

# PILOTING HEPATITIS C TREATMENT IN THE MISSION DISTRICT

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## ABOUT MISSION NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTER

- FQHC located in the Mission District of San Francisco.
- MNHC serves over 13,000 low-income, predominantly Latino individuals.
- HIV services provided
  through Clinica Esperanza





### ABOUT THE HCV PILOT PROGRAM

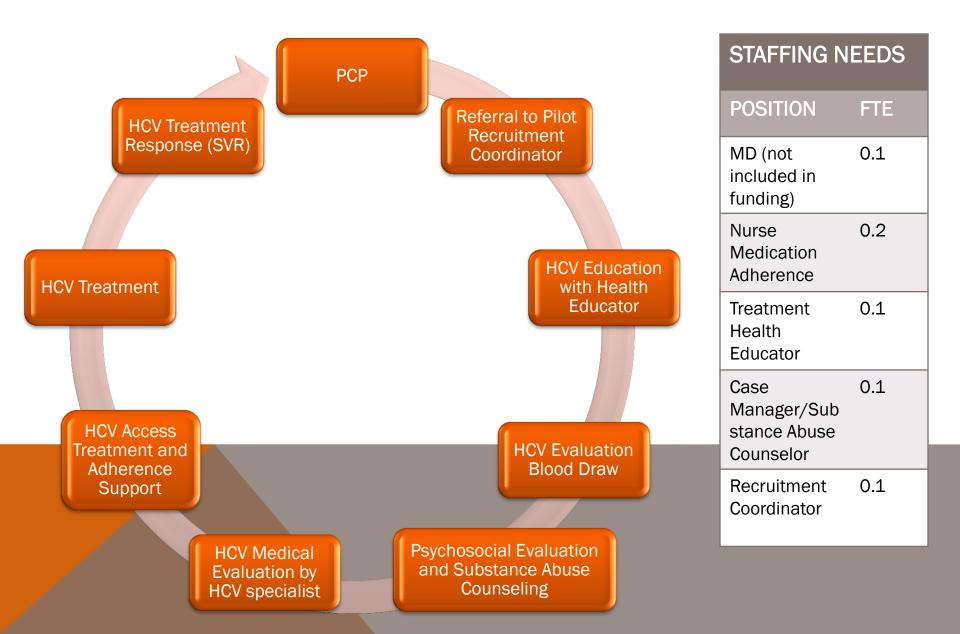
- Launched April 2014, began treating HCV with interferonfree regimens in Fall 2014
- Treatment offered for up to 30 HCV mono-infected MNHC patients (HIV co-infected patients also treated)
- Utilizes the successful multi-disciplinary model previously reserved for persons living with HIV
- Funded by Gilead grant for treatment and education support



### **PILOT PARTICIPANTS**

DEMOGRAPHICS	HCV Pilot (30 Total Patients)
Latino	50%
Monolingual Spanish Speakers	40%
Homeless or Marginally Housed	30%
Mental Health Disorder	67%
Substance Use Disorder	67%

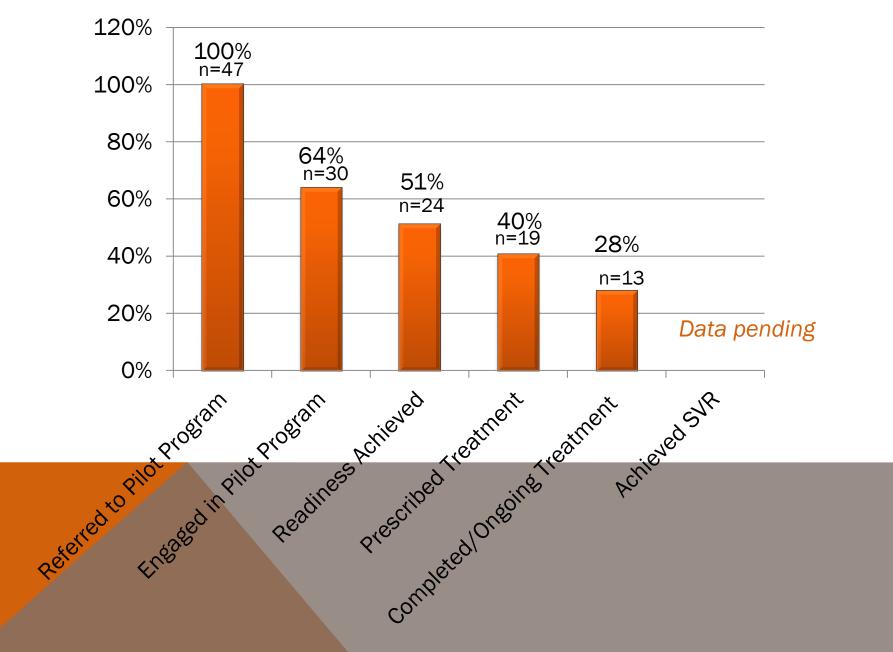
#### PILOT PROGRAM MODEL



### **INITIAL GOALS AND OUTCOMES**

	Goals	Outcomes
Patients who enroll in Pilot	30 patients	30 patients
Patients who receive counseling on HCV transmission and treatment	85%	100%
Enrolled patients who receive an HCV medical evaluation to evaluate HCV treatment readiness	66%	83%
Patients who complete treatment and achieve an SVR	70%	(Results pending)

#### **Treatment Cascade for HCV Pilot**

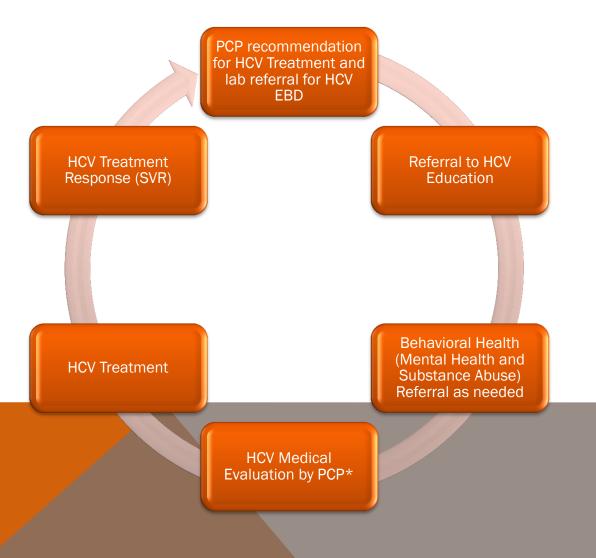


### **KEY FINDINGS**

- Successful HCV treatment for complex patient populations is achievable in community based clinical settings
- A multidisciplinary model facilitates treatment readiness and improves treatment outcomes
- Referral barriers still exist in an internal referral system
- Accessing treatment authorization is time intensive and requires dedicated support



#### **NEXT STEPS**



Transition to a primary care based model of HCV treatment where patients receive treatment directly from their PCP or a provider in their same clinical site/department