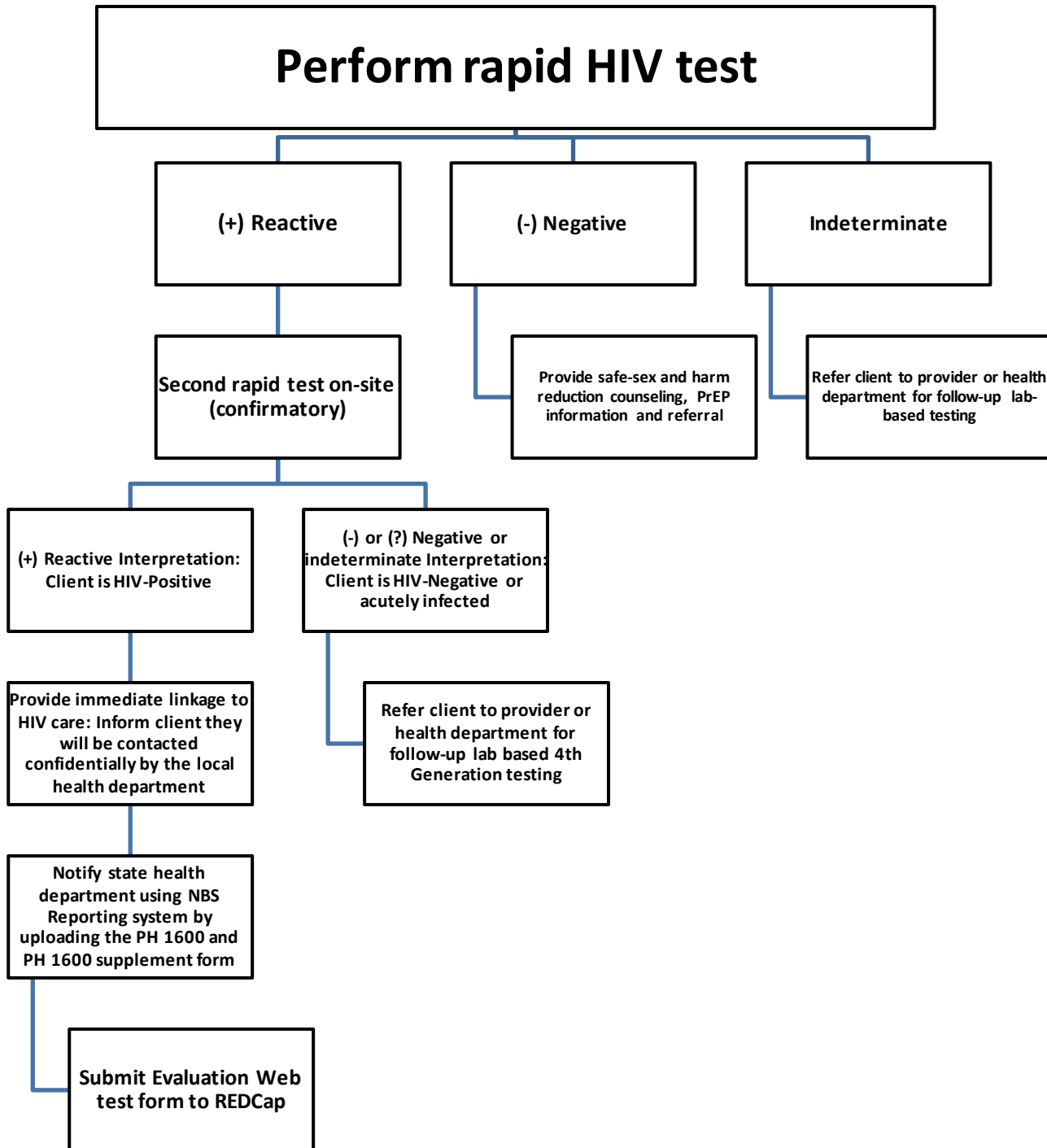




Double Rapid HIV Testing Guidelines

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^a TDH recommends OraQuick ADVANCE® Rapid HIV-1/2 Antibody Test or INSTI® HIV-1/HIV-2 Rapid Antibody Test using finger stick (whole blood) sample. Do not use oral fluid (exceptions are made for limited settings [e.g., prisons/jails]).

^b Confirm results using a different test and a second finger stick sample. TDH recommends INSTI® HIV-1/HIV-2 Rapid Antibody Test, OraQuick ADVANCE® Rapid HIV-1/2 Antibody Test. Do not use oral fluid.

