

Talk Test Treat Latinos HIV Taskforce Puerto Rican Parade and Festival



On Saturday April 27, 2024 Talk Test Treat Latinos HIV Taskforce participated in the Puerto Rican Parade and Festival. The Florida Puerto Rican Parade and Festival was established to promote the Puerto Rican community culture, heritage, values and its contributions to the State of Florida. The Area 7 program office collaborated with 5 local agencies and the HIV Stigma Taskforce. Through this collaborative effort we were able to reach our goal of ensuring people know their HIV status, and where to find resources for testing, PrEP and HIV Treatment. Through this activity we were able to test 52 individuals and our survey data indicated that 39% of the individuals educated has never had an HIV test conducted and 65% of the individuals educated has was unaware of PrEP.

