



Monthly Updates from End Hep C SF

Building a San Francisco Free of Hepatitis C

Highlights from our work and community in November 2021

HCV Research & Surveillance Workgroup Highlights (Oct 21)



1. The group voted to change the workgroup name from Research and Surveillance to Community Research and Data Stewardship, aka CoRDS.
2. Continued Discussion re: Jail Health Services Needs Assessment
3. The December CoRDS meeting is cancelled. Please consider joining us for a discussion on [HCV and MSM who inject drugs in San Francisco](#), December 16 from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm instead. Register here: <https://bit.ly/hepCandMSMwhoinjectdrugs>

Next meeting: January 20, 3-4.30pm

*The Research & Surveillance Workgroup is now named
Community Research and Data Stewardship (CoRDS)*

HCV Prevention, Testing & Linkage Workgroup Highlights

No meeting this month



Next meeting: December 9, 3-4.30pm

*Join us for a conversation on HCV and MSM who
inject drugs in San Francisco: Dec 16, 11.30am-1pm:
<https://bit.ly/hepCandMSMwhoinjectdrugs>*

Full meeting notes are available in our [Groupsite](#) shared files or by request.
Join our working groups or our mailing list by sending a request to info@endhepcsf.org

Treatment Access Workgroup Highlights



No meeting this month

Next meeting: December 14, 10-11.30am

Policy & Advocacy Workgroup Meeting Highlights (Nov 17)



1. CallHep update
2. Discussion of City budget process
3. Discussion on hiring practices at SFDPH and filling Katie Burks former position as Viral Hepatitis Coordinator.

Next meeting: December 21, 1-2pm

Coordinating Committee Meeting Highlights (Dec 2)



1. November / December meetings were combined and rescheduled to December 2.
2. Brief Intros and Welcome to new members David Leiva from Jail Health Services at SF Dept of Public Health and Felanie Castro from GLIDE!
3. Workgroup general updatesa and brief budget update
4. Further clarification on the roles of the backbone team: currently Shelley Facente, Joanne Kay, and Brittany Maksimovic. Review and discussion of the MURAL application workshopping from last time, plus updating.
5. Discussion of how to move forward with meetings that have been on hold due to the COVID-19 pandemic: Community meetings / Executive Advisory Committee meetings
6. Research summit discussion - decided to revisit the potential of holding an in person summit with online option in Spring 2022. Potential to broaden abstract submissions to Bay Area wide.

Next meeting: January 27, 3-4.30pm