Note: if preliminary test result is indeterminate or invalid, followed by a subsequent indeterminate test result, TDH recommends running the control test and retest using a test kit from a different lot number, if available.

Reporting Process:

(1) Within 72 hours of receiving or testing a new or previously known HIV+ client, notify the Tennessee Department of Health using the online **National Electronic Disease Surveillance System (NEDSS) Base System (NBS)**.^{*} Attach the **PH 1600** and **PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New and Previous HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests** (Appendix A).

(2) Submit monthly aggregate testing numbers to Tennessee Department of Health via REDCap due by the 15th day of the following month.

Questions? Contact:

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^{*}Request an NBS account at <https://redcap.health.tn.gov/redcap/surveys/?s=8L7CMWHN4M> or via email at CEDS.Informatics@tn.gov.

Point-of-Care Double Rapid HIV Testing

Rapid HIV screening tests are designed to provide quick results, typically within 20 minutes or less. They are intended to increase access to HIV testing in high prevalence areas by decreasing barriers associated with traditional laboratory methods of testing and are especially useful for clients who are unable to maintain stable medical care or are unlikely to return for test results. Tests can be performed in community-based settings by trained personnel using whole blood (or oral fluid in limited settings), in addition to a laboratory using serum or plasma.

The accuracy of rapid tests is very high (>99% sensitive and specific) when testing clients with chronic infection. However, one study completed by the CDC showed approximately 12% of acute infections (typically 2-8 weeks after infection, before HIV antibodies are formed) can be missed by a single rapid antibody test.¹ Additionally, rapid HIV testing on oral secretions is less sensitive than using finger stick testing,² with one study showing 233 repeated false negative results using oral fluid in 80 of 237 (34%) HIV positive individuals.³ HIV testing remains a critical element of the HIV care continuum and rapid HIV testing plays a crucial role in targeted testing in nonclinical, community-based settings.⁴

While rapid testing has many benefits, it may not be appropriate for all clients. Initiation of rapid HIV screening programs at community-based organizations *must* be accompanied by plans for client confidentiality and appropriate counseling for all post-test results. Clients should be made aware that rapid HIV tests provide a result in minutes; if they are not emotionally prepared to receive results, referral to their local health department or a clinical provider for a screening blood test may be more appropriate. Clients should additionally be provided with thorough counseling for harm reduction in all settings, such as clean needle use for persons who inject drugs, and consistent use of barrier protection. Referral for HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) should also be undertaken when appropriate.

If a patient tests positive for HIV, it is essential that they are referred to care without delay and instructed that they will be contacted confidentially by a Disease Investigation Specialist (DIS) from their local health department or the TN Department of Health (TDH) due to the reportable status of HIV, and to help identify partners that may benefit from further testing.

Policies and Legal Considerations

All agencies including community-based organizations and health departments using rapid HIV testing must comply with the following:

- Nonclinical HIV testing sites using rapid HIV testing must obtain a certificate of waiver under CLIA (the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988), or establish an agreement to work under the CLIA certificate of an existing laboratory. More information about CLIA certification and CLIA waived laboratory tests can be found on CDC's HIV/AIDS website (<http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/testing/lab/clia/>). Agencies should contact their state or local health department for more information, including how to apply for a CLIA waiver. Technical assistance on how to apply is offered by the TDH HIV Prevention Testing Program Director. <https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/CLIA/index.html>
- The State Medical Lab Board requires that those who perform rapid HIV testing have a color blind test administered via the internet at <http://www.toledobend.com/colorblind/lshihara.html>. After completion of this test, a confirmation page should be printed and kept on file. All applicable documents should be maintained by the agency for annual site visits and audits.
- Testers working at agencies that receive funds and/or test kits from TDH are required to attend Tennessee's HIV Education, Access, & Testing (HEAT) training prior to conducting testing. Successful completion of each training component will be assessed by the TDH HIV Prevention Testing Program Director or the TDH HSVH Capacity Building Assistance Program Director. Counselors may only provide services corresponding to the training component completed. Please note that private medical providers are only accountable to their respective quality assurance policies.
- New testers using rapid test devices must go through applicable device training. TDH offers device training for the OraQuick ADVANCE® Rapid HIV-1/2 Antibody Test, INSTI® HIV-1/HIV-2 Rapid Antibody Test, and Chembio DPP® HIV 1/2 Assay Rapid HIV Test through HEAT training. The TDH HSVH Capacity Building Assistance Program Director will make every effort to ensure that device training is provided in a timely manner.
- Staff who are registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, and certified medical assistants can provide HIV testing up to 90 days prior to attending HEAT training if the participant has completed the CDC's [Fundamentals of Rapid HIV Testing series](#) .
- Proficiency testing for all qualified individuals performing testing and running quality controls will be conducted once per year, or per site-specific policy, and documentation maintained. In addition, temperature logs should be maintained daily on both the storage area and the testing area.

