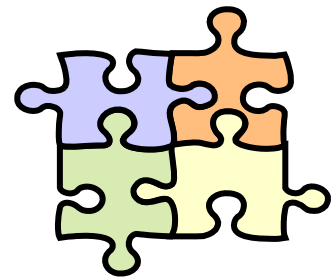


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Putting the Pieces Together: Routinizing HIV Testing in New York City

A forum to share experiences and best practices on routinizing HIV testing in clinical settings, with a focus on rapid testing

Date & Time: Tuesday, November 13, 2007
9:00 am – 4:30 pm
Registration begins at 8:00 am

Target Audience: Medical providers and administrators from emergency departments, inpatient settings, ambulatory care centers, and community health centers who would like to streamline, expand, or implement routine HIV testing

Agenda: *Opening Plenary Session*

Thomas Frieden, MD, MPH
Commissioner
New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

Bernard Branson, MD
Associate Director of Laboratory Diagnostics, Div. of HIV/AIDS Prevention
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Guthrie Birkhead, MD, MPH
Director, Center for Community Health and AIDS Institute
New York State Department of Health

Breakout Sessions

1. Scaling Up Rapid testing in Emergency Departments
2. Routine testing in Outpatient / Ambulatory Care Clinics
3. Inpatient Settings: Unique Considerations
4. Administrative Issues

Place: Saint Francis College
180 Remsen Street, Callahan Hall
Brooklyn Heights, New York 11201
Close to major subway and bus lines
Handicap accessible facility

Pre-registration is required; \$15.00 registration fee. An invitation to the conference with registration information will be sent out soon.
For questions, call or email Maureen Malavé at 212-788-4338 or mmalave@health.nyc.gov

