EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT DV/HIV SCREENING FLOWCHART

Patient Presents in the Emergency Department

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Create Healthy Futures

Screen in Triage or by Bedside to discuss HIV testing

- Unknown HIV status
- Tested negative over three months ago

- Known HIV status
- Age < 13
- Altered mental state
- Intoxicated/High
- Trauma

Assess risk for Domestic Violence

Ineligible for HIV Screening in the Emergency Dept

NO DV Identified

Patient provided with HIV screening information and offered rapid testing

Decline

DV Identified

Accept

Continue with E.D. care

- The on-call DV counselor is contacted and linked to patient.
- Additional resources and referrals are provided to patient.

Counselor/Patient Completes:
- Lab Sheet
- Consent Form
- CTR Form 1

Administer Rapid HIV Test/Collect Blood Specimen

Indeterminant

Continue with E.D. care

Continue Risk Reduction Session Parallel to E.D. flow

Provide Client with Results

Non-Reactive

Conduct Post-Test Counseling

Reactive

Determine Urgency of Acute Care:
- Social Worker Dispatched
- Same or Next Day Medical Visit at Clinic

Counselor Contacts:
- E. D. Attending
- On-Call Social Worker
- On-Call Immunologist

Provide client with extensive post-test counseling (with or without social worker) to:
- Restore Dignity
- Develop Safety Plan

Administer Western Blot Confirmatory Test

Provide client with 24-hour access phone # to on-call social worker.

Provide client with:
➢ 1 week Appointment Card
➢ Transportation to Clinic

Counselor Completes
➢ CTR Form 1, 2 & 3
➢ Surveillance Report
➢ Care ware E.I. Data

Provide Confirmatory Result

Non-Reactive

Discuss lab results with Immunologist to identify need for further analysis

NO   **YES**

Reactive

Client Receives Medical Care:
➢ Lab work is drawn
➢ Meets with Immunologist
➢ Assigned Social/Case Worker
➢ Offered any other services as needed

Recommend Client to Re-test in 4 weeks

End CTR process

Referral:
Dorothy Mann Center for P & A HIV
St. Christopher's Hospital for Children
E. Erie Avenue at N. Front Street
Nelson Pavilion – Immunology
Philadelphia, PA 19134
(215) 427-5284

YES

Is Client under 25 years of age?

NO

Obtain Blood Specimen for Viral Load Testing

Provide client with:
➢ 1 week Appointment
➢ Transportation to Clinic

Referrals:
The Partnership Comprehensive Care
1427 Vine Street, 3rd Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19102
(215) 762-2530

Temple University Hospital
3401 N. Broad Street, 8th Floor
Philadelphia PA, 19140
(215) 707-2401

Jefferson University Hospital
834 Walnut St, Ste 650
Philadelphia, PA 19107
(215) 955-5161

The Jonathan Lax Center
1233 Locust Street, 5th Floor
Philadelphia PA, 19107
(215) 790-1788

Reactive

Provide Confirmatory Result

Non-Reactive

Recommend Client to Re-test in 4 - 12 weeks

Assess other referral needs if any?

End CTR process