

In New Jersey,
Approximately one in
every three persons
living with HIV or AIDS
is **female**.



Approximately 225 women
with HIV infection give
birth annually in New Jersey.
Early testing and treatment
can prevent HIV
transmission to newborns.
Nationally, New Jersey
ranks 3rd in cumulative
pediatric AIDS cases.

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New Jersey's



Family-Centered HIV Care Network



A network of comprehensive
care providers dedicated to
helping families impacted by
HIV/AIDS

Visit us at
www.state.nj.us/health/fhs/hivcare/index.shtml

THE FAMILY CENTERED HIV CARE NETWORK

The primary purpose of the Family-Centered Care Network is to provide comprehensive, culturally sensitive, coordinated care for women, children, youth and families with HIV infection. The Network offers HIV specialty care, medical management, access to clinical drug trials, referral and follow-up services, outreach, counseling and testing, and family case management.

PROGRESS AND GROWTH OF THE NETWORK

Since 1988, the Network has focused its efforts on developing family centered care facilities designed to provide or arrange for comprehensive treatment for women, children, youth and families infected with or affected by HIV disease. The centers have become highly skilled in providing psycho-social services, and medical and nursing care to families dealing with HIV as a chronic illness. Approximately 2,000 families are receiving services at seven sites throughout the State of New Jersey.

SERVICES AVAILABLE AT NETWORK CENTERS

- * HIV/AIDS specialty care
- * General medical care and physical examinations
- * Developmental assessments
- * Laboratory tests including free rapid testing for HIV
- * Mental health care, and counseling and psychological support
- * Participation in adult and pediatric clinical trials
- * Coordination of hospital and home care for HIV-positive clients
- * Family referrals to appropriate medical and community-based care
- * Prenatal, obstetric and gynecology care
- * Dental care, eye care and nutrition counseling
- * Adolescent age-appropriate programs
- * Case management and social support services



STATEWIDE FAMILY HIV CARE CENTERS

- * Francois Xavier Bagnoud Center
Newark (973) 972-0380
- * Newark Beth Israel Medical Center
Newark (973) 926-8004
- * Jersey City Medical Center
Jersey City (201) 946-6148
- * St. Joseph's Hospital & Medical Center
Paterson (973) 754-4701
- * Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
New Brunswick (732) 235-7894
- * Jersey Shore University Medical Center
Neptune (732) 776-4271
- * Cooper University Hospital
Camden (877) 496-7023
Satellite services available in Salen
Somers Point, and Burlington

For more information about the Network, contact:
New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services
(609) 777-7778
<http://www.state.nj.us/health/lhs/hivcare/index.shtml>

For more information about HIV infection, visit:
<http://www.womenchildrenhiv.org>, or call:

New Jersey AIDS Hotline - 800-624-2377