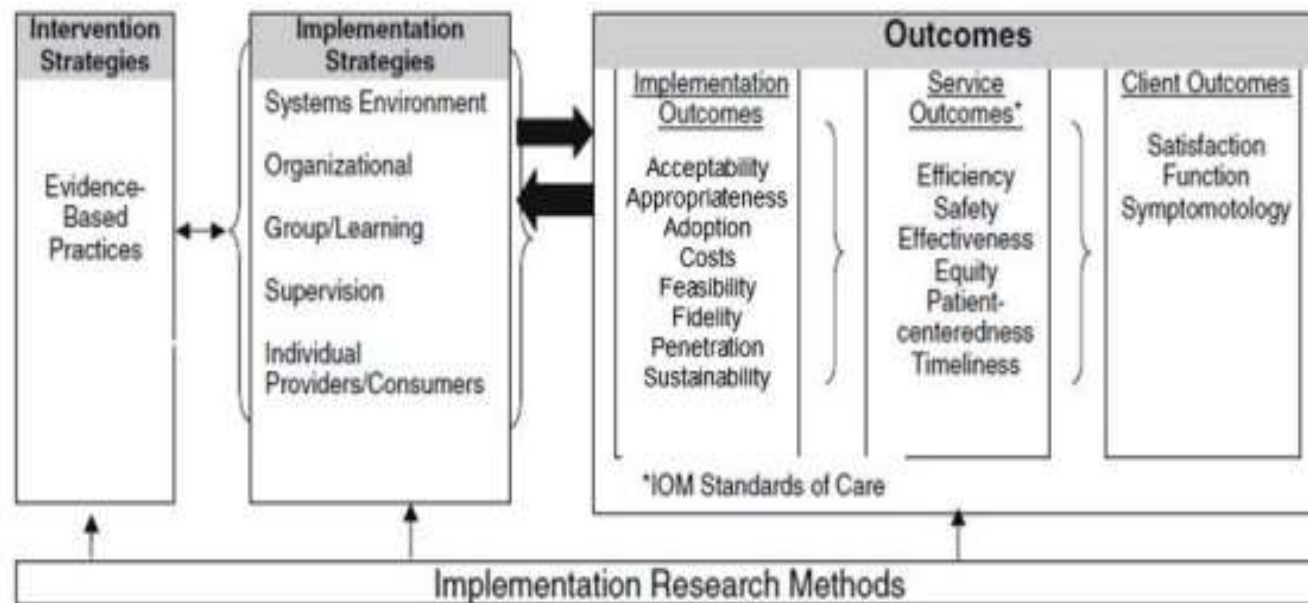
## HEALTH IT SOLUTIONS



1. Save time, reducing double key entry and maintaining data consistency
2. Support Quality Improvement and ensure compliance with federal program and grant requirements
3. Streamline care coordination and facilitate continuity of care
4. Provide patient portals and alerts



# Implementation Science Approach: Proctor Model



Courtesy of Alexi Marbach, Jane Fox Abt Associates, 2018 National Ryan White Conference on HIV Care & Treatment



# Proctor Model Implementation Outcome Domains

**acceptability** – To what degree are site providers, staff, and leadership willing and able to take on the full terms of the intervention?

**appropriateness** – To what degree does the provider think the intervention is the appropriate intervention for the target population?

**adoption** – To what degree are providers and staff willing to implement the intervention by following the protocol outlined in the implementation plan?

**cost** – What does it cost to implement the intervention?

**feasibility** – What are the barriers and facilitators to effective implementation of the intervention?

**fidelity** – To what degree is the intervention being implemented as outlined in the implementation plan?

**integration** – To what degree do sites integrate the intervention into their other ongoing efforts to improve outcomes along the HIV Care Continuum? (\*note – this is a merger of penetration and sustainability)

Courtesy of Alexi Marbach, Jane Fox Abt Associates, 2018 National Ryan White Conference on HIV Care & Treatment



## LEARNING OBJECTIVE 2: USING IMPLEMENTATION SCIENCE

Which correction to community collaborative approaches have you heard about?



# HAMPDEN COUNTY COMMUNITY INTEGRATED CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE

**Since 1992...**

Dually-based care for chronic health conditions: hepatitis c, asthma, hypertension, HIV, depression, SUD and more

- Patients: assigned to one of four healthcare teams by residential zip code or health center primary care during jail stay.
- Team staff: a primary nurse, a physician, a nurse practitioner or physician assistant, and a case manager.
- Physicians and case managers are “dually-based.”

