



Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program

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PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), HIV/AIDS Bureau (HAB) administers the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program and the Global HIV/AIDS Program.

HAB's Office of the Associate Administrator manages the Bureau; provides leadership and direction for HRS HIV/AIDS programs and activities, including the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program; and oversees collaboration with other national public health programs.

HAB has seven additional offices and divisions:

- ▶ **The Division of Community HIV/AIDS Programs** administers Parts C and D of the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009 (Public Law 111-87). This Division also administers the Dental Programs under Part F, which include the HIV/AIDS Dental Reimbursement Program and the Community-Based Dental Partnership Program.
- ▶ **The Division of Metropolitan HIV/AIDS Programs** administers Part A of the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009.
- ▶ **The Division of Policy and Data** serves as HAB's focal point for program data collection and evaluation, quality improvement, coordination of program performance activities, clinical evaluation, development of policy guidance, coordination of technical assistance activities, and development of analyses and reports to support HIV/AIDS decision-making.
- ▶ **The Division of State HIV/AIDS Programs** administers Part B and the AIDS Drug Assistance Program of the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009.

THE RYAN WHITE HIV/AIDS PROGRAM PROVIDES A COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEM OF HIV PRIMARY MEDICAL CARE, MEDICATIONS, AND ESSENTIAL SUPPORT SERVICES FOR LOW-INCOME PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV WHO ARE UNINSURED OR UNDERINSURED. THE PROGRAM AWARDS GRANTS TO STATES, COUNTIES/CITIES, AND LOCAL COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS TO PROVIDE HIV CARE AND TREATMENT SERVICES TO MORE THAN HALF A MILLION PEOPLE EACH YEAR—APPROXIMATELY HALF OF ALL THOSE DIAGNOSED WITH HIV IN THE UNITED STATES. THE PROGRAM ALSO FUNDS CLINICIAN TRAINING, QUALITY IMPROVEMENT, AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF INNOVATIVE MODELS OF CARE TO IMPROVE HEALTH OUTCOMES AND REDUCE HIV TRANSMISSION. THE RYAN WHITE HIV/AIDS PROGRAM, FIRST AUTHORIZED IN 1990, WAS FUNDED AT \$2.32 BILLION IN FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2016.

- ▶ **The Office of HIV/AIDS Training and Capacity Development** administers Part F of the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009, which supports clinician training and the development and dissemination of innovative models of care to improve health outcomes and reduce HIV transmission. This includes the Special Projects of National Significance Program and AIDS Education and Training Centers Program. This Office also administers the Global HIV/AIDS Program, which implements HRS President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief activities.

- ▶ **The Office of Operations and Management** provides administrative and fiscal guidance and support for HAB. The Office is responsible for all budget execution tasks, personnel actions, contracting services, and facilities management.
- ▶ **The Office of Program Support** serves as HAB focal point for organizational development and training, technological support, communication and information dissemination, customer service, and recipient oversight and support.

FUNDING CONSIDERATIONS //

The Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program is authorized and funded under Title XXVI of the Public Health Services Act, as amended by the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009. The Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program was funded at \$2.32 billion in FY 2016.

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