



Florida HIV EHE Technical Assistance Program

The Florida Department of Health’s Bureau of Communicable Diseases and the University of Central Florida College of Medicine’s HealthARCH (HealthARCH) have partnered to engage health system organizations with one-on-one technical assistance to improve HIV screening and re-screening rates. This Ending the HIV Epidemic (EHE) program focuses on seven Florida counties (Broward, Duval, Hillsborough, Miami-Dade, Orange, Palm Beach and Pinellas) with an aim to increase the performance of health systems in managing Opt-out testing using electronic health record systems.

What Does the Program Offer?

- One-on-One Technical Assistance for Health Systems including:
 - EHR System Optimization
 - Policy and Process Development
 - Quality Improvement Activities
 - Metrics Tracking, Reporting and Data Analysis
 - Coding and Reimbursement
 - Staff Training & Education

Who is Eligible to Participate?

- FQHCs, Rural Health Centers, Community Health Centers
- Hospitals/Emergency Rooms/Urgent Care
- Independent Physician Organizations
- Community Organizations

How Do I Get Started?

- As part of the provider outreach and recruiting process, HealthARCH is conducting a brief survey of eligible organizations to better understand their readiness for participation
- Organizations should complete the survey at the link below to start the process:
[HealthARCH HIV EHE Technical Assistance Survey](#)

How To Contact Us

For more information and questions about participation, please contact the Program Manager, Jessica Schappacher, via email at jessica.schappacher@ucf.edu or phone at 407.495.7306. Additional program information is available on the HealthARCH HIV EHE [webpage](#)