<http://hcsdma.org/public-resources/public-health-model/>



## Correctional Centers

Western Mass Regional Women's  
Correctional Center Chicopee, MA

# HAMPDEN COUNTY, MA

## Community Health Centers

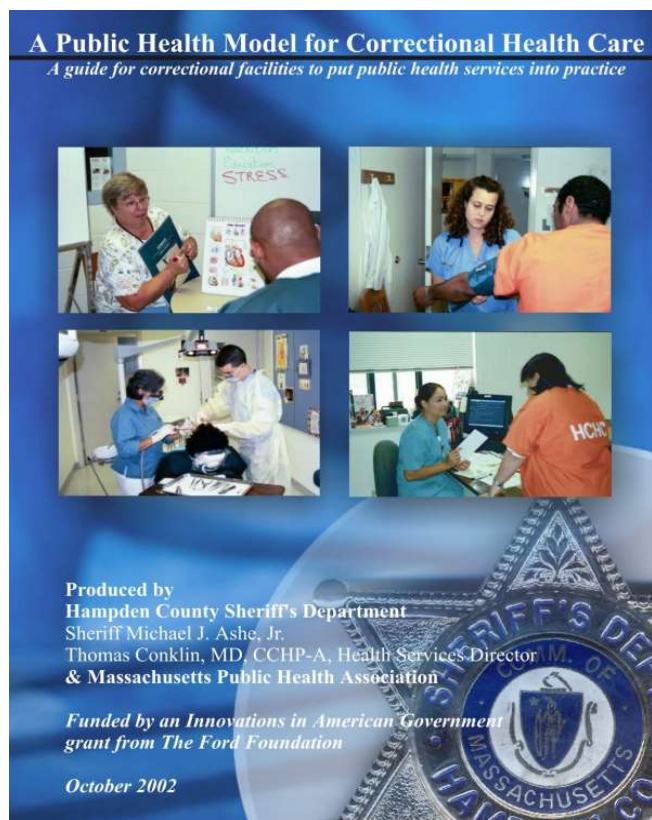
Baystate  Health  
baystatehealth.com



# HAMPDEN COUNTY:

## A PUBLIC HEALTH MODEL FOR CORRECTIONAL HEALTH

OCTOBER 2002



1. Education
2. Prevention
3. Early detection
4. Treatment
5. Continuity of care →
6. Data

Community-integrated  
model

<http://hcsdma.org/public-resources/public-health-model/>

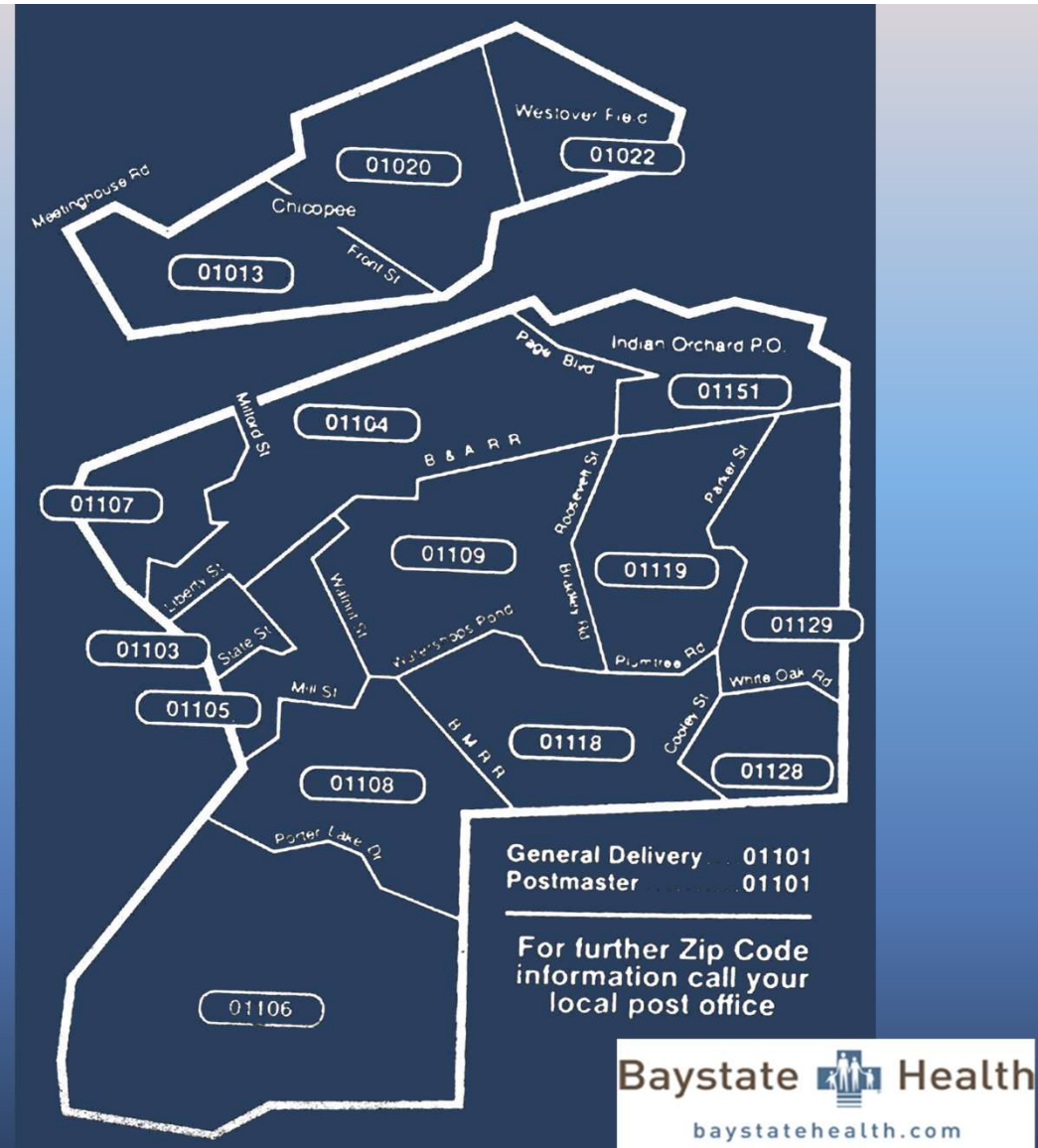


# COMMUNITY INTEGRATED CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE

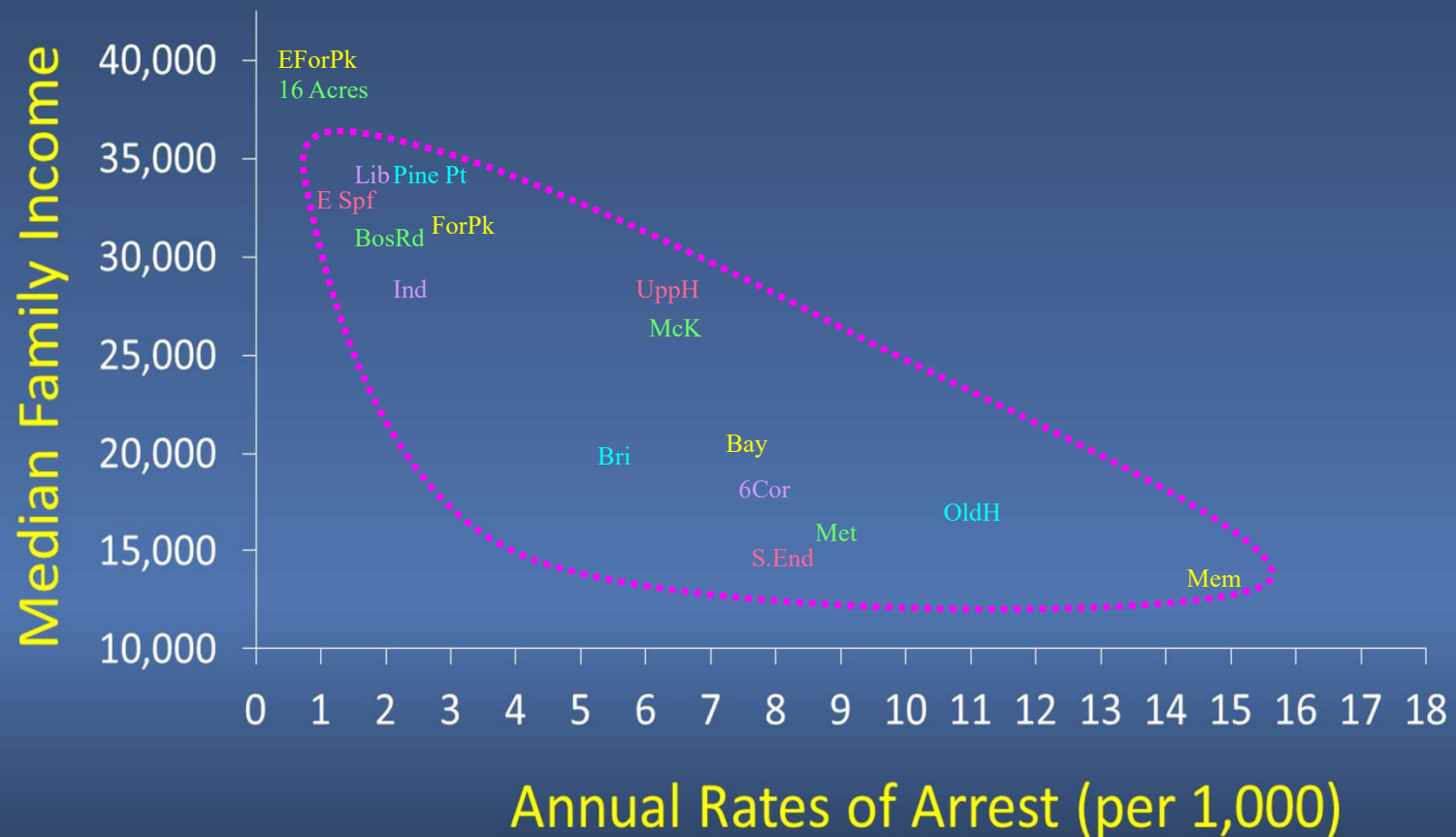
## Hampden County MA: A Public Health Model for Correctional Health

