

Title X Sustainability Assessment

Starting this year, OPA is requiring each Title X site to complete a Sustainability Assessment. This replaces the Title X Outreach and Enrollment data collection from the last two years. The purpose of the Sustainability Assessment is to identify technical assistance and training needs for Title X clinics and to provide OPA with clinic-level information so they can better understand the variety of clinics in the Title X network.

Each Reproductive Health Coordinator is responsible for completing a survey for each of their Title X sites by the due date, April 30.

Like last year, we created a Tip Sheet. We also created a new report with clinic-level data on the [Ahlers Reports website](#). Resources for the Assessment are located on our [Title X Provider Resources](#) page and have been emailed directly to Title X RH Coordinators. As more resources become available (we expect to see a FAQ document from OPA and a recording of the Sustainability Assessment webinar in the next week or two) they will be posted online.

If you have questions that are not answered in the resources we've provided, contact Alison Babich at alison.a.babich@state.or.us or Rachel Linz at rachel.s.linz@state.or.us.

Oregon Vasectomy Project Claims Deadline Extended

Effective immediately, claims for the Oregon Vasectomy Project (OVP) may be submitted up to 12 months from the date of service. This extension means that the deadline by which claims must be submitted will be the same for both CCare and OVP. Our hope is that this will reduce confusion and allow clinics to collect more revenue.

TRAININGS & EDUCATION

Required Webinar: RH Learning Collaborative

(April 12 or 13)

As part of our new 2016 Training Plan, we are conducting one webinar a quarter which RH Coordinators are required to attend. This quarter's required webinar will unveil an exciting new RH Learning Collaborative for serving youth. Click [here](#) to register for the webinar that fits your schedule. The webinar is being held:

- Tuesday, April 12th 10:00-11:00,
- Tuesday, April 12th 11:30-12:30, or
- Wednesday, April 13th 9:00-10:00.

As you will learn, this youth-focused collaborative is intended to be an agency-wide endeavor, so we encourage any staff in your agency who may be interested in this work to attend. **All RH Coordinators are required to attend one webinar** (or send a delegate)

April Webinar: RH Learning Collaborative Follow Up

(April 20, 9:00-10:00)

The regularly scheduled monthly webinar in April will be a follow up to the RH Learning Collaborative. An opportunity to get clarification and ask questions. To register click [here](#).

For trainings conducted by other organizations check the External Webinar Resources section of our website:

<https://public.health.oregon.gov/HealthyPeopleFamilies/ReproductiveSexualHealth/Resources/Pages/Training.aspx#external>

Webinar: Digging Deeper - Identifying Individuals at Increased Risk and Low Risk of Hereditary Cancer

(April 28, 12:00-1:00)

The ScreenWise Program is conducting a webinar in which participants will learn more about family history collection and how to better recognize patients at increased risk of having a hereditary cancer syndrome. Case studies will be used to enhance participant skill in risk assessment. The webinar will also introduce Federal and State genetic privacy and anti-discrimination laws that help protect patients from the misuse of their genetic information. Click [here](#) to register. Contact Gretchen Caplener, Quality Assurance Coordinator at Gretchen.L.Caplener@state.or.us with questions.

2015 CDC STD Treatment Guidelines Webinar in Spanish

(April 5, 10:00)

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), NYC STD/HIV Prevention Training Center and the National STD Curriculum Center will hold a webinar on April 5, 2016, at 10 am PT. This webinar will include discussion on the [2015 CDC STD Treatment Guidelines](#), provided in Spanish. You can register for this webinar [here](#).

Training: Nexplanon Insertion/Removal

(Milwaukie April 29, 2:00)

Merck will conduct a training on the insertion and removal of Nexplanon in Milwaukie on April 29th at 2:00. The training is available to all prescribing providers. See the **attached** invitation and follow the instructions for registering.

RESOURCES

QFP Update

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Office of Population Affairs (OPA) recently published an update to the QFP in The Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR). The MMWR summarizes changes in recommendations based on findings and revisions in clinical guidelines that were published after the QFP was released in 2014. Specifically, there are slight modifications in how to screen for high blood pressure and diabetes, and how to provide STD services. You can read this QFP update [here](#). The full revision of the QFP is in process.

Order Your Own Birth Control Teaching Kit

If your clinic needs a Birth Control Teaching Kit, or to replace items in the Kit, see the **attached** flyer. It provides resources for purchasing the whole Kit and/or individual items.

Collaborating to Improve Health Care

The National Institute for Health Care Management conducted a webinar “Adolescents and STDs: A Call to Action for Providers and Health Plan”. In the webinar, two examples were presented of how public health and health plans/insurers have collaborated to improve health care. Both presentations are now available on YouTube. To view the presentations, click the links below:

Case Studies in Collaboration - Moving Forward in Adolescent STD Prevention: Health plans collaborating with public health in MN to increase adolescent Chlamydia screening and treatment through provider training and outreach to consumers.

Routinizing Sexual Health in Primary Care: Collaboration between public health, academic health (university) and health care providers in the state of New York.

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