

## **HIV & AGING WORK GROUP**

*To Develop Policy and Recommendations on HIV & Aging to LTCCC*

### **September 12, 2016 Meeting Notes**

**Present:** Vince Crisostomo (Co-Chair), Chip Supanich (Co-Chair), Kevin Hutchcroft, Joe Ramirez-Forcier, Mick Robertson, Rebecca Erenrich, Harry Breaux, Bill Hirsch, Loren Meissner, Mark Burns, Montrell Dorsey, Rick Appleby (DAAS Staff),

### **Welcome and Introductions**

#### **Dignity Fund Update**

- Currently in campaign mode - Prop I  
Vote yes

#### **Follow Up Presentation: Positive Resource Center Employment Services**

Joseph Ramirez-Forcier reviewed the PRC's Employment Services which were discussed at then last meeting, including a review of the handout, some discussion on cash income strategies, e.g. Folsom Street volunteering, and a concept for HIV & Aging On-The-Job training

Notes from the discussion:

- Similar to programs in the 1990's before funds were cut
- PRC can serve folks with a broader array of disabilities because PRC receives both mental health funding and Department of Rehabilitation funding so most people can fit into one of these funding streams.
- Income counseling: counselors can meet with clients multiple times, write letters, and do advocacy.
- Some folks from out of San Francisco County can be served
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#### **ROAH 2**

Rebecca and Liz (by phone) reviewed ROAH situation: San Francisco and Oakland, multiple focus groups in each county and surveys. Project is waiting for the Memorandum of Understanding with Meals on Wheels as fiscal agent.

Focus groups: Liz/ACRIA asks group which communities should be targeted for focus groups. Group response at last meeting was quick brainstorm: Transgender women, Long term Survivors, API, heterosexual women, Ward 86 vs. non Ward 86.

Discussion: Final notes distributed then folk shave until the 28<sup>th</sup> to provide feedback

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- Given women's community in Oakland, focus group with women could be in that county, though women's HIV+ community in SF is highly unique though more difficult to reach.
- API needs to be reached and surveyed, available in San Francisco
- African American/Black in San Francisco: a different experience than in Oakland
- Duplication with Dr. Greene's Ward 86 folks? Focus group questions different however so advocacy to allow those in Dr. Greene's group to participate in ACRIA focus groups
- Strong advocacy for Long term Survivors: 50+, infected in the 1980s
- Other groups mentioned: Spanish speaking, intravenous drug users, marginally housed, transgender, Latino

### Recruitment:

- Even if group is not included in a focus group, can do survey
- Use of PRC and Tenderloin computer resources to help folks complete survey, esp. less computer literate older adults
- Surveys available hardcopy
- Will accept oral survey for those with literacy issues
- Need to discuss how to outreach and where to have the focus groups
- African American/Black may avoid filling out the survey in their neighborhood

### Announcements

- PRC open house, 9/16, 785 Market Street, 10th floor
- US Confer3ence on AIDS in Florida – Mick
- ACRP Tenants Rights boot Camp, 9/27. 6 to 8
- 9/18 is HIV & Aging Day
- Legacy Film Festival 9/16 – 18
- Today is Mick's birthday!

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**Next Meeting:** Monday, Oct. 17, 2 - 3:30pm, Golden Gate, 5<sup>th</sup> Flr, 1650 Mission St.

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