

## Who is CAN Community Health?

We are a non profit community-based organization established in 1991. We provide medical, prevention, testing, pharmacy, dental, case management, mental health, and comprehensive prevention services, such as nPEP, and PrEP. CAN is dedicated to the treatment, care, and wellness of people living with HIV, Hepatitis C, and other STDs, as well as gender affirming care.

Our goal is to provide comprehensive services using innovative delivery strategies. In addition to our brick and mortar locations, we have also introduced the use of medical mobile units to bring care testing to individuals in rural communities. We are able to provide many of our services through Ryan White and STD prevention funding, which makes CAN eligible for the 340B\* Federal Drug Discount Program.

The 340B Federal Drug Discount Program is a vital lifeline for safety-net providers who care for vulnerable communities, including HIV/AIDS

providers participating in the Ryan White and STD programs. 340B covered entities provide high quality, accessible, and affordable health care to communities in underserved areas regardless of patients' ability to pay. The 340B program allows us to stretch resources and provide care to underserved and uninsured patients, including People Living with HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis C.

With access to programs like these we are able to provide quality care, increase viral suppression, lower rates of STD/Hep C infections and improve the quality of life in communities. We continue to seek collaborative relations with local, state, medical and non-medical referral sources.

\* The 340B Drug Pricing Program is a federal program that requires drug manufacturers to provide outpatient drugs to eligible healthcare organizations at significantly reduced prices, with the goal of enabling these organizations to stretch scarce resources to better serve their patients who are low-income, uninsured or underinsured.

## OUR VISION

The Nation's Premier Resource in  
Ending Epidemics.

## OUR MISSION

Empowering Wellness Through  
Compassion, Community and Equity.



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## **PREP Program**

PREP stands for “pre-exposure prophylaxis,” which means a daily pill protects you from becoming infected with the HIV virus. The pill contains medicines that are used in combination with other medicines to treat HIV. PREP has been shown to reduce the risk of HIV infection in people who are at high risk by up to 99% if taken consistently. We offer a new PREP program that can help you get on PREP at a low cost. Visit one of our locations or call one of our PREP Navigators and start protecting yourself from HIV today!



## **Community Mobilization and Outreach**

Our team is always on the move. We are committed to breaking down barriers and bringing services to where the community is at. We do so by providing outreach, including, and not limited to testing, risk reduction, education, and tele-health, throughout service areas. CAN's current outreach calendars can be found at [cancommunityhealth.org/locations](http://cancommunityhealth.org/locations). An up-to-date schedule is listed there. If you are interested in CAN bringing an outreach event to you, please reach out to: [inquiries@cancommunityhealth.org](mailto:inquiries@cancommunityhealth.org).

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## **Tele-testing Program**

This program will expand our HIV testing possibilities by providing confidential HIV testing in the comfort of people's homes. Our Prevention team will assist the clients virtually using the Video/Chat Box feature built on our website in English, Spanish, and Haitian Creole. Free “At Home Test Kits” are available at: [canhivetest.org](http://canhivetest.org)

# Our Services

## Behavioral Health

Offers outpatient mental health counseling, psychiatry and medication management directly, or via contracted and/or referral sources, including acute-care behavioral health needs.

## Dental Care

Provides routine dental exams/services, oral hygiene education, routine dental services, preventative oral care, emergency care, and restorative dental care.

## Education and Outreach for Sexual Health and Harm Reduction

Engages in virtual, group-level, and 1:1 education regarding HIV, Hep C, and STI prevention modalities through various languages and also by partnering with interdisciplinary community organizations.

## Food/Nutrition Services

Links patients/clients to food banks, resources, and nutrition specialists, as applicable and appropriate, to address food insecurity.

## HIV, Hep C, and STI Testing

Provides rapid HIV and Hep C point-of-care testing; low to no-cost STI testing. Available in various clinical, mobile unit, and outreach settings.

## HIV, Hep C, and STI Medical Care

Assist patients living with HIV to achieve viral suppression; people living with Hep C to be cured; those positive with STIs to be cleared.

## LGBTQIA+ Friendly Services

Offers a safe, inclusive space for those identifying as LGBTQIA+.

## Medical Mobile Units

Brings testing and tele-health services to the community and local partners via CAN's fleet of sprinter units and an RV mobile medical unit.

## Medical Peer Navigation

Enables community specialists living with HIV to counsel, mentor, and empower patients living with HIV to navigate their medical and support service needs.

## On-Site Pharmacy

CAN has on-site pharmacies that enable patients to receive their medications before or after an appointment, as well as mail-order options.

## Patient Care Coordination

Links patients to their social determinant of health needs, and associated services, such as Ryan White, pharmacies, financial assistance, housing, mental health, etc.

