



HIV Vaccines 101

Hosted by the Center for AIDS Prevention Studies
Legacy Project, and the HIV Vaccine Trials Network

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At a Glance

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Introduction: Office of HIV/AIDS Network Coordination (HANC)

HANC is a project that works with the six NIH-funded HIV/AIDS Clinical Trials Networks; with the intent of creating a more integrated, collaborative and flexible research structure.



Introduction: The Legacy Project

Mission: The Legacy Project's mission is to build trust and collaboration among researchers, research institutions and historically underrepresented communities most impacted by the domestic HIV epidemic; to enhance cultural competence; and to initiate scientific investigation to increase clinical research participation.

Focus Areas:

- Research
- Capacity Building & Technical Assistance
- Engagement & Collaboration



Programs & Initiative

- **BTG Bridge Project**
(collaboration with FHI 360)
- **Native Americans Engaged in HIV Clinical Research**
(collaboration with National Native American AIDS Prevention Center)
- **Women's HIV Research Collaborative**
- **HBCU** (collaboration with Lincoln University)
- **Creating Awareness Through Art** (collaboration with the Tacoma Art Museum)
- **National House/Ball Mobilization Project**
- **HPBR Capacity Building for Minority Organizations**
(collaboration with the CDC)
- **Legacy Expanded HIV Testing Initiative (LETI)**
- **Latino Community Consultations**



BTG Bridge Project

- National Institute of Allergies & Infectious Diseases (NIAID) supplemented two existing grants:
 - Legacy Project/Office of HIV/AIDS Network Coordination (HANC)
 - FHI 360 (HPTN)
- To continue to build community partnerships and maintain momentum of the HIV Vaccine Communications Campaign (HVCC) and the NIAID-funded HIV Vaccine Research Education Initiative (NHVREI) a bridging project was funded.



BTG Bridge Goal

To foster relationships with highly impacted communities in order to promote dialogue, awareness and understanding of biomedical prevention research and to increase support for research participation.



BTG Bridge Partners

Local

- Gay City Health Project – *Seattle, WA*
- Nashville CARES – *Nashville, TN*
- AIDS Alabama – *Birmingham, AL*
- AIDS Taskforce of Greater Cleveland – *Cleveland, OH*
- Community Education Group – *Washington, DC*
- Family Planning Council-SafeGuards – *Philadelphia, PA*
- Latino Health Institute, Inc. – *Boston, MA*
- MOCHA Center – *Buffalo, NY*
- Multicultural AIDS Coalition – *Jamaica Plain, MA*
- San Francisco AIDS Foundation – *San Francisco, CA*
- SisterLove – *Atlanta, GA*
- Us Helping Us, People Into Living – *Washington, DC*
- AIDS Project of Los Angeles – *Los Angeles, CA*
- Bienestar Human Services – *Los Angeles, CA*
- Pittsburgh AIDS Task Force – *Pittsburgh, PA*
- Public Health Solutions – *New York, NY*
- PR Cultural Center – *Vida/SIDA – Chicago, IL*



BTG Bridge Partners

National

- AIDS Alliance of Children, Youth & Families – *Washington, DC*
- AIDS United – *Washington, DC*
- AIDS Advocacy Vaccine Coalition (AVAC) – *New York, NY*
- ASPIRA, Inc – *Washington, DC*
- Black AIDS Institute – *Los Angeles, CA*
- Gay & Lesbian Latino AIDS Education Initiative (GALAEI) – *Philadelphia, PA*
- Latino Commission on AIDS (LCOA) – *New York, NY*
- National Minority AIDS Council & National Black Gay Men's Advocacy Coalition (NMAC & NBGMAC) – *Washington, DC*
- REACH LA – *Los Angeles, CA*



Scientific Information Training & Transfer (SITT)

Ongoing training of the Partners and other stakeholders will be a core aspect of the BTG Bridge project.

Legacy Project conducts SITT through:

- Focused Trainings (partners and key stakeholders)
- Tailored Capacity Building
- Meetings and Conferences



Focused Trainings

- Partner Orientation & Training
- Webinars
- FAQs/Fact Sheets
- White Papers
- Other Tools



Individualized Technical Assistance

- Peer to Peer
- Culturally Relevant and Responsive

Goal: Partners are able to increase their knowledge in areas where they need additional education and support on HIV biomedical research.



National Organizational Leaders Briefing

Successful campaigns, strategies, and interventions require direct input from accessible, appropriate, and available stakeholders, experts, and consumers in the field.

Purpose

- Update leaders from national HIV/AIDS organizations on NIAID's current HIV biomedical research efforts
- Solicit input on various aspects of these efforts
- Continue to build partnerships between NIAID and community leaders
- Enhance programmatic activities



Meetings & Conferences

- Partner Network Meeting Attendance
 - Increase awareness/understanding of biomedical HIV prevention research and modalities (PrEP, vaccines, treatment as prevention and microbicides)
 - Build relationships with Networks and/or sites
 - Partner sessions/activities at meeting
- BTG Bridge Conference Presence
 - Presentations and Workshops
 - Dissemination of BTG Material
 - Host Exhibitor Booths



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■ Features 4 Biomedical HIV Prevention Methods

- Pre Exposure Prophylaxis or PrEP
- Microbicides
- HIV Vaccines
- Treatment as Prevention (TAP)



Overview of the Webinar

Agenda Item	Speaker
<p>Who are We?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• HANC• Legacy Project• Be the Generation Bridge Project <p>Overview of the Webinar</p> <p>Introduction of the Presenters</p>	Damon L. Humes, Legacy Project Director
HIV Vaccines 101	Jim Maynard, Associate Director of Community Education for the HVTN
Highlights of HIV Vaccine Studies: Past, Present and Future	Steven Wakefield, External Relations Director for the HVTN
Questions and Answers	Damon L. Humes



Introduction of the Presenters

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