



MISSION STATEMENT

The California HIV/AIDS Research Program fosters outstanding and innovative research that responds to the needs of all people of California, especially those who are under-served, by accelerating progress in prevention, education, care, treatment, and a cure for HIV/AIDS.

SPOTLIGHT ON THREE CHRP RESEARCH INITIATIVES

PREP DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS

- ✓ One of the largest projects in the U.S. investigating the use of an HIV prevention pill for men who have sex with men (MSM) and for women.

Example Study: CRUSH – groundbreaking study of the effectiveness of PrEP, techniques for medication adherence, and care retention strategies in young MSM of color in Alameda County.

HIV TESTING AND LINKAGE TO CARE

- ✓ Unique interventions for identifying high-risk persons and those who are unaware of their HIV status, providing HIV testing, and linking them to prevention and treatment resources.

Example Study: Passport to Wellness – investigating barriers that black MSM in Los Angeles face to accessing HIV testing services and creating a culturally appropriate intervention to address these barriers.

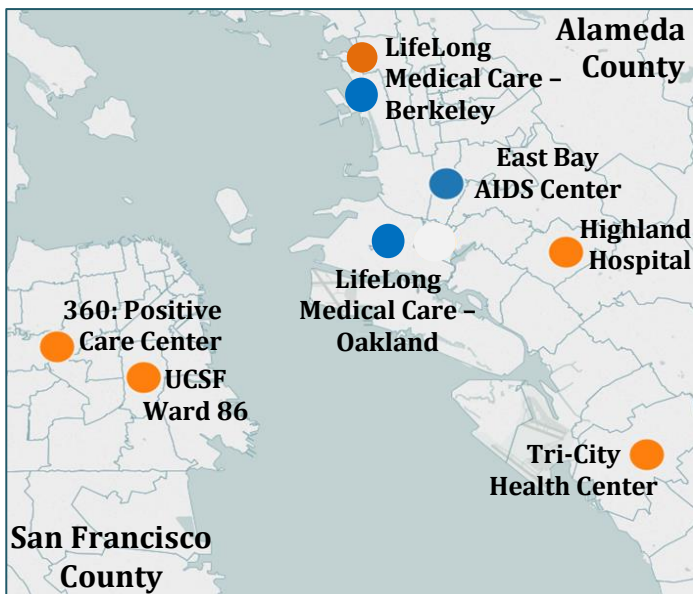
PATIENT-CENTERED MEDICAL HOME PROJECTS (PCMH)

- ✓ Implementation and evaluation of a new model of coordinated healthcare delivery to integrate treatment and social services for people living with HIV/AIDS. Sixteen percent of Californians with HIV/AIDS were served by clinics supported with these grants.

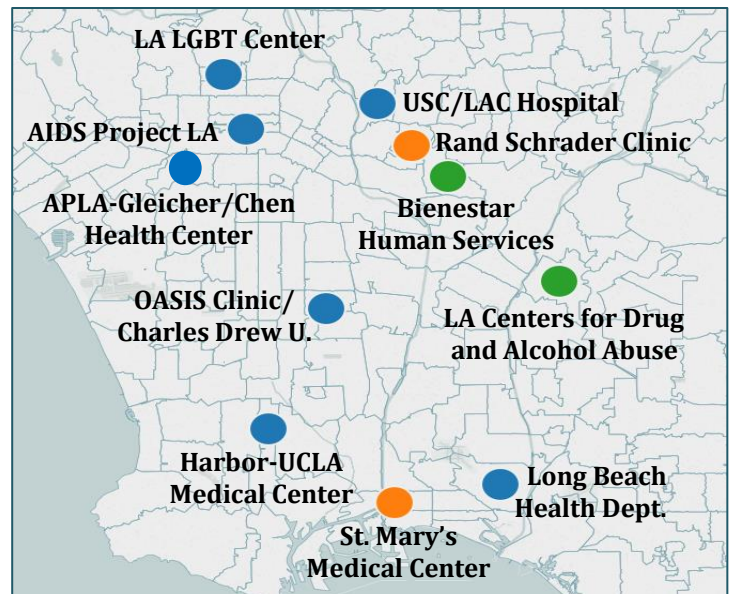
Example Study: LA County PCMH (medical care coordination model) – viral suppression improved from 30% to 60%, and the scope of the project increased from one clinic site to 35 sites in Los Angeles.