2-3%

<http://hcsdma.org/public-resources/public-health-model/>



## Drug-Related Arrests of Persons Residing in Specific Neighborhoods

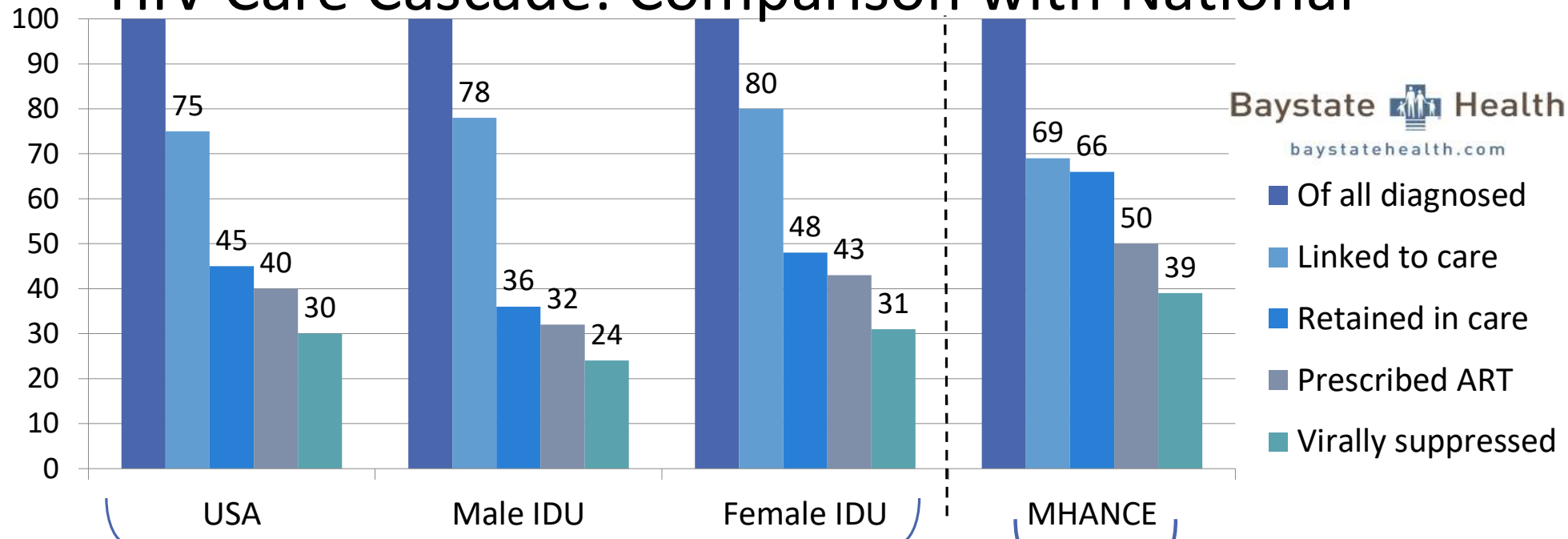


Springfield Community Partnership and Prevention Alliance, 1995



# SPNS CHLI: BAYSTATE LOCAL EVALUATION

## HIV Care Cascade: Comparison with National



CDC 2012

Linked to care = 30d care accessed  
Retained = Has HIV provider at 6mo  
Prescribed ART = On HIV med at 6mo  
Virally suppressed = HIV RNA <400 6mo

Missing assigned  
negative value

# CREATING A JAIL LINKAGES PROGRAM

## *Expect the Unexpected*

### ***Client Level:***

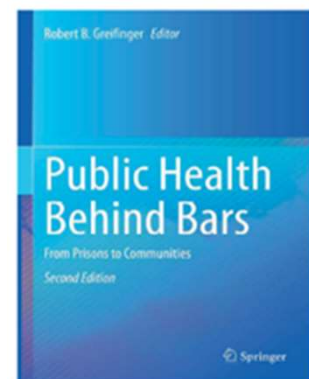
- Begin Where the Client is; harm reduction approach
- Plan for both options: Stay or Go; treat each session as last

### ***Program Level:***

- Train staff: Motivational Interviewing & stages of engagement in care
- Hire those who care AND
  - Meet correction agency requirements (no community supervision, no recent charges)
  - Demonstrate cultural competency and understanding of system impact
  - Use humanizing language; clients' primary language, when possible

### ***Systems Level:***

- Track outcomes (linkage to care and follow up after incarceration)
- Arrange transitional services (continuity of medication, after care letter, medical summary, lab reports, transportation, and accompaniment)
- Ask community health centers to help; set aside walk-in hours



## ASK THE AUDIENCE:

What do you think are the greatest barriers to successful correction and community health collaborations? What community partners have helped support your work?  
How might collaborations with organizations outside your workplace improve your day?

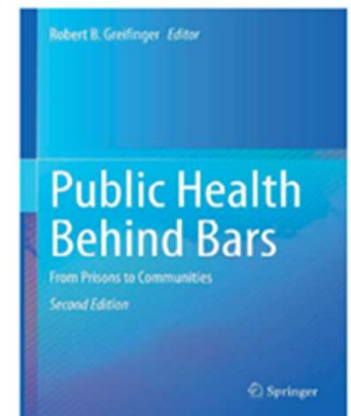


## DISCUSSION

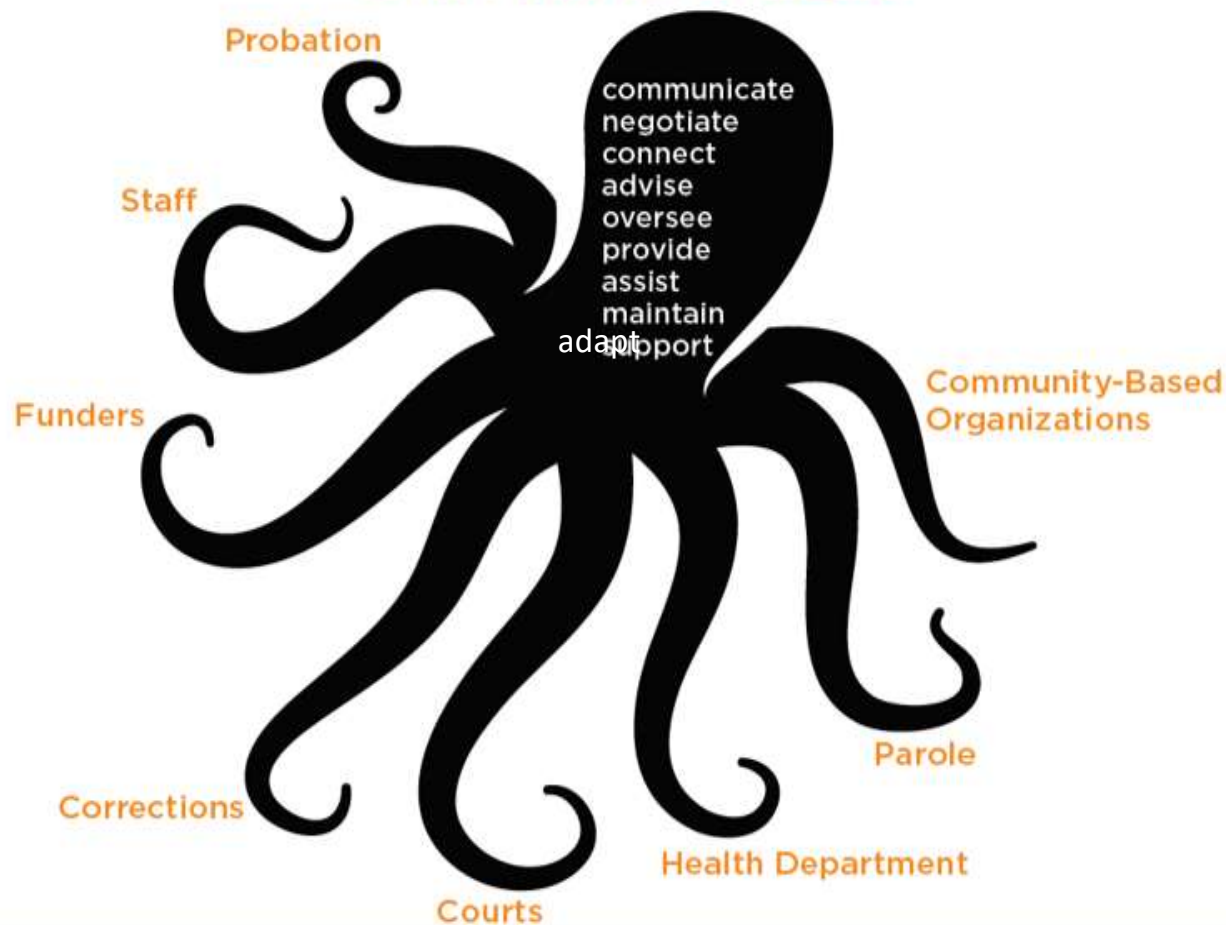
Reentry planning, discharge planning and continuity of care collaborations involve:

- people with criminal legal system involvement
- correctional and community health providers – nurses, social workers, providers
- legal representatives – defenders; treatment courts; district attorneys
- Correctional and community medical, substance use and mental health treatment providers
- Housing, employment and social service – reentry teams and service providers
- Skilled nursing facilities – correctional, hospital, facility NURSES!
- treatment courts and care management teams

Resources: Evidence-informed public health approaches include a Public Health Model for Correctional Health (PHMCH) and Transitional Care Coordination (TCC) which have been successfully adapted, implemented and replicated using translational science.



