## THE NEW JERSEY SYRINGE ACCESS PROGRAM

## A HARM REDUCTION STRATEGY

The New Jersey Syringe Access Program provides a comprehensive approach to harm reduction by allowing individuals to turn in used syringes for new, clean syringes by **integrating behavioral interventions** and **reducing the transmission of HIV and blood-borne diseases**.



Drop-in centers house this program and provide access to:

- food
- telephone
- laundry services
- restrooms
- showerscomputer services

ACCESS TO REPRODUCTIVE CARE

The New Jersey Syringe Access Program also provides patients access to reproductive care and HIV nurses who provide services to identify women at a high risk of transmitting or contracting vertical HIV or Hepatitis C. The New Jersey Access to Reproductive Care and HIV Program, in conjunction with the New Jersey Syringe Access Program, provides access to the following:

- HIV & viral hepatitis testing/counseling
- Condoms
- Linkage to medical care, mental health services, & social services
- Overdose prevention education & access to naloxone
- Safe disposal of injection equipment education
- Safe injection practices & wound care

## CENTER DIRECTORY

 North Jersey Community Research Initiative (NJCRI)

 393 Central Avenue, Newark, NJ 07103

 973.483.3444 / Ext. 222

 MON, WED, FRI 9:30 am-4:30 pm

 TUE, THU 1:30 pm-4:30 pm

Hyacinth AIDS Foundation—Trenton — 849 West State Street, Trenton, NJ 08618 609.396.8322 MON, TUES, WED, FRI 9 am–5 pm THU 11 am–7 pm

Camden Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Camden Syringe Access Program—Lifeworks 514 Cooper Street, Camden, NJ 08102 856.963.2432 / Ext. 228 TUE 10:30 am-2:30 pm THU 12:30 am-3:30 pm

Patient Health Communication developed by the Southern NJ MAT Center of Excellence

## Hyacinth AIDS Foundation—Mobile Site Montgomery St (Straight St-River St) or

Walgreens East 18th St (near Ellison St & Madison Av) Paterson, NJ

732.447.3176 MON-FRI 10 am-2 pm

Hyacinth AIDS Foundation—Jersey City, 48 Fairview Avenue, Jersey City, NJ 07304 201.360.3910 MON, TUE, FRI 10 am-6 pm WED, THU 12 pm-8 pm

Visiting Nurse Association of New Jersey Prevention Resource Network 805 4th Avenue, Asbury Park, NJ 07712 732.445.5516 MON-FRI 9 am-4 pm

South Jersey AIDS Alliance—Atlantic City 32 S. Tennessee Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ 08401 609.572.1929 MON-FRI 9 am-3 pm

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