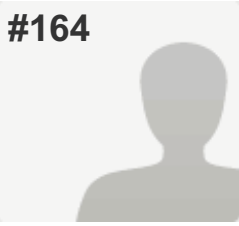


# Ending the Epidemic Task Force Recommendation Form

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**Q1: OPTIONAL: This recommendation was submitted by (please provide your first and last name, affiliation, and email address)**

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**Q2: Title of your recommendation** Targeting undocumented persons

**Q3: Please provide a description of your proposed recommendation**

More information about targeting undocumented persons who may be living with HIV and not know it or have not accessed or have fallen out of primary care.

**Q4: For which goal outlined in the Governor's plan to end the epidemic in New York State does this recommendation apply? (Select all that apply)**

Identifying persons with HIV who remain undiagnosed and linking them to health care

Linking and retaining persons diagnosed with HIV to health care and getting them on anti-HIV therapy to maximize HIV virus suppression so they remain healthy and prevent further transmission

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**Q5: This recommendation should be considered by the following Ending the Epidemic Task Force Committee (Select all that apply)**

Prevention Committee: Develop recommendations for ensuring the effective implementation of biomedical advances in the prevention of HIV, (such as the use of Truvada as pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)); for ensuring access for those most in need to keep them negative; and for expansion of syringe exchange, expanded partner services, and streamlined HIV testing by further implementing the universal offer of HIV testing in primary care, among others. The Committee will focus on continuing innovative and comprehensive prevention and harm reduction services targeted at key high risk populations, as well as grant-funded services that engage in both secondary and primary prevention.

**Q6: Does this recommendation require a change to an existing policy or program, or the creation of a new policy or program?**

Unknown

**Q7: Would implementation of this recommendation be permitted under current laws or would a statutory change be required?**

Permitted under current law

**Q8: Is this recommendation something that could feasibly be implemented in the short-term (within the next year) or long-term (within the next three to six years)?**

Within the next three to six years

**Q9: What are the perceived benefits of implementing this recommendation?**

To let this population know that they can get tested and get access to primary care.

**Q10: Are there any concerns with implementing this recommendation that should be considered?**

The undocumented population may be afraid to get tested due to fear of being reported and deportation.

**Q11: What is the estimated cost of implementing this recommendation and how was this estimate calculated?**

Not sure.

**Q12: What is the estimated return on investment (ROI) for this recommendation and how was the ROI calculated?**

Not sure.

**Q13: Who are the key individuals/stakeholders who would benefit from this recommendation?**

Persons who are illegal immigrants and unaware of their HIV status.

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**Q14: Are there suggested measures to accompany this recommendation that would assist in monitoring its impact?**

Outreach and education in areas where these populations reside.

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**Q15: This recommendation was submitted by one of the following** Advocate