SELECTED CLINICS SUPPORTED BY CHRP GRANTS

BAY AREA

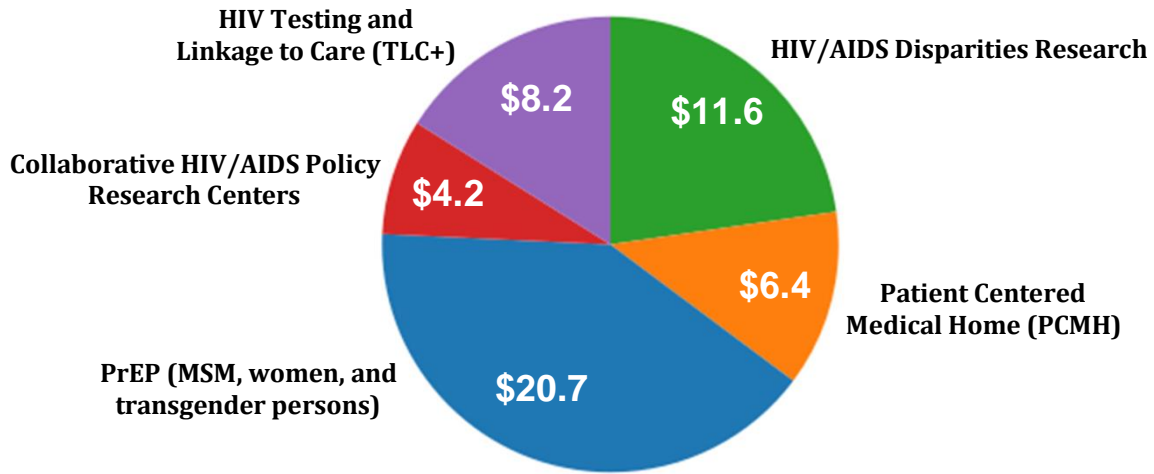


LOS ANGELES COUNTY



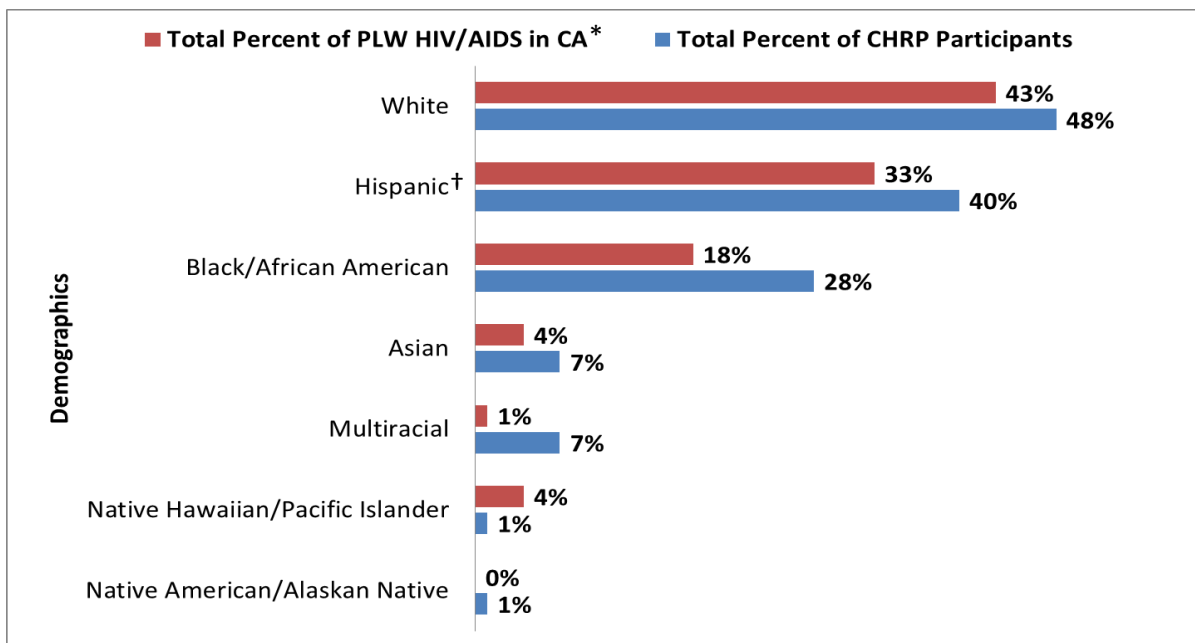
Legend: ● PrEP Demonstration Clinics ● HIV Testing and Linkage to Care ● Medical Home Demonstration Clinics

FUNDING PER SELECTED GRANT INITIATIVES (in millions)



- ✓ **PrEP, TLC+, and PCMH** – provide and evaluate innovative treatment and prevention services to communities disproportionately affected by the epidemic, including men who have sex with men, Black and Latino individuals, transgender women, and people with limited insurance coverage.
- ✓ **HIV/AIDS Disparities** – awards dedicated to creating Disparities Cores and projects at each of the UC Centers for AIDS Research to focus on eliminating HIV/AIDS health disparities in California. Also includes other awards which identify and test high-risk persons of color unaware of their HIV status and link them to HIV/AIDS services as necessary.
- ✓ **Collaborative HIV/AIDS Policy Research Centers** – partnerships between academic institutions and community organizations to evaluate and impact HIV/AIDS treatment and prevention public policy at the local, California, and federal levels of government.

CHRP PARTICIPANT DEMOGRAPHICS BY RACE & ETHNICITY



† The Hispanic demographic is a classification of ethnicity and not race. It includes everyone who identifies as Hispanic, regardless of their racial identification, and therefore cannot be interpreted as the percentage of Latino individuals. This limitation is due to how data is collected and categorized.
 * Source: California Department of Public Health, Office of AIDS, 2014 HIV/AIDS Surveillance Report.

Since 1983 CHRP has funded over 2,000 research projects and distributed more than \$250 million in state research money.