# CRITICAL SKILLS



## TOOLS + TIPS FOR PROVIDING TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION

### HANDBOOK

Synthesizes program planning, implementation, and lessons learned, offering strategic approaches to:

- \* implement, expand, and refine care coordination work.
- \* negotiate and form partnerships to improve health outcomes.
- \* identify medical alternatives to incarceration.
- \* improve continuity from jail to community healthcare.
- \* benefit health and hospital care, public health, HIV services, substance use and mental health, and jail health.



COMMUNICATE | NEGOTIATE | CONNECT | ADVISE | OVERSEE | PROVIDE | ASSIST | MAINTAIN | SUPPORT

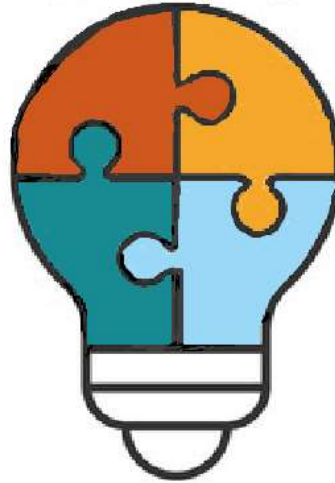
# BENEFITS OF COLLABORATIONS ACROSS SYSTEMS

## Achieve Mutual Objectives

- Leadership required
- Health IT solutions
- Cost saving on a societal level

## Improve health outcomes

- Vulnerable Populations
- Reduce housing instability
- Address mental health and SUD



## Requires Ongoing Support

- Training, Technical Assistance
- Guidance
- Collaborators

## Education & Awareness

- Overdose Prevention
- Peer leadership
- Visitor Outreach

# FUNDING SOURCES

Since the 1980s...

federal, state and local agencies as well as foundations have supported:

★ **Hampden County MA:** Public Health Model for Correctional Health (PHMCH)  
💡 led to Community Oriented Correction Health Services (COCHS) adaptations in other areas

## HRSA Special Projects of National Significance (SPNS):

- 10 Correctional Health Linkage Initiatives (CHLI) sites (Hampden County MA, NYC ...)
- 🚩 Workforce Capacity and Latino Initiatives (NYC and Puerto Rico)
- ▲ 14 Housing & Employment demonstration sites (Chicago; Paterson NJ)
- 3 Dissemination of Evidence Informed Intervention TCC sites (Camden, Raleigh, Las Vegas)

## Other federal and Foundation funding

HIV Prevention: Health Education / Risk Reduction & Condom Distribution (CDC)

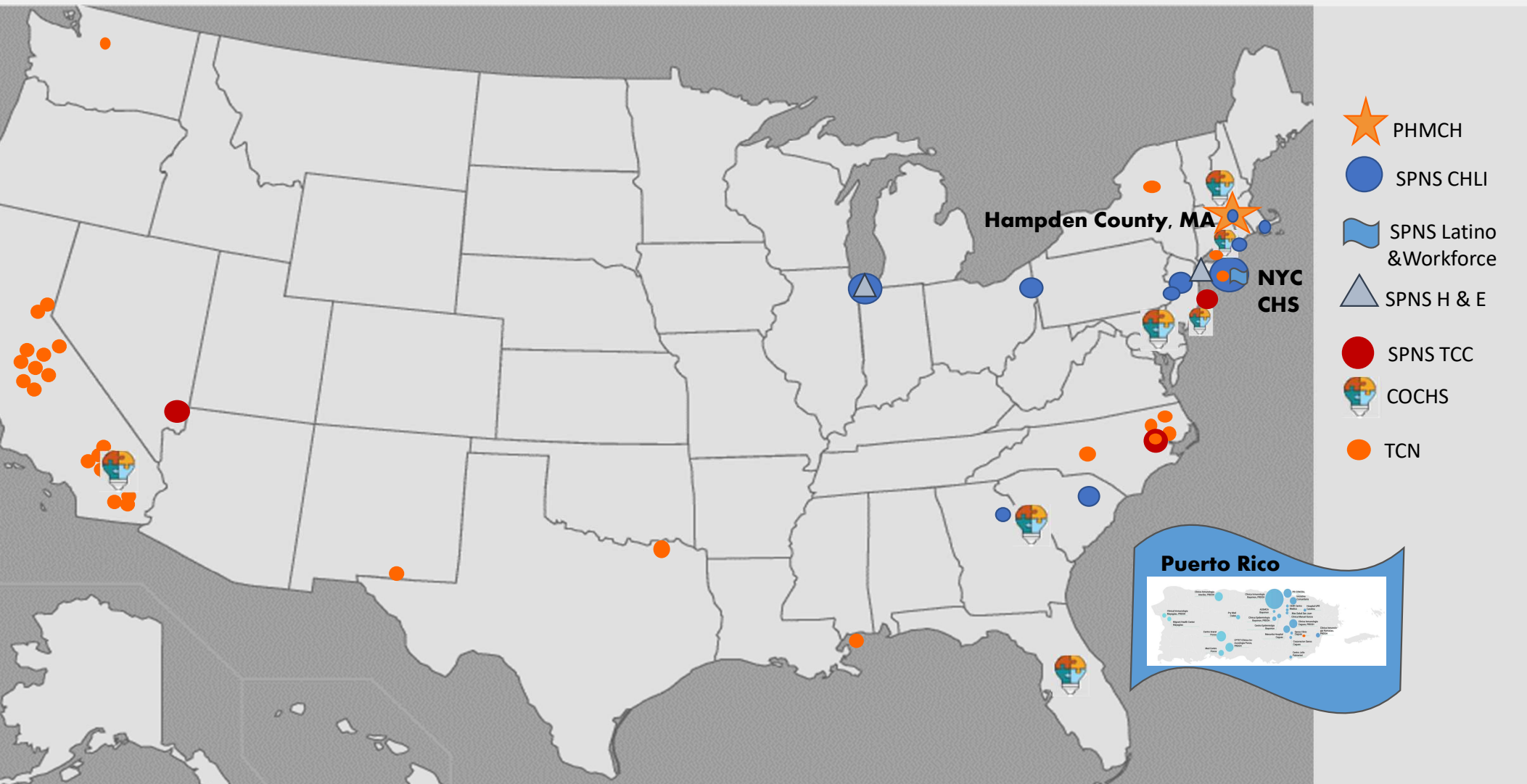
NYC Correctional Health Service [NYC CHS] Transitional Care Coordination model (CDC/RW)

NYC HIV testing model adapted from Project Start seeded by (ELJ, MACAIDS, Robin Hood)

- Transitions Clinic Network (TCN): over 30 community health centers; collaborate with TCC

