

# January 2008 HepTalk Listserv

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Happy New Year and welcome to the HepTalk Listserv. For January 2008, we offer just one item, an opportunity to join live webcast on “Innovative HIV/STI Prevention Approaches.” We think it’s especially pertinent for those of our listserv members from Health Departments because it offers two local health department examples of HIV/STI prevention programs.

But first, some answers to anticipated questions: What is a webcast, how do I register to join one, and how do I participate?

1. A webcast is a media file distributed over the Internet—to your computer. A webcast uses streaming media technology to take a single content source (in this case, NACCHO) and distribute it to many simultaneous listeners/viewers. It can be either live or recorded. This webcast will be live.
2. **You have to register for this event, but it is free.** Registration doesn’t begin until February 13. To register, you will paste this address, (or click on this link) into your computer browser: <http://webcasts.naccho.org>. This will take you to a page listing the upcoming Webinars. Click on “More Info and Register” and follow the instructions to register.
3. On the day of the webcast, you will sign into the webcast according to instructions from NACCHO. During the webcast you will be able to hear presenters and see their slides.

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## **SAVE THE DATE! Innovative HIV/STI Prevention Approaches for Youth at Highest Risk**

The National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO) invites you to participate in the Innovative HIV/STI Prevention Approaches for Youth at Highest Risk live webcast and discussion on **Wednesday, February 27, 2008 from 1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m. EST.**

This 90-minute webcast will provide an overview of youth populations at highest risk for HIV and STIs, as well as two local health department examples of HIV/STI prevention programs developed to reach them, including strategies, lessons learned, and related resources.

### Featured Speakers

- Jennifer Galbraith, Behavioral Scientist, Methods Research Section, CDC Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention
- David Johnson, Epidemiologist Minneapolis Department of Health and Family Support

- Pamela Santucci, Program Manager, Broward County Health Department
- Manuel Rodriguez AIDS Health Education/Risk Reduction Program Manager, Broward County Health Department

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HepTalk is a project of the Migrant Clinicians Network and Community Health Education Concepts. HepTalk is funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The goal of HepTalk is to help clinicians serving migrants and recent immigrants engage in productive discussions about hepatitis risks with their clients and help them make prevention plans. The HepTalk listserv is a support service for clinics participating in the project. This is a post-only listserv and postings will come from HepTalk staff about once a month. If others at your clinic would like to be on the listserv, or if you have questions about the listserv or resources listed here, or if you would like to add something to the posts, please contact Kathryn Anderson, HepTalk training and education coordinator and listserv administrator, at [kath@healthletter.com](mailto:kath@healthletter.com). You can also contact the listserv administrator if you would like to unsubscribe from the list.