



Central Florida HIV Planning Council Bridge Report: May 2026

Integrated Plan Ad Hoc Committee

Date: May 1, 2026

Committee Chair: Jessica Seidita
Committee Vice-Chair: Beatrice Boursiquot

Summary:

- The committee reviewed the draft of the 2027-2031 Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan for the Orlando Service Area and provided feedback requested by the consultant.
 - The committee voted to forward the Plan for its next stage of review.
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Membership & Engagement Committee

Date: May 12, 2026

Committee Chair: Kara Williams
Committee Vice-Chair: Raymond Macon

Summary:

- The committee began planning for this year's World AIDS Day (WAD) event, discussing the event date, time, budget, possible venues, sponsorship, and decided on a theme: 45 Years Together: United and Unbreakable. WAD Planning will continue at the next Membership & Engagement Committee meeting and will be open to public participation.
 - The committee reviewed the Planning Council membership matrix and reflectiveness data. There are currently 26 Planning Council members, 46% are PWH, 27% are unaffiliated/unaligned PWH, and 38% are conflicted members. The council currently has one open mandated seat: Representatives of/or Formerly Incarcerated People with HIV.
 - The committee reviewed the social media performance insights for Facebook and Instagram over the time that the committee last met.
 - The committee received an overview of the most current Committee and Attendance Rosters.
 - The committee reviewed and discussed the new Communications Policy & Procedure.
 - The committee began discussing how to best approach the creation of Member Awards for the Planning Council.
 - The committee discussed ways to effectively communicate the contents of the Integrated Plan to the community.
 - The committee received a reminder about the upcoming Planning Council Training on Friday, May 15th, 2026.
 - The next Membership & Engagement Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 9th, 2026, at 2:00 PM.
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Service Systems Planning & Quality Committee

Date: May 14, 2026

Committee Chair: Paolo Mancini

Committee Vice-Chair: Jules Smith

Summary:

- The committee received an overview of the Part A, Part B, and GR Monthly Expenditure reports, the Part A and Part B Clinical Quality Management (CQM) Reports, and the Part A close-out report for Fiscal Year 2025-2026.
 - The committee reviewed and provided recommendations to the draft of the 2027-2031 Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan for the Orlando Service Area.
 - The committee reviewed and provided recommended updates to the Service Standard for Medical Case Management.
 - The committee received a reminder about the upcoming Planning Council Training on Friday, May 15th, 2026.
 - The next Service Systems Planning & Quality Committee meeting will be held on Thursday, June 11th, 2026, at 1:30 PM.
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Ryan White Community Meeting

Date: May 19, 2026

Co-Chair: Iradarnell Westbrook

Co-Chair: Jessica Seidita

Summary:

- Attendees received an overview of business conducted at this month's Integrated Plan Ad Hoc Committee, Membership & Engagement Committee, and SSPQ Committee meetings.
 - Attendees reviewed and provided feedback on the recommended changes to the Service Standard for Medical Case Management.
 - Attendees were provided with the draft of the 2027-2031 Integrated Plan for review and were informed on how to submit feedback to Planning Council Support.
 - Pedro Huertas, Part A Representative, shared that the Florida legislature is currently holding a special session until May 29th to finalize the budget for Fiscal Year 2026-2027, and that Part A will hopefully have more information on the future of the AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) afterwards.
 - Vanessa Brundidge of Heart of Florida United Way gave a presentation on Financial Literacy and the Bank On initiative. Attendees were informed on how to access further information on the HFUW website.
 - Attendees participated in an HIV/AIDS 101 Jeopardy game.
 - The next Ryan White Community Meeting will be on Tuesday, June 16th, 2026, at 6:00 PM at Heart of Florida United Way.
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Executive Committee

Date: May 21, 2026

Committee Chair: Andre Antenor

Committee Vice-Chair: Anthony McNeil

Summary:

- The committee received an overview of the business conducted at all prior meetings this month.
- The committee reviewed and discussed a Grievance Form Submission. After much discussion, the committee determined that grievance fell outside the scope outlined by the current Grievance Policy & Procedure.
- The committee reviewed and approved the proposed Communication Policy & Procedure.
- The committee discussed and approved a Letter of Support requested Part A in pursuit of “Integrating Mental Health & HIV Care Across Implementation Sites,” a new RWHAP Part F Initiative.
- The committee reviewed and approved the PCS Budget for Fiscal Year 2026-2027.
- The committee reviewed and discussed proposed changes to the Service Standard for Medical Case Management.
- The next Executive Committee Meeting will be held on Thursday, June 18th, 2026 at 2:00 PM.