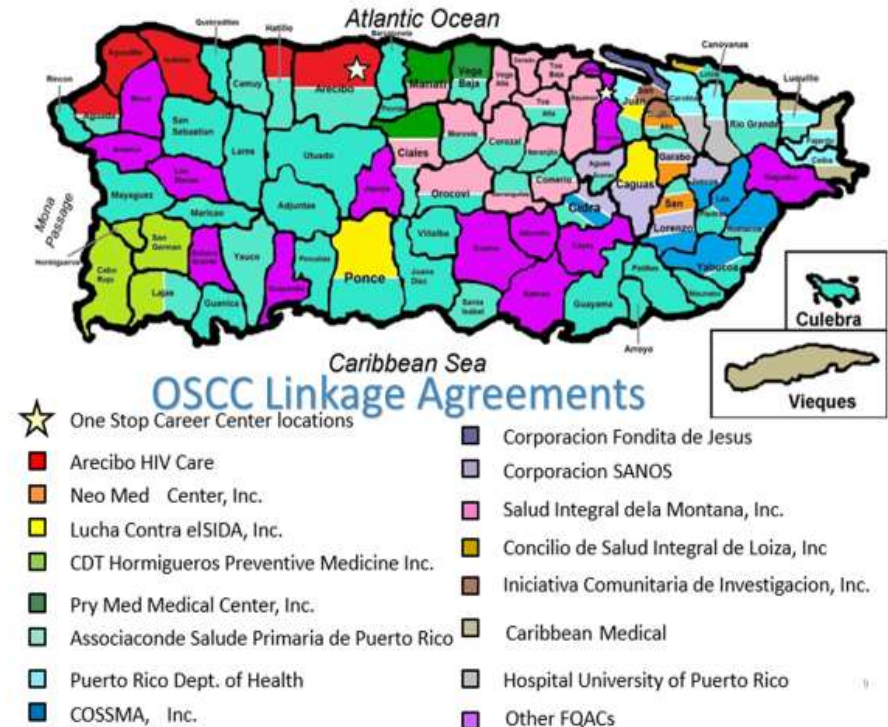


# LOCATIONS



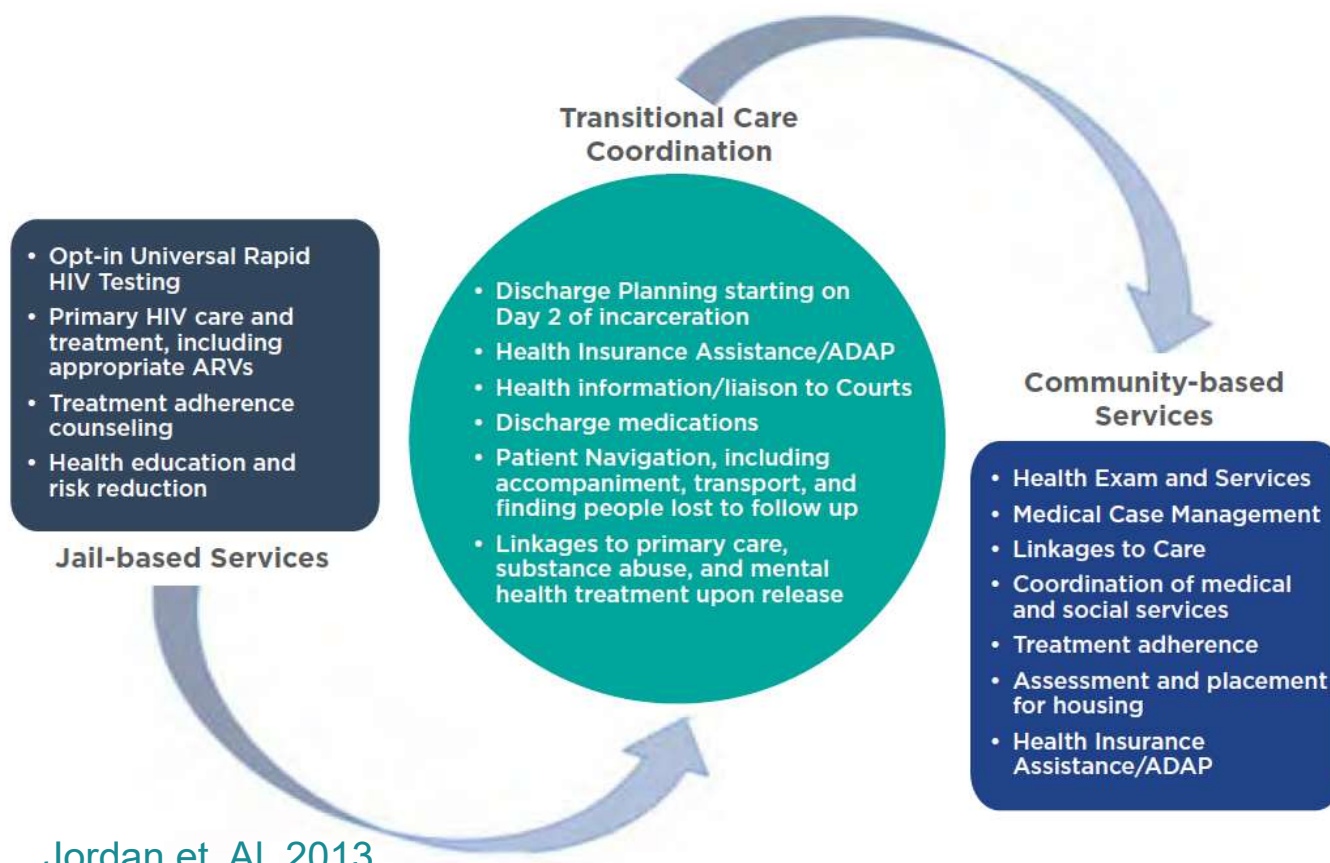
# COLLABORATION OUTCOMES

- Over **60 MOUs** with service providers across PR to address housing, primary care, employment, and other social services
- Government and community partners launched Island-wide consortium to address needs of HIV+ clients transitioning to community after incarceration
  - **Community providers** – medical care, including HIV Primary Care, housing, substance use treatment, syringe exchange, support services, care management.
  - **Federal agencies** – Ryan White, US DOJ
  - **PR Department of Correction and Rehabilitation**