Quality Assurance

To ensure quality control, please refer to the steps outlined below:

- a. OraSure Technologies, Inc. recommends that a control should be run under the following circumstances:
 1. When opening a new test kit lot
 2. Whenever a new shipment of test kits is received
 3. If the temperature of the test kit storage area falls outside of the 2-27°C (35-80°F)
 4. If the temperature of the testing area falls outside of 15-37°C (59-99°F)
 5. At periodic intervals as dictated by the user facility
 6. Each new operator prior to performing testing on patient specimens

- b. INSTI HIV-1 controls should be run under the following circumstances:
 1. For new INSTI operator verification prior to performing testing on patient specimens
 2. When switching to a new lot number of INSTI test kits
 3. Whenever a new shipment of kits is received
 4. When the temperature during storage of the kit falls outside of 15-30°C (59-86°F)
 5. When the temperature of the test area falls outside of 15-30°C (59-86°F)
 6. At regular intervals as determined by the user facility

- c. ChemBIO DPP controls should be run under the following circumstances:
 1. Each new operator prior to performing tests on patient specimens
 2. When opening a new test kit lot
 3. Whenever a new shipment of test kits are received
 4. If the temperature of the test storage area falls outside of 2 to 30°C (36-86°F)
 5. If the temperature of the testing area falls outside of 18-30°C (64-86°F)
 6. At periodic intervals as indicated by the user facility

For all tests: if the test result for either the negative control or the HIV-1 positive control or the HIV-2 positive control is not as expected, the test should be repeated using a new test device, developer solution vial, and control specimen.

If you are unable to obtain a valid test result upon repeat testing, contact the following:
Chembio Diagnostic Systems Customer Service: 1-800-327-3635
INSTI Biolytical Laboratories Technical Support: 1-866-674-6784
Orasure Technologies, Inc. Customer Service: 1-800-869-3538

Reporting Requirements for HIV Testing Results

Report reactive (i.e. positive) results to the local health department immediately.¹ The **PH-1600 Reporting Form** (Appendix D) and **PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests** (Appendix A) may be securely faxed or emailed directly to the local or regional health office at <https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/localdepartments.html>.

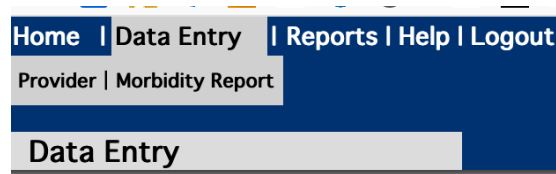
Within 72 hours of a positive HIV test result, notify TDH via the National Electronic Disease Surveillance System Base System (NBS). Instructions on reporting to TDH are outlined below.

To report online:

1. Request an NBS account at: <https://redcap.health.tn.gov/redcap/surveys/?s=8L7CMWHN4M> or via email at CEDS.Informatics@tn.gov.
2. Log into NBS using the following link: <https://hssi.tn.gov/auth/login>.



3. Select “NBS Production” followed by “Data Entry” and “Morbidity Report” on the NBS Production Dashboard. This will enable you to directly input patient information.



4. Enter patient demographics on the “Patient” tab, and additional information on the “Report Information” tab.
5. Do not enter information in the lab or treatment information boxes.
6. Upload **PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests** (Appendix A) using the ‘Attachment Information’ section.

¹ Per State of Tennessee statute, T.C.A. 68-10-101.

7. Upload PH 1600 using the 'Attachment Information section.

Attachment Information				Back to Top
File Name	Description	Date Added	Added By	
<i>(Required for Add/Update Attachment)</i>				
Choose File: <input type="button" value="Browse..."/> No file selected.				
<i>(Required for Add/Update Attachment)</i>				
Name: <input type="text"/>				
Description: <input type="text"/>				
				<input type="button" value="Add Attachment"/>

To report via fax:

Only if the online option is not available, the **PH-1600 Reporting Form** (Appendix D) may be securely faxed or emailed directly to the Communicable and Environmental Diseases and Emergency Preparedness (CEDEP) Division at the Tennessee Department of Health (TDH) at (615) 741-3857.

(616) Mark the lab report section on the PH-1600 Form as 'Report Unavailable.'

