

THE NEW ENGLAND HIV IMPLEMENTATION SCIENCE NETWORK

3RD ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM

Building on our Success!

Thursday, June 2nd, 2016 – 9am to 4pm

Hilton Mystic, Mystic, Connecticut

Program:

9:00 Registration, Light Breakfast, and Networking

9:30 Opening and Welcome

[Paul Cleary](#), PhD, Dean, School of Public Health, Yale University and Director, CIRA

[Larry Brown](#), MD, Associate Director of the Lifespan/Tufts/Brown CFAR

9:45 Plenary I – Spotlight Regional Projects and ongoing Network Collaborations

1) “New England STD Public Health Consortium” – [Thomas Bertrand](#), MPH, MA

2) “ePROMISE – A Peer Driven Social Media Intervention to Improve Outcomes for Youth along the HIV Care Continuum” – [Frederick Altice](#), MD

3) “Harm Reduction Needs Assessment – Approaches to Identify Areas of Injection Drug Use” – [Robert Heimer](#), PhD

4) “HIV Care Continuum in Nine Small Cities in CT/MA/RI” – [Thomas Stopka](#), PhD, MHS

10:45 Break

11:00 5) “Evaluating the Value of Naloxone Distribution at Needle Exchange” – [Scott Braithwaite](#), MD, MSc, FACP

6) “Examining Multilevel System Dynamics Affecting HIV Community Viral Load” – [Margaret Weeks](#), PhD

7) “Community REsearch Activity assessment Tool (CREAT)” – [Debbie Humphries](#), PhD, MPH

8) “Syphilis TO PrEP Project (STOP)” – [Krystn Wagner](#), MD, PhD

9) “PrEP for MSM with and without SUD in Providence and New Haven” – [Onyema Ogbuagu](#), FACP, MBBCh

12:15 Lunch

1:15 Plenary II – Using the Network to Develop a Successful Implementation Science Proposal

Highlighting the “Working with HIV Clinics to adopt Addiction Treatments using Implementation Facilitation (What IF?)” – [E. Jennifer Edelman](#), MD, MHS, and [David Fiellin](#), MD

2:15 Break

2:30 Concurrent Themed Discussion Sessions: 1) PrEP, 2) Adolescents and Youth, 3) Substance Use and HIV – Addiction Treatment, Naloxone/Harm Reduction, 4) HIV Continuum of Care – Linkage/Retention

Special thanks to all of the presenters listed above and to everyone on the CIRA/CFAR Network team, Discussion Facilitators, Scribes, and Key Discussants: Russell Barbour, Christopher Brennan, Marianne Buchelli, Sarah Calabrese, Chris Cole, Susan Cu-Uvin, Daniel Davidson, Peter Donohue, Lynn Fiellin, Laretta Grau, Dini Harsono, Christopher Kahler, Nancy Kingwood, Shawn Lang, Brandon Marshall, Erin McBurney, Elaine O’Keefe, Don Operario, Jim Pettinelli, Ashley Robinette, Jacob van den Berg, Ira Wilson, and Kathryn Young.

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