**HIV Primary Care in PR**

# NYC TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION



## TOOLS + TIPS FOR PROVIDING TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION

### HANDBOOK

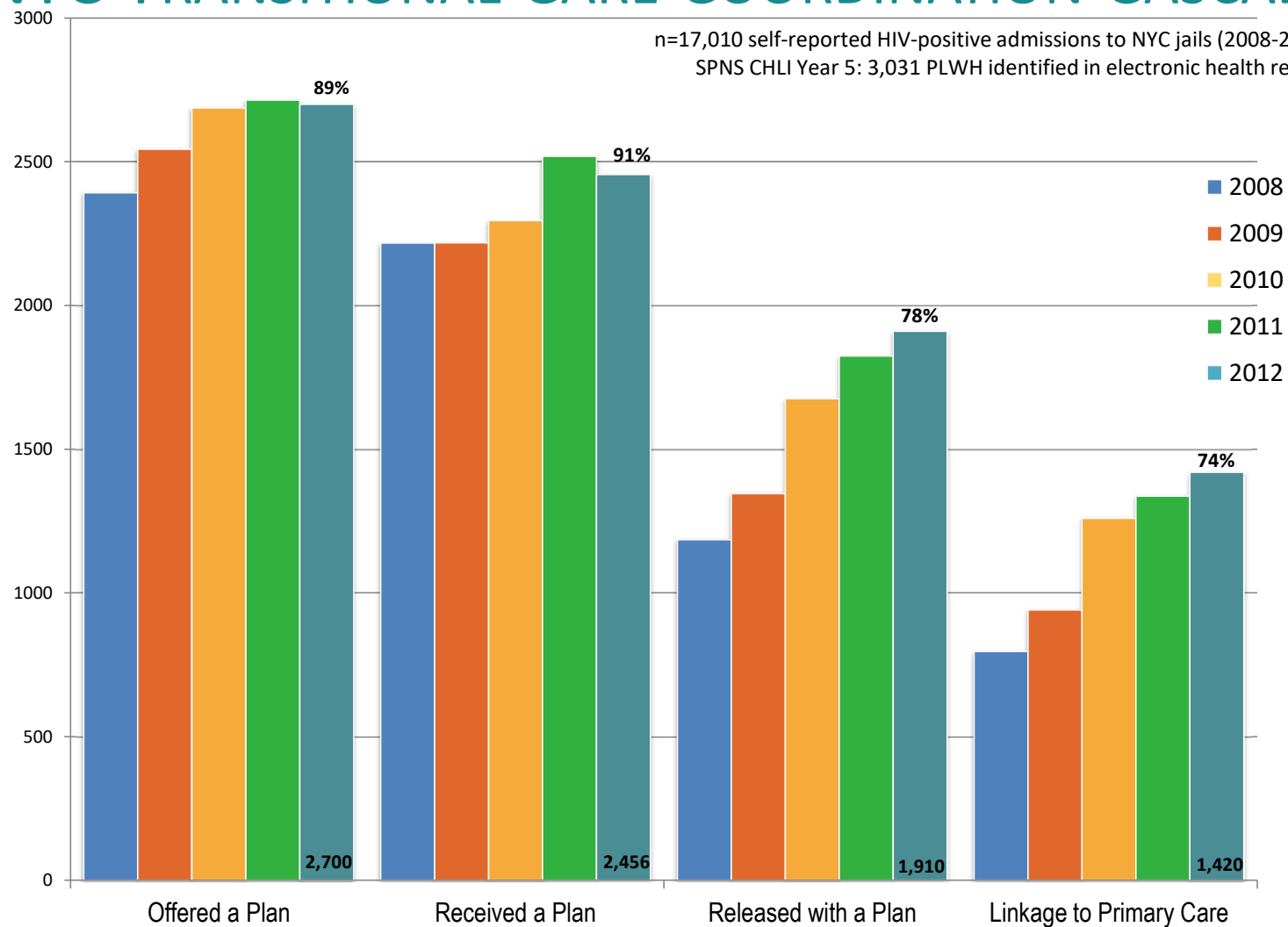
Free download available at:

<https://targethiv.org/ihp/tools-tips-providing-transitional-care-coordination>

*"It can take just one individual to initiate improvement and one team to sustain it," Jackie Cruzado*



# NYC TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION CASCADE



# SPNS CORRECTIONAL HEALTH LINKAGES INITIATIVE

## NYC PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Along with primary medical care, NYC CHLI clients were also connected to:
  - Medical case management (53%)
  - Substance use treatment (52%)
  - Housing services (29%)
  - Court advocacy (18%)
- Approximately 65% of clients accept the offer of accompaniment and / or transport to their medical appointment.
- 85% of those who were not initially known to be linked to care were found through community outreach; 30% re-incarcerated.

### Health Liaison to Courts

1. Obtain participant consent to contact defender.
2. Call during lunch or off tours.
3. Discussed planned approach.
4. Collaborate on the right first step – then stay in touch.



# SPNS CHLI OUTCOMES

*From 6m Prior to Incarceration to 6m Post Release*

Indicator		NYC		All Sites
Clinical Care				
CD 4 (mean)	↑	(372 to 419)	↑	(416 to 439)
vL (mean)	↓	(52,313 to 14,044)	↓	(39,642 to 15,607)
Undetectable vL	↑	(11% to 22% )	↑	(9.9% to 21.1% )
<b>1,021 (79%) linked to HIV primary care after incarceration*</b>				
# Taking ART	↑	(62% to 98%)	↑	(57% to 89%)
ART Adherence	↑	(86% to 95%)	↑	(68% to 90%)
Avg. # ED visits p/p	↓	(.60 to .2)	↓	(1.1 to .59)
Survival Needs				
Homeless	↓	(23% to 4.5%)	↓	(36.2% to 19.2%)
Hungry	↓	(20.5% to 1.75%)	↓	(37.4% to 14.1%)

Improve  
community  
outcomes &  
reduce costs

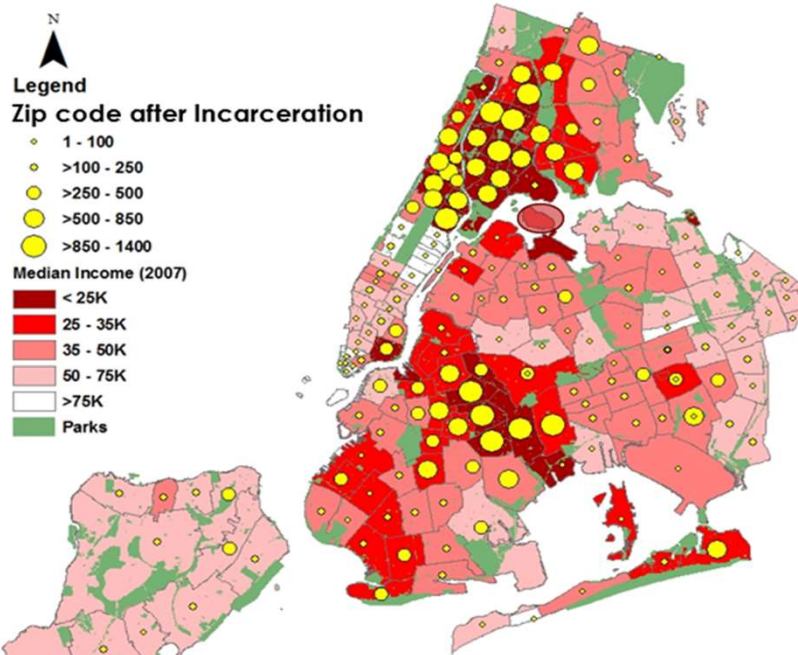
*\*Linkage to HIV primary care measured at 30d after incarceration*



# MAKING A DIFFERENCE

## NEW YORK, NY

Number Returning to the Community  
from NYC Jails by Zip Code  
and Socioeconomic Status for 2014



After incarceration, over 70% return to areas with lowest socioeconomic status. (Jordan et al 2013)

## NYC TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION OUTCOMES:

- Fewer visits to the emergency department, from 0.60 per person in the 6 months prior to baseline to .20 visits at follow-up
- Housing instability and food insecurity decreased from over 20% at baseline to less than 5% at follow-up.
- Individuals also self-reported feeling in better general health.

(Teixeira et al 2015)

## ENHANCEMENTS / EXPANSIONS

Evidence based outcomes led community integrated correctional health collaboratives to expand / enhance approaches to include:

### ■ Other populations:

- Substance use disorders including MOUD
- Geriatric & Complex Care
- Chronic and communicable disease interventions
- Universal HCV screening, treatment and linkages
- Visitor Outreach & Education
- Young Adult Initiatives

### ■ Legal & Social Services

- Housing & Employment Services
- Alternatives to Incarceration
- Leveraging networks of care + collaborations
- SPNS Latino Cultural Appropriateness Curricula

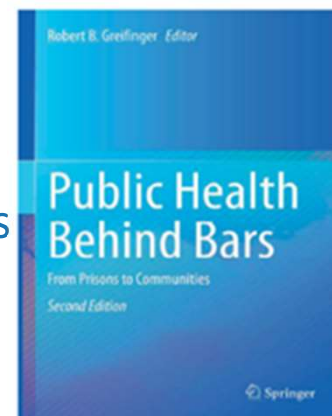
### ■ Other locations:

