





# #justB

Real People Sharing their Stories of Hepatitis B

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

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## Questions?



**Questions?** Feel free to submit questions in the chat box at anytime throughout the webinar.

# Speakers

### Amy Hill, StoryCenter

Rhea Racho, Hepatitis B Foundation

Kim, Rensely, and Jason, #justB Storytellers







# Agenda

Overview and Goals of #justB

- About StoryCenter and Digital Storytelling
- #justB Story Distribution and Resources

#justB Story Screening

 $lue{}$  Discussion / Q & A with Kim, Rensely, and Jason

## Overview

- #justB is a national, multi-lingual public health campaign to put a face on hepatitis B
- Goals of the campaign:
  - Increase awareness
  - Decrease stigma and discrimination
  - Promote testing and linkage to care
  - Advocate for those affected by hepatitis B

## Overview

#justB features real stories of people from across the
 U.S. who have been affected by hepatitis B



## Overview

- Collaborated with AAPCHO and Hep B United to recruit people interested in sharing their stories
- Coordinated two workshops in partnership with StoryCenter:
  - January 20-22, 2017 in Berkeley, CA (10 participants)
  - March 18-19, 2017 in Doylestown, PA (5 participants)
- Produced 15 digital stories

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# About StoryCenter

- Nonprofit Organization Focused on StoryWork:
  - digital storytelling workshops
  - story writing webinars and trainings
  - consultation on story distribution
- Specialists in Community-Based Participatory Media:
  - first-person stories ("I" voice)
  - group processes, not individual production
  - hands-on digital media creation

# **About Digital Storytelling**

- Unique blend of oral history, popular education, and participatory media approaches
- Methodology is widely used for community-based public health practice and research
- Process of creating stories is as important as final media product: healing and leadership development
- Stories can be shared widely as tools for individual behavior, community, and policy change

## About the Workshops

- Collaborative participant outreach and recruitment process
- Workshops in Berkeley (three days) and Philadelphia (two days)
- Agenda: Story Circle; script writing and recording; image gathering; hands-on video editing
- Follow-up consultation on story distribution

# Distribution Plan / Upcoming Events

- Distribution:
  - monthly featured story (website, blog, newsletters, etc.)
  - national and local media outreach, including ethnic media
  - social media (Twitter View on May 16<sup>th</sup>)
  - community screenings and events
- Advocacy: congressional briefing on May 24<sup>th</sup>, Hep B
  United Summit and Hill Day
- Storyteller Engagement: ongoing support, training, resources, and speaking opportunities
- Evaluation of year 1
- Prep for year 2

# Campaign Website / Resources

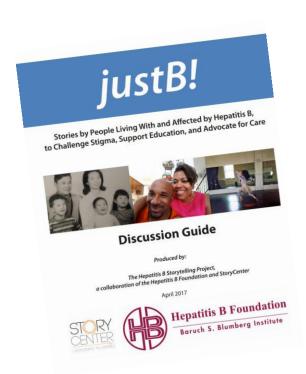
## □ Website: <u>www.hepb.org/justb</u>



**#JustB Resources** #JustB Discussion Guide Want to learn more? **Hepatitis B Patient Education** Resources Getting Tested for Hepatitis B **Understanding Risks of Hepatitis** Understanding Acute vs. Chronic Hepatitis B Preventing Hepatitis B Treatment of Hepatitis B Read more patient stories Additional Stories

# Campaign Website / Resources

- □ Press Release
- □ Blog Post
- □ Discussion Guide





Hepatitis B Advocacy, Living with Hepatitis B

# People Affected by Hepatitis B Share Stories of Family Secrets, Stigma and Diagnoses That Came Too Late



Alan Wang of Berkeley, CA, describes how doctors failed to test his family for hepatitis B in his video story. In an innovative storytelling **initiative**, people living with chronic hepatitis B open their hearts and share their stories of family secrets, stigma and diagnoses that came too late as they confront the impact of hepatitis B on themselves and the people they love.

The Hepatitis B Foundation, working with StoryCenter, has created unique video stories that share the experiences of people affected by hepatitis B, which affects one-third of the world's population. The video stories, which debut May 1 in recognition of Hepatitis Awareness Month, are designed to raise awareness about the liver disease that affects 2 million in the

### Acknowledgements

### **About the Project**

### Terms of Use

#### **Guidelines for Presenters**

### **Story Discussion Tools**

- General Discussion Questions for All Stories
- Story Topic Index
- Content Summaries, Key Take-Away Points, Story Transcripts, and Discussion Questions and Answers for Individual Stories

### Appendices:

- A. Evaluating Your Screening
- **B. Screening Event Questionnaire**
- C. Social Media Guide

### D. Links to Online Fact Sheets:

- 1. How Well Do You Know Hepatitis B?
- 2. Getting Tested for Hepatitis B
- 3. Understanding Risks of Hepatitis B
- 4. Understanding Acute vs. Chronic Hepatitis B
- 5. Preventing Hepatitis B
- 6. Treatment of Hepatitis B

E. Resources for Getting Involved in Hepatitis B Education and Advocacy

# Story Screening



Kim: #justB Courageous

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= ZSJhoLNyXk



Rensely: #justB Strong

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SD1KZA2mRV0



Jason: #justB Aware

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oJwQr9 6nhk

# Meet the Storytellers

# Q & A

Please submit questions in the chat box!







## Thank You!

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