(617) Fax the **PH-1600 Reporting Form** (Appendix D), **PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests** (Appendix A).

Report	Disease/Event:	Date of Report: __/__/__
	Reporter Name:	Phone: ()
	Lab Report: <input type="checkbox"/> Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Not Tested <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Report Unavailable	

Note: with patient permission, the **PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests** can be sent to providers to communicate that this diagnostic method can be used to identify and confirm new HIV cases, per CDC HIV case definition.

Required Monthly Reporting:

Community based organizations are required to submit monthly testing reports to Central Office.

Monthly testing reports should be submitted by the fifteenth (15th) day of the following month via the REDCap survey which can be reached at this <https://redcap.link/hiv> These reports should contain:

- a. Number of valid tests conducted.
- b. Number of HIV positive tests identified, including:
 1. Number of persons who test positive who receive their test results.
 2. Number of persons who previously tested positive for HIV infection.

Frequently Asked Questions: HIV rapid testing and the double rapid algorithm

Can the rapid tests be stored in a refrigerator?

- Yes, but you have to bring them to room temperature before testing. Use could result in a discrepant result if the tests are utilized before “thawing.”

For the controls, which expiration date is the one we record? The date on the shipping package or the date on the controls?

- Neither the controls expire eight weeks after the first use. So, if you run controls on the 1st of January, they expire on the 26th of February. For administrative purposes, record the date on the control package.

Can a child under the age of 13 be tested with TDH-provided test kits?

- The OraQuick, INSTI, and ChemBio DPP are FDA approved for individuals aged 13 and older. However, some sites use the test in a pediatric setting; in these settings, the test must be validated for use in the facility.

I’ve heard that HIV antibodies or virus can’t be transmitted in someone’s saliva. If that’s true, why do you test saliva when using an oral swab?

- The sample tested isn’t saliva, its mucosa transudate which is good source of antibodies.

Why are we moving away from oral fluid testing to finger stick based testing?

- Finger stick samples are more sensitive than oral fluid (99.6% vs. 99.9%). Oral fluid tests have also been shown to detect HIV antibodies up to 30 days later than blood-based samples.
- The CDC has recommended for years that Tennessee move away from oral fluid testing.

If we draw blood for STI testing (e.g., syphilis), can we draw the blood from the vial to use for the INSTI test (50µl) or the OraQuick test (5µl), or do we still have to perform a finger stick?

- Yes, you can draw blood from the vial. Note, for the INSTI a calibrated 50 microliter laboratory pipette should be used.

What are the expiration dates for both the OraQuick, INSTI, and ChemBio tests?

- Oraquick – two years from date of manufacture.
- INSTI – 18 months from date of manufacture.
- ChemBio – 24 months from date of manufacture.

Why do we recommend the use of OraQuick as the screening test for batch testing? Why not use the INSTI as the screening test since it’s so much faster?

- In a non-clinical outreach setting in which you are testing more than one client at a time, screening with INSTI can be more difficult to manage because of the fast read time (1-5 minutes). OraQuick allows the user to “batch” the tests (test more than one client at a time). The amount of blood required for the INSTI is another factor to consider (50µl for INSTI vs. 5µl for OraQuick). However, in other settings, the INSTI may be considered a more appropriate or convenient test (syringe services programs, clinical setting). If you have questions or seek additional guidance on which test to use as the screening test, please discuss with the TDH HIV Prevention Program Director and TDH HIV Testing Program Director.

What is the difference between a discordant result and false positive?"

- If a client receives a reactive result on the screening rapid HIV test and then a non-reactive result on the confirmatory rapid HIV test, this can either mean that they acquired HIV recently---within the last 3 months (discordant results) or that the test device that reported the reactive result is not functioning (a false positive).
- Discordant test results may occur if the initial rapid screening test is reactive, and the rapid confirmatory test result is non-reactive. Since acute HIV infection is possible, refer to the HD for a lab based (4th Generation) HIV test.
- A false positive occurs when the screening test returns a "preliminary reactive" result, the confirmatory result is non-reactive, and a lab-based HIV test is non-reactive.
- In these instances, clients should be counseled that it is highly likely that they have recently acquired HIV and be connected to health department lab-based testing.
- If health department lab-based testing is non-reactive, tester should treat the situation as a false positive and follow appropriate reporting protocols.
- Several factors may cause a false positive:
 - With the oral swab OraQuick, over-collection of the oral sample may trigger a false positive.
 - Administrative factors such as storage area spikes over the recommended temperature or using expired tests.
 - Biological factors such as multiple pregnancies, infection with mononucleosis or any condition that may affect the client's immune system.
- What should we do in the case of a false positive?
 - Run controls.
 - Report results to the TDH HIV Testing Director.