From Hampden County to

- 10 SPNS CHLI sites
- COCHS sites
- Transitions Clinic Network

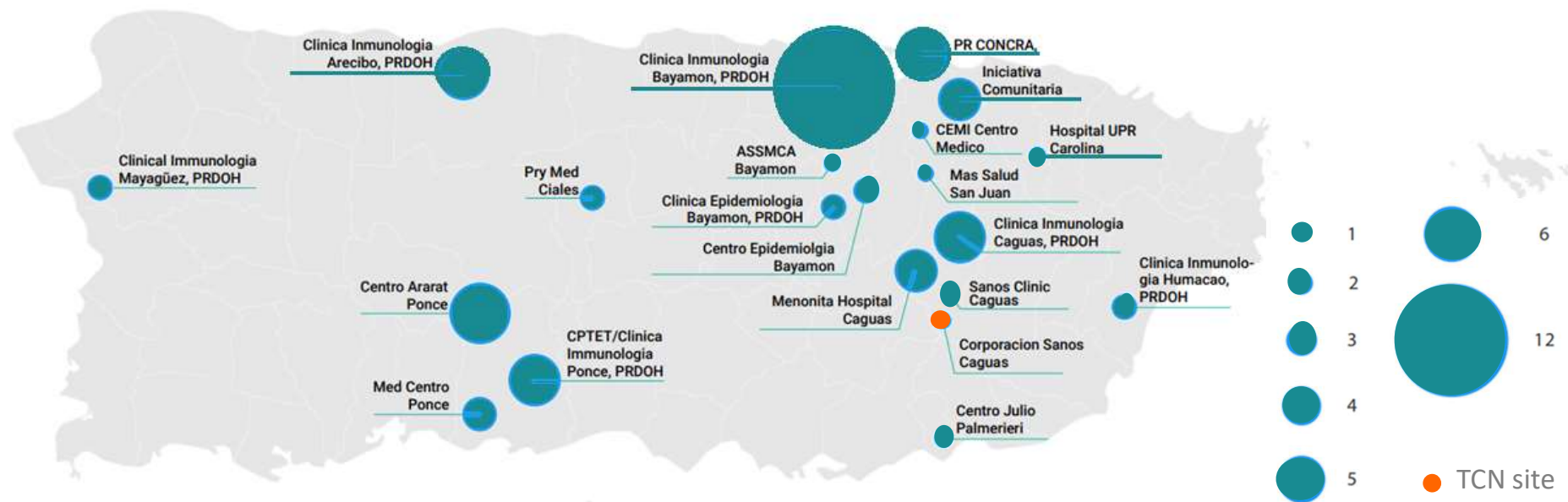
From NYC CHS to

- OSCC-PR
- 3 SPNS DEII sites
- 14 Housing & Employment sites



# SPNS LATINO INITIATIVE TRAINING

## MAPPING LINKAGES TO CARE IN PUERTO RICO



94% of people returning home with a transitional care plan linked to care after incarceration (n=79).

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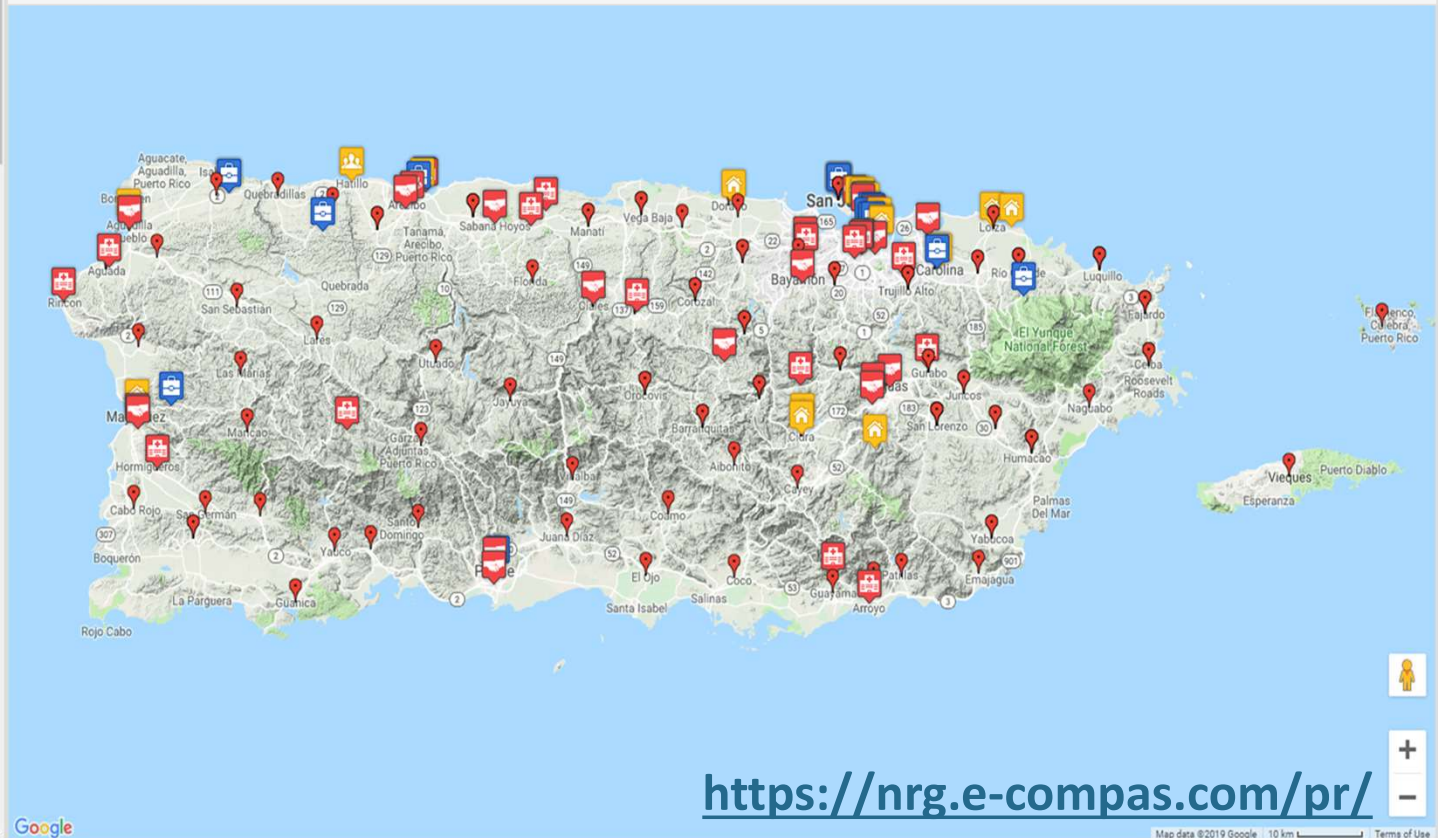
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DISSEMINATION OF  
**EVIDENCE-  
INFORMED**  
INTERVENTIONS

# SPNS Dissemination of Evidence-Informed Interventions: Transitional Care Coordination

Implementation in Camden, Raleigh & Las Vegas

*AIDS United & Boston University*

*Training/Technical Assistance & Translational Research*

2015-2020

n=268 identified; 229 community return

## **Patient Outcomes**

*180d after incarceration:*

- 53% linked to care
- 76% virally suppressed

Suggested citation: Dissemination of Evidence-Informed Interventions. Transitional Care Coordination: From Jail Intake to Community HIV Primary Care (2020).

Available at: <https://targethiv.org/deii/deii-transitional-care>

## ASK THE AUDIENCE

What lessons do you think were learned using Implementation Science to replicate Transitional Care Coordination in Camden NJ, Raleigh NC and Clark County (LVNV)?





## LEARNING OBJECTIVE 3: KEY OUTCOMES

Which outcomes do you think helped sustain these interventions?



# TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION

## Functional Assessment Instructions

- Assess roles and responsibilities for each function associated with the five **CORE ELEMENTS**.
- Determine role / organization that will perform each function and adjust font colors on each listed function using the [Functional Assessment Tool](#) to reflect:
  - **Position / Performance Site**
  - **Position / Performance Site Partners**
  - Community Standard of Care
  - **To be determined**
- Identify gaps as well as inconsistencies and any strategic adjustments that may facilitate:
  - Start up
  - Integration of model
  - Maintenance of model
- Use [Goal Setting Tool](#) to reflect changes or updates that are needed for Implementation

# TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION

## KEY:

Position / Performance Site

Position / Performance Site Partners

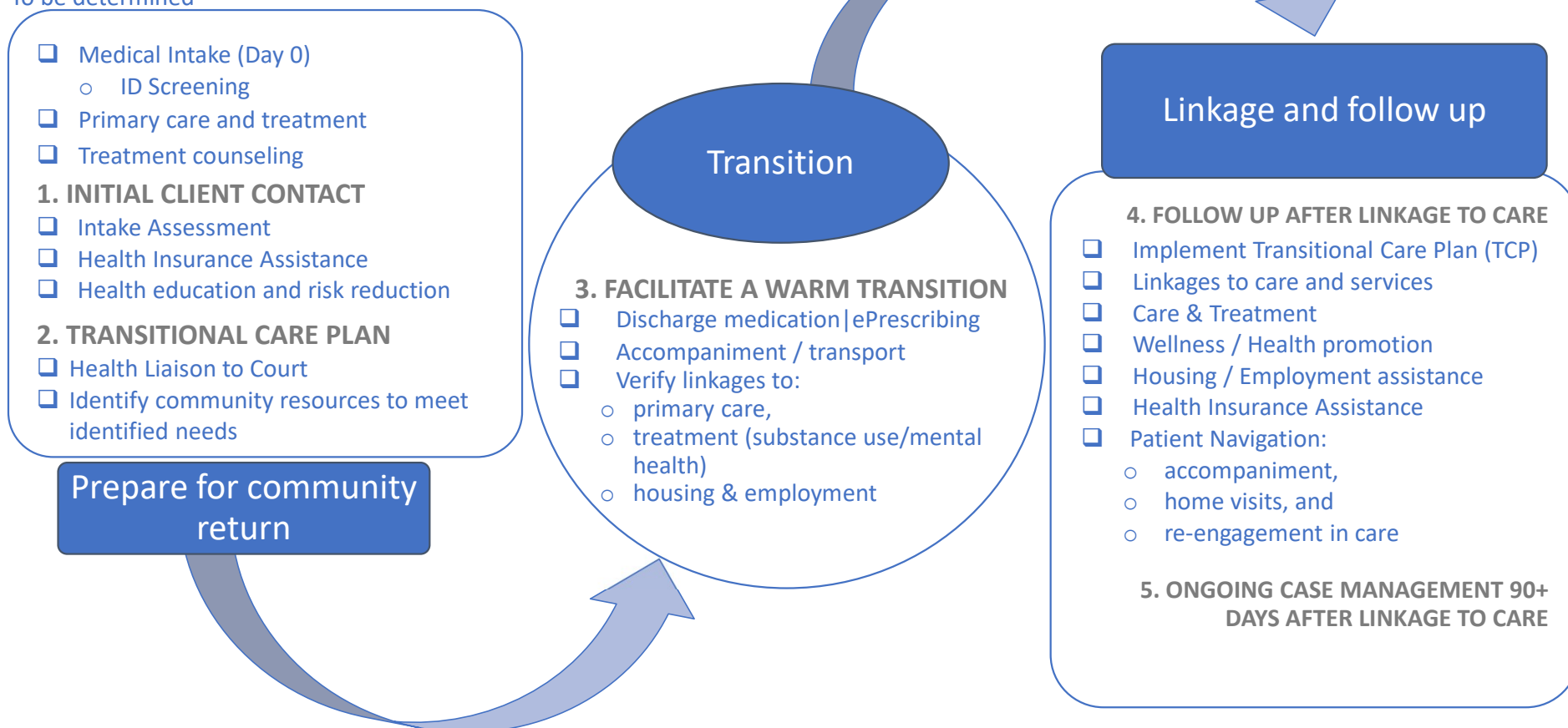
Community Standard of Care

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## Functional Assessment Tool

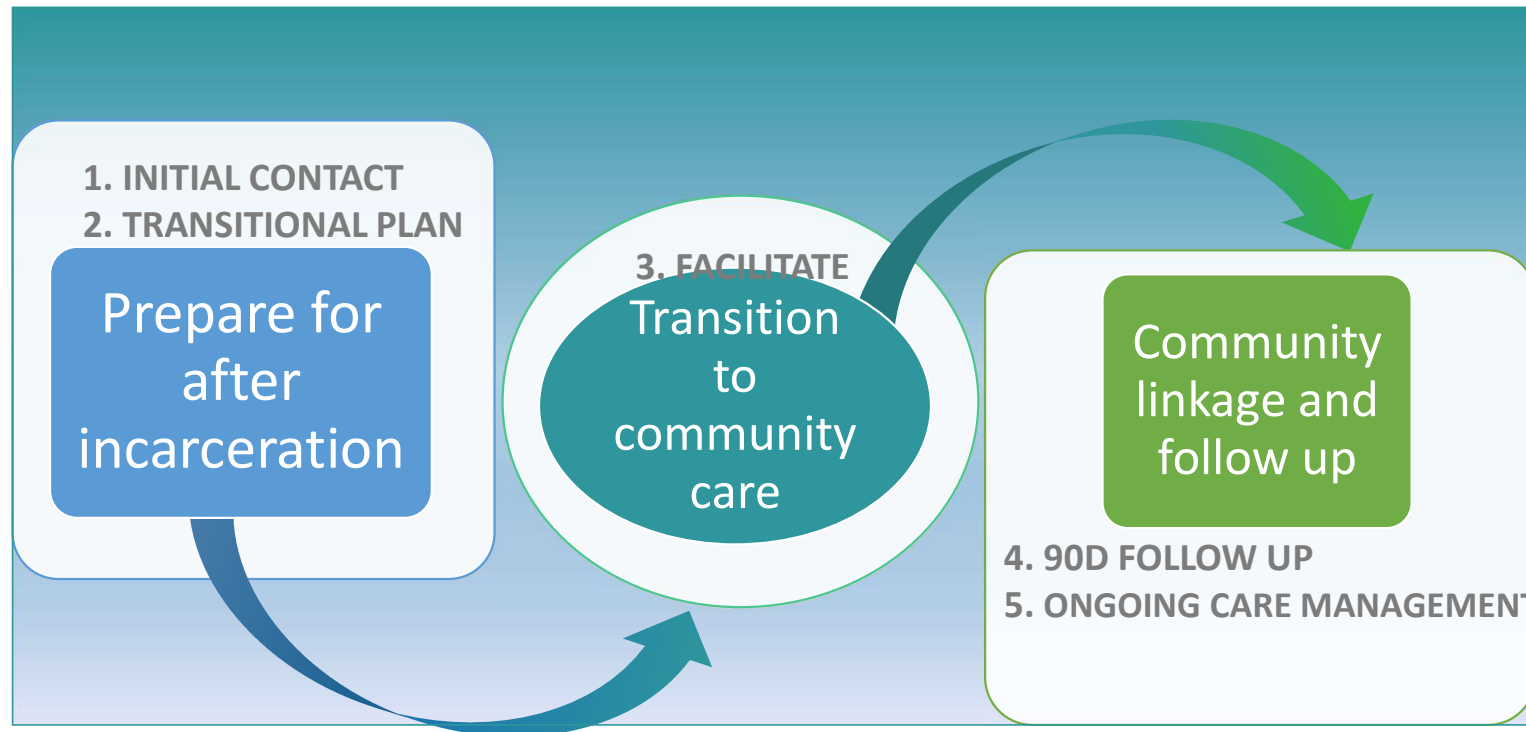
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## CORE ELEMENTS



# TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION: FROM JAIL INTAKE TO COMMUNITY HIV PRIMARY CARE

## Three Phases: Five Core Components



# IMPLEMENTATION READINESS ASSESSMENT

Functional Assessment for Five Core Components



# WHAT'S NEXT?

What gaps did you identify?

How might we help?



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