## PrEP (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis)

Offers PrEP: a daily medication or an injectable for low to no cost pending financial ability. PrEP reduces an individual's risk of acquiring HIV.

## Primary Care

Provisions health services that cover a range of prevention, wellness, and treatment for common illnesses for CAN's mission-based patients.

## HIV Rapid Start Medical Provider

Encourages HIV medical care within 24 – 72 hours after a new diagnosis or once determined an individual may be lost to care.

## nPEP (Non-Occupational Post Exposure Prophylaxis)

Offers nPEP: a medication taken after an exposure of HIV with the intent of preventing infection. Must be taken within 72-hours of exposure

## Ryan White Eligibility

Collects information relevant for Ryan White eligibility, where applicable and CAN is funded, to ensure eligible patients' information are reviewed for Ryan White enrollment.

## Ryan White Provider

Acts as a Ryan White funded entity in various jurisdictions, provisioning CAN to provide services for people living with HIV who are uninsured or underinsured.

## Ryan White Case Management

Provides routine social determinants of health support and guidance to Ryan White patients through their care continuum, including oversight on their engagement in care.

## Support Groups

Offers virtual and/or in-person support groups for those living with HIV and/or those interested in PrEP, to navigate amongst a group of peers.

## Tele-health Services

Provides modalities for clients/patients to access their healthcare appointments via cell phone or laptop. One can visit your doctor electronically without leaving home.

## Transportation Services

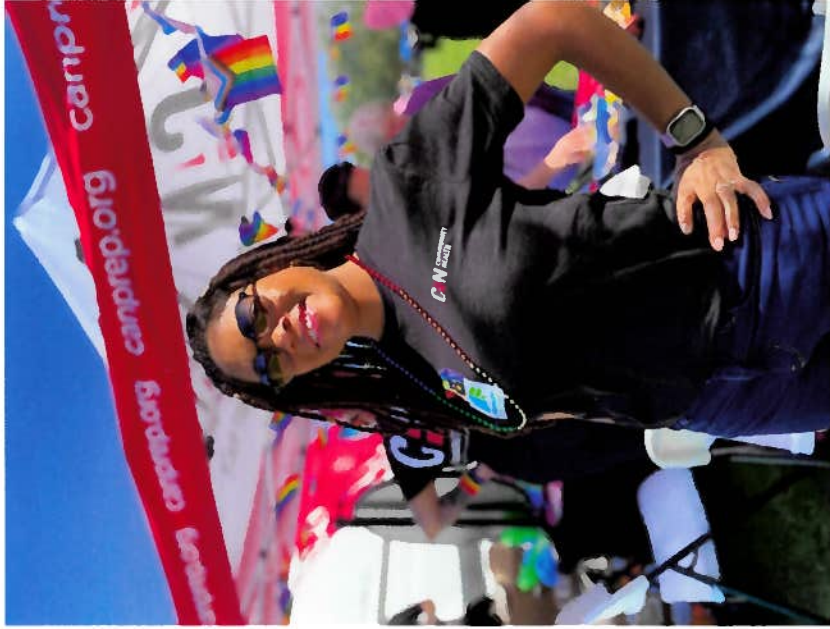
Provides linkage to or the provision of transportation services as needed, such as UberHealth and access to bus passes, where applicable through grant funding.

# LOCATIONS



## OUR VISION

To serve humanity as the leading resource for education, prevention, and quality care.



## Community Awareness and Education

We provide culturally sensitive and competent HIV, HCV, and STI educational sessions in small, group, and large settings as needed and requested by the communities it serves. This includes provider lunch and learns.

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## Persons Living With HIV/AIDS Speakers' Bureau

Our Speakers share their personal stories to a variety of audiences to increase awareness and to reduce the stigma of HIV. Presentations are made to a variety of audiences including schools, colleges, treatment centers, health care professionals, community organizations etc. To schedule a presentation or to become a speaker please contact us at: [inquiries@cancommunityhealth.org](mailto:inquiries@cancommunityhealth.org)

## Online Prevention Programs

Outreach conducted via the internet can reach a much larger and geographically diverse audience, which in turn, increases the impact of health education and risk reduction messages. This initiative allows our prevention team to provide HIV, STD, and Hep C education to high risk communities using a virtual platform. Online outreach includes education, risk-reduction counseling and provider-based referrals to reliable information sources and other resources, including testing and treatment locations. Health messages are delivered to individuals via dating applications (apps) and chatrooms. The goal of the program is to disseminate education and prevention messages, support and promote our Tele-Testing, and expand our Tele-PrEP and Tele-Health programs.