A client comes in for testing and self-reports as have never tested for HIV or never received a positive test result. However, after conducting the screening test, the client receives a preliminary reactive test result and then discloses that they in fact knew that they were HIV positive and needed a test for linkage to care or other personal reasons. What are our next steps? Should we run a confirmatory test? Should we report the client in NBS?

- Yes, run a confirmatory test; per CDC, two different tests are required to meet HIV case definition, which is then documented on the PH1600 Supplemental and serves as the lab report.
- Yes, report the client in NBS per the reporting requirements for positive HIV test results.
- Report the client as a "previous positive."

As an organization, we're interested in offering HIV testing. How do I apply for TDH HIV test kits?

- Please contact Robert Nelson, TDH HIV Prevention Testing Program Director (615-532-8487; robert.nelson@tn.gov), or fill out a REDCap survey.
- <https://redcap.link/ju2fq7ow>

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List of Appendices

Appendix A: PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests

Appendix B: EvaluationWeb Positive Test Template

Appendix C: All HIV Testing Spreadsheet

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Appendix E: Sequence of Appearance of Laboratory Markers for HIV-1 Infection

PH-1600 Supplement for Reporting New HIV Infections via Rapid/Rapid HIV Tests

INSTRUCTIONS

This form is to be completed by Community Based Organizations (CBOs) using Tennessee Department of Health (TDH)-provided rapid HIV test kits. Please complete this form for all positive tests* and submit with PH-1600(TDH Case Report Form) and Evaluation Web Test Template Submit the PH-1600 form online [here](https://hssi.tn.gov/auth/login) (<https://hssi.tn.gov/auth/login>) and attach this supplement to the online form under 'Upload additional documents'.

You may also choose to provide a copy of this form to your client for provider referral.

*Per CDC's revised surveillance case definition for HIV infection (2014), criteria for confirmed cases include a multi-test algorithm consisting of:

- A positive (reactive) result from an initial HIV antibody or combination antigen/antibody test, and
- An accompanying or subsequent positive result from a supplemental HIV test different from the initial test.

AGENCY INFORMATION

Agency name: _____

Person completing form:

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Phone number: (____) _____ Date: _____

PATIENT INFORMATION

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

DOB (MM/DD/YY): _____ Social Security Number: _____

Sex at birth: Male Female

Current gender identity: Male Female Transgender

Transmission risk (check all that apply):

Male

- Male-to-male sexual contact
- Heterosexual contact
- Injection drug use (IDU)

Female

- Heterosexual contact
- Injection drug use (IDU)
- Other _____

Transgender

- Any sexual contact
- Injection drug use (IDU)
- Other _____

RAPID TEST #1

Test date (MM/DD/YY): _____

Test type (Select One):

- OraQuick Advance HIV 1/2 Antibody Test
- INSTI HIV1/2 Antibody Test
- Chembio HIV 1/2 Antibody Test

Sample type: Blood Oral Fluid

Result (Select One):

- Reactive (positive)
- Non-Reactive
- Indeterminate/invalid

*Note: all rapid tests should use fingerstick or venipuncture whole blood unless otherwise approved by TDH; confirmatory test type (rapid test #2) must be different than preliminary test type (rapid test #1)

RAPID TEST #2

Test date (MM/DD/YY): _____

Test type (Select One):

- OraQuick Advance HIV 1/2 Antibody Test
- INSTI HIV1/2 Antibody Test
- Chembio HIV 1/2 Antibody Test

Sample type: Blood Oral Fluid

Result (Select One):

- Reactive (positive)
- Non-Reactive
- Indeterminate/invalid

*Note: all rapid tests should use fingerstick or venipuncture whole blood unless otherwise approved by TDH; confirmatory test type (rapid test #2) must be different than preliminary test type (rapid test #1)

REFERRALS - Please fill out if client needs a lab result

Local health department/DIS Health department location: _____ Date of referral (MM/DD/YY): _____

