### MAAETC-logo-1color-4Web-4PPT **Fundamentals of HIV Infection**

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**Bluefield State College, Bluefield WV**

**Description:**

The MidAtlantic AIDS Education & Training Center's West Virginia Regional Partners’ mission is to increase providers' capacity to provide high quality HIV/AIDS care within our health care systems. Changes occur rapidly in the HIV/AIDS arena and all interested health care professionals should seek yearly updates to stay current.

**Objectives:**

*Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:*

1. Discuss current global, national and state HIV epidemiology and recognize the various modes of transmission.
2. List the current HIV prevention models in place to reduce the numbers of new HIV infections in the United States.
3. Discuss the ways in which opioid use and Syringe Exchange Programs impact HIV transmission.
4. Explain the correlation between sexual history taking in the clinical setting and HIV transmission and recognize the Best Practices aimed at conducting a thorough sexual history and HIV risk assessment in the clinical setting.
5. Discuss how HIV testing and implementation of testing in Primary Care and Community health Centers has impacted disease transmission and HIV infections in the United States.

**Target Audience:**

Nurses

**Agenda:**

800-815 Registration/Welcome

815-900 Fundamentals of HIV - Carolyn Kidd

900-945 HIV Prevention Update – Jeannette Southerly

945-1000 Break

1000-1100 Syringe Exchange, Opioids and HIV – Carolyn Kidd

1100-1200 Sexual History and Risk Assessment – Jeannette Southerly

1200-1245 HIV Testing – Carolyn Kidd

1245-100 Q&A, Evaluations

**Presenters:**

Carolyn Kidd RN, ACRN is the Clinical Nurse Educator for the West Virginia Local Performance Site. She has been on staff since 2003.

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**Nursing Contact Hours Accreditation Statement:**

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