

Comprehensive Risk Counseling Services (CRCS)

The PROGRAM HIV/AIDS Comprehensive Risk Counseling Services (CRCS) offers services to encourage women and adolescent clients of the agency to maintain and/or adopt behaviors which reduce the risk of contracting HIV/AIDS, becoming re-infected, or transmitting the virus to others.

The agency has advocated services for women offenders for over 29 years and firmly believes that HIV/AIDS Comprehensive Risk Counseling Services are critical to our client's rehabilitation and habilitation.

Opportunity

The PROGRAM provides non-judgmental Comprehensive Risk Counseling Services for clients in need of HIV/AIDS risk-reduction counseling. The Program Coordinator assists the client in developing a client centered prevention/action plan defining the risk-reduction behavioral objectives and strategies that address additional needs. The Program Coordinator also provides multiple sessions of risk-reduction counseling to include STDs, STI's, and testing and counseling services.

Services are available to agency clients, the general public, HIV seropositive persons, and individuals recently released from prison and/or drug/alcohol treatment sites.

Programming/Services

The services provided through the HIV/AIDS Comprehensive Risk Counseling Services include, (but are not limited to):

- Sexual risk reduction counseling
- Case Management
- Assessment
- Developing long and short term goals
- STD-STI evaluations
- Coordination of services, referrals, and support services
- Testing and counseling by pre- and post-tests
- Liaison with medical professionals and community based agencies for referrals and follow-up
- One-on-one sessions

Eligibility/Referral Process

Any individual involved with The PROGRAM is able to receive confidential services relative to HIV/AIDS testing and risk counseling services.

The general public is also eligible to access The PROGRAM's HIV/AIDS testing and risk counseling services.

Referrals are also accepted from any community point of service for HIV/AIDS testing and risk counseling services.

Contact information

Located at:

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Hours:

Administrative Office – Weekdays
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Other Times by Scheduled Appointments

For more information or to request services, contact Ms. Renee Hartford of Hartford Consultants at (717) 238-9950.