

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON

HIV & TRANSGENDER PEOPLE 2020

VIRTUAL MEETING • 7-8 DECEMBER 2020



Dear Colleagues,

It is our pleasure to announce the 2nd edition of the **International Workshop on HIV & Transgender People**, scheduled to take place as the virtual meeting on 7-8 December 2020.

This workshop is the much needed initiative started in 2019 as a response to multiple challenges faced by transgender people globally, including a disproportionate burden of HIV, unmet primary care needs, stigma and discrimination, and a myriad of other structural factors that negatively impact health. It will gather cross-disciplinary experts in a workshop setting to discuss all the challenges faced by transgender people at risk for and living with HIV. Through didactic lectures and the sharing of best practices based on real-life experiences, we want to create a scientific platform to discuss opportunities and challenges in the provision of health care for transgender people.

This workshop aims to reduce the knowledge gap by stimulating the cross-disciplinary exchange of information and improve the quality of life for transgender people at risk for and living with HIV.

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PROGRAM

DAY 1 - MONDAY, 7 DECEMBER 2020

Time zone: EST (UTC - 5)

10:00 AM **Opening remarks**

Session 1 First Things First

10:05 AM **Impact of COVID-19 on Transgender Communities Globally**

10:35 AM **Overview of Epidemiology and Drivers of HIV in Transgender Communities**

10:50 AM *Live Q & A*

11:00 AM **Break**

Session 2 Hormones and ARVs

11:15 AM **Hormone Therapy 101**

11:30 AM **Hormones and HIV Treatment**

11:45 AM **Hormones and PrEP**

12:00 PM *Live Q & A*

12:15 PM **Online Networking**

12:45 PM **End of Day 1**

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DAY 2 - TUESDAY, 8 DECEMBER 2020

10:00 AM Opening of day 2

Session 3 Surgeries and Body Modification Services

10:05 AM **Non-Surgical Body and Facial Modifications**

10:20 AM **Surgeries and Body Modification Services**

10:35 AM **Love Yourself, Despite...**

10:50 AM *Live Q & A*

11:05 AM **Break**

11:20 AM **Themed discussions**

Session 4 The pleasure engineers: trans people in sex work

11:50 AM **Health and HIV services for sex workers - service provider's perspective**

12:05 PM **Community perspective**

12:20 PM *Live Q & A*

12:30 PM **Intra-generational reflection panel discussion**

12:45 PM **End of meeting**

MEETING OBJECTIVES

The meeting aims at

- Facilitating a platform for cross-disciplinary exchange of information
- Providing expert knowledge to the medical/clinical Health Care Professionals
- Sharing real-life data/ best practices experience to all involved to improve the care and support for transgender people at risk for and living with HIV.

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