HIV Care Provider name: _____ Date of referral (MM/DD/YY): _____

STI testing performed by CBO

STI testing recommended

Other: _____

EvaluationWeb® 2018 HIV Test Template

Complete section 1 5 for ALL persons


Form ID	First Name	Last Name	
1 Agency and Client Information		3 Priority Populations	
Session Date (mm/dd/yyyy)		In the past five years, has the client	
Program Announcement <input type="radio"/> PS18-1802 <input type="radio"/> SSP		had sex with a <i>male</i> ?	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Agency Name		had Sex with a <i>female</i> ?	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Site Name		had sex with a <i>transgender person</i> ?	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Local Client ID (optional)		<i>injected drugs or substances</i> ?	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Client Date of Birth		4 HIV Final Test Information	
Client County		HIV Test Election	
Client State		<input type="radio"/> Confidential <input type="radio"/> Test Not Done	
Client ZIP Code		Test Type (select <u>one</u> only)	
Client Ethnicity		<input type="radio"/> CLIA-waived point-of-care (POC) Rapid Test(s) <input type="radio"/> Laboratory-based Test	
<input type="radio"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="radio"/> Don't know		POC Rapid Test Result	
<input type="radio"/> Not Hispanic or Latino <input type="radio"/> Declined		<input type="radio"/> Preliminary Positive	
Client Race (select all that apply)		<input type="radio"/> Positive	
<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> White		<input type="radio"/> Negative	
<input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Not Specified		<input type="radio"/> Discordant	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American <input type="checkbox"/> Declined to Answer		<input type="radio"/> Invalid	
<input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know		Laboratory-based Tests	
Client Assigned Sex at Birth		<input type="radio"/> HIV-1 Positive	
<input type="radio"/> Male <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/> Declined to Answer		<input type="radio"/> HIV-1 Positive, possibly acute	
Client Current Gender Identity		<input type="radio"/> HIV-2 Positive	
<input type="radio"/> Male <input type="radio"/> Transgender Unspecified		<input type="radio"/> HIV Positive, undifferentiated	
<input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/> Declined to Answer		<input type="radio"/> HIV-1 Negative, HIV-2 Inconclusive	
<input type="radio"/> Transgender Male to Female <input type="radio"/> Another Gender		<input type="radio"/> HIV-1 Negative	
<input type="radio"/> Transgender Female to Male		<input type="radio"/> HIV Negative	
Has the client ever previously been tested for HIV?		<input type="radio"/> Inconclusive, further testing needed	
<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Don't Know		Result provided to client?	
2 PrEP Awareness and Use		<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Yes, client obtained the results from another agency	
Has the client ever heard of PrEP (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis)?		5 Additional Tests	
<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes		Was the client tested for co-infections?	
Has the Client used PrEP anytime in the last 12 months?		<input type="radio"/> No (finished with section 5) <input type="radio"/> Yes (complete below)	
<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes		Syphilis	
Is the client currently taking daily PrEP medication?		Gonorrhea	
<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes		Chlamydia	
		Hepatitis C	
		<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	
		If Yes, Test Result	
		<input type="radio"/> Newly identified infection <input type="radio"/> Positive <input type="radio"/> Positive	
		<input type="radio"/> Not infected <input type="radio"/> Negative <input type="radio"/> Negative	
		<input type="radio"/> Not known <input type="radio"/> Not known <input type="radio"/> Not known	
		<input type="radio"/> Not known <input type="radio"/> Not known <input type="radio"/> Not known	

Form ID	First Name	Last Name	
6 Risk Assessment			
Is the client at risk for HIV infection? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Risk Not Known			
7 PrEP Eligibility and Referral			
Was the client <u>screened</u> for PrEP eligibility? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Not Assessed			
Is the client <u>eligible</u> for PrEP referral? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes, by CDC criteria <input type="radio"/> Yes, by local criteria			
Was the client given a <u>referral</u> to a PrEP provider? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes			
Was the client provided <u>navigation or linkage services</u> to assist with linkage to a PrEP provider? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes			
8 Essential Support Services			
	Screened for need	Need determined	Provided or referred
Health benefits navigation and enrollment	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Evidence-based risk reduction intervention	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Behavioral health services	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Social services	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
9 Essential Support Services (Positive only)			
	Screened for need	Need determined	Provided or referred
Navigation services for linkage to HIV medical care	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Linkage services to HIV medical care	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Medication adherence support	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
10 Positive Test Result			
Did the client attend an HIV medical care appointment after this positive test? <input type="radio"/> Yes, confirmed <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes, client/patient self-report <input type="radio"/> Don't Know Date attended: <input style="width:100%;" type="text"/>			
Has the client ever had a positive HIV test? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Don't Know Date of first positive HIV test: <input style="width:100%;" type="text"/>			
Was the client provided with individualized behavioral risk-reduction counseling? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes			
Was the client's contact information provided to the health department for Partner Services? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes			
What was the client's most severe housing status in the last 12 months? <input type="radio"/> Literally homeless <input type="radio"/> Not asked <input type="radio"/> Unstably housed or at risk of losing housing <input type="radio"/> Declined to Answer <input type="radio"/> Stably housed <input type="radio"/> Don't know			
If the client is female, is she pregnant? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Declined to Answer <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Don't know			
Is the client in prenatal care? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Not asked <input type="radio"/> Don't know <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Declined to Answer Was the client screened for need of perinatal HIV service coordination? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes Does the client need perinatal HIV service coordination? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes Was the client referred for perinatal HIV service coordination? <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes			

