

Providing HIV Prevention and Care Services to Transgender Community

Agenda

1) Welcome

- a. Introductions
What do you do? Any Hopes, Concerns, Fears, Difficulties?
- b. Ground Rules – Parking Lot
- c. Overview of Agenda
- d. Goal (s) of Session
- e. Your role/my role
Commitment to achieving goal

2) Consciousness Raising

- a. Understanding transexualism
Defining the Transgender spectrum
Intersexed individuals
- b. Who are Transsexuals to me? Counter-transference & preconceptions
Why risk reduction with *this* population?
- c. The basic principals of Harm Reduction
Self Care Techniques for providers
Meeting Clients where they are at

3) T/S & T/G Risk Assessment

- a. Safety, Sex Work, and IDU prevalence
Hormones, Silicone and Cancer Risk
- b. Break Out Session: Group Brainstorm
Goals: group works together to identify targeted area of risk, possible Interventions and how they can assist linkage to participant's pre-existing System. (If any)

4) Intervention

- a. Harm Reduction strategies for Transgender women and men
- b. Open ended questioning
- c. Break Out Session: Group Brainstorm
Goal: group works together to identify good intervention strategies & Conceptualize barriers to interventions