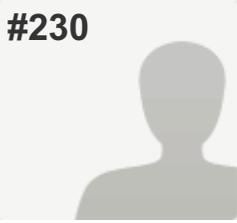


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Q1: OPTIONAL: This recommendation was submitted by (please provide your first and last name, affiliation, and email address)

Respondent skipped this question

Q2: Title of your recommendation

Expedited approval for use of Truvada as PrEP for <18 year olds.

Q3: Please provide a description of your proposed recommendation

Truvada is currently approved for use in <18 year olds for HIV treatment and PeP. Lack of approval for use as PrEP creates a barrier for insurance coverage and provider advocacy in prescribing PrEP as prevention. Approval of use of Truvada for PrEP for <18 would offer another prevention tool to at risk youth.

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)

Facilitating access to Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) for high-risk persons to keep them HIV negative

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?

Change to existing policy

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

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)? Unknown

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

Increased number of youth who could add PrEP to their prevention strategies, particularly for individuals at higher risk of HIV infection.

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

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

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

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

At risk youth <18 years.

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

of individuals <18 who are using PrEP.

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