

Virginia HIV/AIDS Resource and Consultation Center

Inova Juniper Program

HIV Prevention Counseling Series: The Facts The CDC's Rapid HIV Testing Online **The Fundamentals** The Fundamentals of Waived Rapid Testing



Northern Virginia—June 2019

THE FACTS is a one-day course that provides information concerning the spectrum of HIV disease, HIV testing and developments in rapid testing, legal issues, partner notification services, risk assessment and reduction, and psychosocial issues.

THE FUNDAMENTALS is a one day course for HIV testers that provides guidelines and skills-building opportunities. This workshop incorporates recommendations and strategies from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for personalizing risk assessment and risk reduction sessions. Attending "The Facts" is a prerequisite for this course

THE FUNDAMENTALS OF WAIVED RAPID HIV TESTING is a day and a half skill building workshop that will teach HIV testers to administer the Alere Determine and INSTI tests through both didactic and handson sessions.

Attending "The Facts" and "The Fundamentals" are prerequisites for this course. Individuals applying to attend this course must be scheduled to actively conduct rapid testing.

APPLICATION FORM - HIV Prevention Counseling	Please check off which classes you would like to attend:
Name Job Title/Discipline Organization	 The Facts: June 6, 2019 8:30am-4:30pm Location: 2740 Prosperity Ave. Suite 200 Fairfax, VA The Fundamentals: June 26, 2019 8:30am-4:30pm Location: 2740 Prosperity Ave. Suite 200 Fairfax, VA Waived Rapid: June 27, 2019 8:30am-4:30pm June 28, 2019 8:30am-4:30pm Location: 2740 Prosperity Ave. Suite 200 Fairfax, VA If taking all 3, the series must be completed in order
E-mail Address Scan & Email application form to rashaad.banks@inova.org Fax application form to 703-204-9034 Please allow 24 hours for a response for all faxes Mail application form to: Inova Juniper Program Attention: Rashaad Banks 2740 Prosperity Ave. Suite 200 Fairfax, VA 22031	 Priority will be given to those taking the entire series Priority will be given to Virginia providers Submitting this form does <u>NOT</u> register you for the classes. Once your application is received & approved, you will receive an email with a link and passcode to register online via the MAAETC website. Only when you are registered online & received confirmation will you be officially registered.



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OBJECTIVES

THE FACTS: Thursday, June 6, 2019

Upon completion of the program the participant will be able to:

- Understand the spectrum of HIV disease.
- Discuss HIV testing options including legal implications, process of testing, and meaning of results.
- Describe partner notification services in the Commonwealth of Virginia.
- Describe effective techniques for providing HIV risk assessment and reduction.
- Discuss implications of HIV infection as experienced by an HIV-infected person.

THE FUNDAMENTALS: Wednesday, March 26, 2019

Upon completion of the program the participant will be able to:

- Identify strategies to support clients in making behavior changes that will reduce the risk of acquiring or transmitting HIV.
- Demonstrate through practice sessions the six steps of prevention counseling.
- Prepare the client to take the test.
- Assist the client who tests to begin to integrate the result emotionally, behaviorally, and socially.

THE FUNDAMENTALS OF WAIVED RAPID HIV TESTING: Thurs & Fri, June 27 & 28, 2019 Upon completion of the program the participant will be able to:

- Demonstrate safe work practices.
- Identify the QA steps required before, during, and after rapid HIV testing.
- List the steps of the HIV prevention counseling protocol in conducting the rapid HIV test.
- Perform a waived rapid HIV test (Alere Determine and INSTI) correctly, including fingerstick.
- Demonstrate the integration of HIV prevention counseling into the rapid testing process.

Certificate of Completion:

Certificates will be provided upon completion of these programs which confirm attendance at the program and the number of hours of each: 6.5 for **The Facts**, 6.25 for **The Fundamentals**, 9.5 for **The Fundamentals** of **Waived Rapid HIV Testing**.

Inova Juniper is approved as a provider of continuing nursing education by the Virginia Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

> For questions about the series, please call: 703-321-2600. For information on other trainings throughout Virginia, please visit-MAAETC events calendar at: <u>https://www.maaetc.org/events/browse/site/6</u> VHARCC website at: <u>https://www.vharcc.com</u>