

HEP B UNITED: YEAR-IN-REVIEW

Hep B United Summit 2018



OUR MISSION, GOALS, AND PRIORITIES

Hep B United is a national coalition dedicated to reducing the health disparities associated with hepatitis B by increasing awareness, screening, vaccination, and linkage to care for high-risk communities across the United States.

<u>Goals</u>

Awareness – raise the profile of hepatitis B and liver cancer as an urgent public health priority.

Prevention – increase hepatitis B testing and vaccination, particularly among Asian Americans, Pacific Islanders and other high-risk communities.

Intervention – improve access to care and treatment for individuals living with hepatitis B to prevent end-stage liver disease and liver cancer.

BUILDING CAPACITY TO ELIMINATE HEPATITIS B

TRAININGS AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

WEBINARS/HANGOUTS

BY THE NUMBERS

12 events (2017-2018)

800+ attendees

1000+ online viewers

#JUSTB: Real People Sharing their Hepatitis B Stories

HBV ECHO: Reducing Perinatal Transmission

The NOHep Fight for Elimination

HBV in Sub-Saharan Africa

Hepatitis B and the Opioid Crisis

Understanding & Combating HBV-Related Stigma and Discrimination

Hepatitis Awareness Month

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MINI GRANTS

Increase innovative community-based hepatitis B education, testing, and linkage to care programs

BY THE NUMBERS (2015—2017)

16 mini grants
150+ events
13,132 educated
7,505 screened
2.7-10% HBsAG+
400 vaccinated
83-97% linked to care

MINI GRANTS 2017-2018 6 grantees working on: HBV screening & education Educating H.S. students Storytelling and Town Halls Provider education - perinatal HBV transmission

EXPANDING OUR REACH

PEER MENTORING

Foster relationships among community coalitions, improve skills, and enhance the sharing of best practices across the coalition.

Minnesota - Mississippi

Washington - Indiana

WELCOME NEW PARTNERS!

MICHIGAN COLORADO TEAM HBV

HEP B COALITIONS IN 19 STATES



THANKYOU FORYOUR PARTNERSHIP!

LET'S TALK VALUES



HEP B UNITED: OUR VALUES

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BACKGROUND/CONTEXT STATEMENT

Hep B United is a national coalition that empathizes with people who have been affected by hepatitis B and works with community members to promote health equity, respect, and empowerment for hepatitis B advocates. The coalition is made up of community leaders who felt that those working to combat hepatitis B were isolated and marginalized, very much like those at- risk for, or affected by, hepatitis B infection. Hep B United promotes equitable access to health care education, preventive medicine, testing, care, and treatment, especially for underserved communities. As hepatitis B does not discriminate in terms of the people it impacts, Hep B United seeks to identify and address inequities among vulnerable and underserved populations.

OUR VALUES

Our unified coalition embodies a value-centric philosophy of engagement. Our values speak to this belief.

- Empathy working for the community as part of the community and ending stigma and discrimination against individuals affected by hepatitis B
- **Respect** treating all people impacted by hepatitis B with dignity and without bias
- Health Equity promoting equitable access to health care, education, preventive medicine, education, testing, and treatment for everyone affected by hepatitis B
- Empowerment fostering the power of community and increasing the capacity of organizations and service providers working to combat hepatitis B
- Partnership working in solidarity and in a transparent manner towards each other to serve communities affected by hepatitis B