Appendix C: REDCap Aggregate Testing Survey: <https://redcap.link/hiv>

Reporting Agency

Click link below to find your agency's assigned shortcut

Attachment:  [Agency Shortcuts.jpg](#) (97.8 kB)

Name and Email of Agency Staff Completing Survey

Which survey(s) would you like to complete? (select all that apply)

Note: The Medical Laboratory Board Notification requires all Screening Programs to provide quarterly notifications (by the 15th of January, April, July, and October).

* must provide value

- HIV Monthly Reporting
- HIV Positive Reporting
- Quarterly Medical Laboratory Board Notification

Submit

Save & Return Later



This form may be completed online at <https://hssi.tn.gov/auth/login> or faxed to the Division of Communicable and Environmental Diseases and Emergency Preparedness (CEDEP) at Tennessee Department of Health (TDH) at (615) 741-3857. To fax directly to the local or regional health office, refer to <http://tn.gov/health/topic/localdepartments>. For questions, contact CEDEP at (615) 741-7247 or (800) 404-3006. For more specific details, refer to the TDH Reportable Diseases website at <https://apps.health.tn.gov/ReportableDiseases>.

Directions for Providers:

- All of the information on this form is required to report, if available. Public Health will follow-up with the reporter for the patient demographics and lab report, if missing.
- The provider information, patient demographics, and clinical information may be provided on this form, or attached (e.g., patient cover sheet, notifiable diseases report, relevant medical records).
- Provide the contact information for the provider for Public Health follow-up. If the primary place of work for the provider is a private practice, provide the name, phone, and fax for that facility rather than the hospital.
- Attach the associated laboratory report to this form.
- Provide the county of the provider facility or practice to aid in assignment of the case to a public health jurisdiction.
- *If patient's "Date of Birth" is unavailable, report the patient's age in years. If the patient < 1 year of age, please mark the box for "Months." If the patient is < 1 month of age, please list "0" and mark the box for "Months."
- Patient address is used to assign public health jurisdiction for the investigation.
- ^H Hepatitis symptoms include: fever, malaise, vomiting, fatigue, anorexia, diarrhea, abdominal pain, jaundice, headache, nausea.
- ^T Reportable tickborne diseases such as Ehrlichiosis/Anaplasmosis, Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis, and Lyme Disease.
- For a positive interferon-gamma release assay (IGRA) for (latent) Tuberculosis Infection (TBI), attach a copy of the lab result to this form. For a positive tuberculin skin test (TST) for any child or adolescent < 18 years of age, document the TST result in millimeters (mm) of induration in the "Comments" field at right; fax this form directly to the Tennessee Tuberculosis Elimination Program: (615) 253-1370.

