



Outreach Services

2010 Service Area Review Summary

HRSA Support Service

Essential Access Service—
Continuum of Care

Comprehensive Plan—YES

Outreach Services - programs that have as their principal purpose identification of people with unknown HIV disease or those who know their status so that they may become aware of, and may be enrolled in care and treatment services (i.e., case finding), not HIV counseling and testing nor HIV prevention education. These services may target high-risk communities or individuals. Outreach programs must be planned and delivered in coordination with local HIV prevention outreach programs to avoid duplication of effort; be targeted to populations known through local epidemiologic data to be at disproportionate risk for HIV infection; be conducted at times and in places where there is a high probability that individuals with HIV infection will be reached; and be designed with quantified program reporting that will accommodate local effectiveness evaluation.

There are currently 3 contracts with metro providers and 2 contracts with greater MN providers to serve 86 and 29 clients respectively.

DATA SUMMARY HIGHLIGHTS

In FY 2010, \$104, 459 in Minority AIDS Initiative funding was set aside for culturally appropriate outreach services.

In 2009, the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009 added a new requirement to planning council responsibilities. Planning councils are now required to determine not only the size and demographics of HIV/AIDS infected individuals but also those individuals who are unaware of their HIV status. One-third of Part A supplemental grant scores are to be based on the area's ability to demonstrate its success in identifying individuals with HIV/AIDS who are unaware of their status and bringing attention to their status.

Part A and B grantees must develop comprehensive plans that include a strategy for identifying individuals with HIV/AIDS who do not know their status and helping them seek medical services. The strategy must focus on reducing barriers to routine testing and disparities in access to services for minorities and underserved populations.

CURRENT RANKINGS

COUNCIL (2008)	CONSUMERS (2010)
22 out of 24 service areas	19 out of 25 service areas

ALLOCATIONS HISTORY

FY	ALLOCATION	% CHANGE	SPENT	% UTILIZED
2010	\$269,473	-15%		
2009	\$318,700	53%	\$318,367	99%
2008	\$208,573	-4%	\$202,058	97%

UTILIZATION HISTORY

FY	# Accessing Service Area or Activity	% of All HIV/AIDS Cases	% of Unduplicated RW Clients
2009	171	3% (n=6,552)	5% (n=3,700)
2008	106	<2% (n=6,221)	2% (n=4,713)
2007	107	<2% (n=5,950)	3% (n=4,038)

