



Portland Area HIV Services Planning Council

VISION:

All persons living with HIV/AIDS in the Portland Area Eligible Metropolitan Area have a right to quality care.

MISSION:

Through community partnerships we create opportunities and advocate for access and continuity of a full range of quality care for all persons affected by HIV.

VALUES:

- We value a culture that supports the independence and dignity of all persons living with HIV/AIDS.
- We value and support individual involvement and choice in all areas of service.
- We value creative approaches, and coordination and collaboration among individuals, agencies, and communities.
- We value the wide range of diversity among us and services that are specific and relevant.
- We value a priorities and allocation process in which decisions are made based on documented need.
- We value a care system that actively seeks the input of those out-of-care as a means to broaden access to services.
- We value a system that integrates prevention strategies into the continuum of care.

GOALS:

- 1) To assure access to a linked system of health care built on a foundation that includes support services and peer participation that promotes and maintains quality care.
- 2) To assure adequate resources that maximize the capacity of the HIV Health Care system.
- 3) To claim the Council's leadership role, authority, and influence in assuring an HIV Health Care system that is inclusive, collaborative, and has adequate resources.
- 4) To develop and lead a broad and inclusive network of public and private organizations that ensures a responsive, flexible system of care and prevention with and for PLWH.