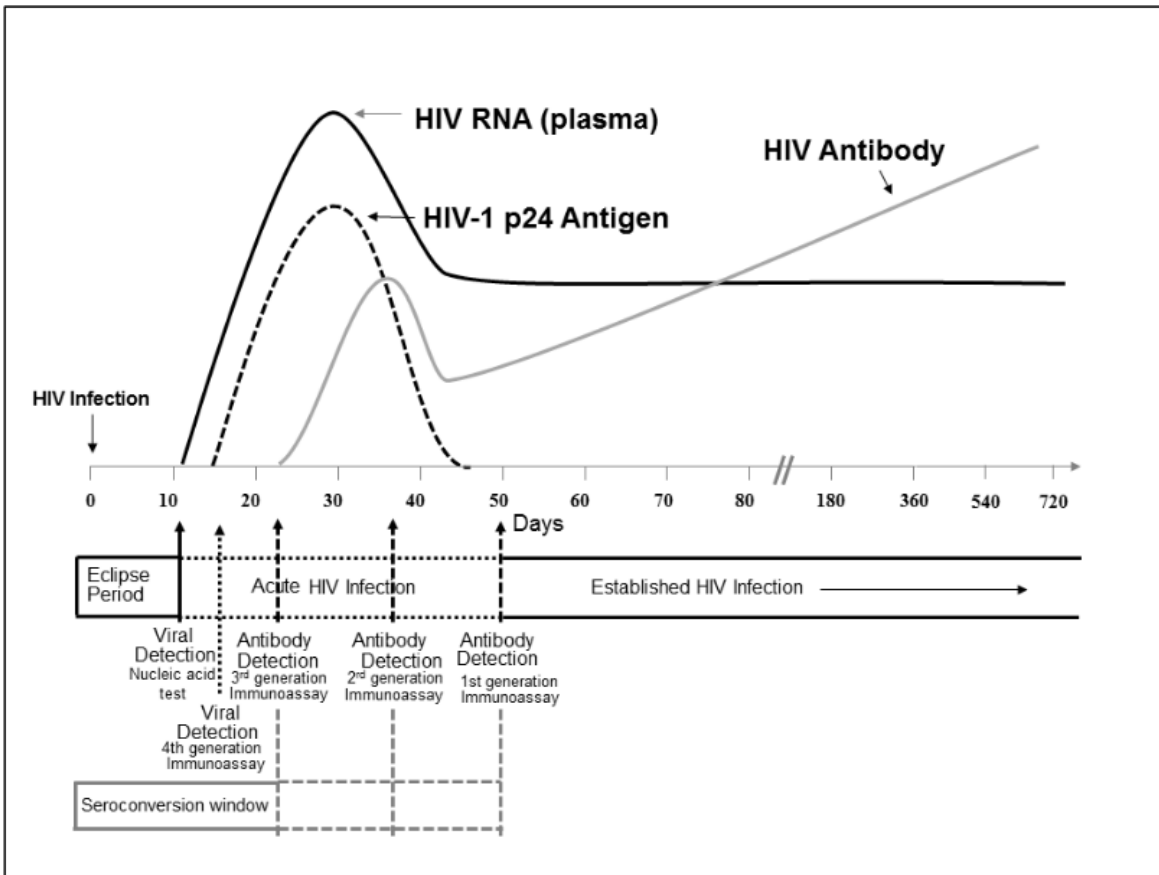
Directions for Laboratories:

- Laboratories should report to Public Health via electronic laboratory reporting (ELR) or a printed laboratory report, rather than by completing this form, unless provider information or patient demographics are missing in the lab report. Then, complete this form only for the missing information and attach the lab report.
- Laboratories are not required to report information in the Clinical Information section.
- The information required (if available) for printed lab reports includes:
 - (1) Patient demographics (shown on the right, including address)
 - (2) Ordering provider and facility name, phone number, address
 - (3) Performing laboratory name, phone number, and address
 - (4) Reporting facility name, phone number, address
 - (5) Date of the laboratory report
 - (6) Test performed (may differ from the test ordered)
 - (7) Accession number
 - (8) Specimen and collection date
 - (9) Result (quantitative and qualitative), interpretation, and reference range
- See the Reportable Diseases website for the ELR requirements.

Report	Disease/Event:		Date of Report: __/__/__	
	Reporter Name:		Phone: () ()	
Provider	Lab Report: <input type="checkbox"/> Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Not Tested <input type="checkbox"/> Report Unavailable			
	Provider Name:			
	Primary Facility/Practice:			
Patient Demographics	Phone: () ()		Fax: () ()	County:
	Patient Name:			
	Date of Birth: __/__/____ (mm/dd/yyyy)		Race:	
	*Age: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Months		<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/ Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black/ African American <input type="checkbox"/> Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
	Sex:	Ethnicity:		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		
	Street Address:			
	City:		State:	
	County:		Zip Code:	
	Phone: () ()		Phone: () ()	
Clinical Information	Illness Onset Date: __/__/____		Hospitalized? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
	Hospital Name:			
	Admission Date: __/__/____		Discharge Date: __/__/____	
	Pregnant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		Died? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
	Symptoms? hepatitis cases only <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			
	Fever? ^T tickborne diseases only <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			
	STD Treatment: Date: __/__/____		Medications:	
Comments:				

Reportable Diseases and Events are declared to be communicable and/or dangerous to the public and are to be reported to the local health department by all hospitals, physicians, laboratories, and other persons knowing of or suspecting a case in accordance with the provision of the statutes and regulations governing the control of communicable diseases in Tennessee (T.C.A. §68 Rule 1200-14-01-.02).

Appendix E: Sequence of appearance of laboratory markers for HIV-1 infection



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