

MONTHLY PROGRAM NARRATIVE—Suffolk County
Testing as Prevention (TAP Program)

Report Month/Year: December 2024 Date submitted: 12/30/24

1. Please share one or two major accomplishments and/or challenges that the Testing as Prevention program experienced this month.

The Testing as Prevention program found difficulty getting tests during the month of December as there are less outreach opportunities during this month.

2. Did the program reach its projected number of HIV tests this month? Yes X No

Projected Number of HIV tests for the Month 20
Actual Number of HIV tests for the Month 12

If no, please outline the program's plan to increase HIV test numbers.

Make sure we can provide testing at every event we do outreach.

3. Please describe the method(s) used this month to promote the program in the community (i.e. flyers included in mailings, email/internet promotions, conferences/health fairs, calls to organizations – etc.)

All agencies with which we did outreach were aware of our free service of rapid HIV testing.

Testing as Prevention Program: Outreach & Testing

- **Attach at least 2 photos from community outreach with captions**



**NUMC World AIDS Day Event,
East Meadow NY**



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Please describe all targeted outreach conducted this month, including location, targeted population, number of individuals with whom contact was made, referrals for PrEP (or other resources) and/or actual tests in the table below.					
Date	Outreach Location	Targeted Population	Number of individuals contacted	Number of referrals for PrEP or other services	Number of Tests
12/05/2024	Nassau University Medical Center, World AIDS Day Event	Anybody walking through this area of the hospital	70	0	0
12/06/2024	Talbot House, Bohemia NY	Individuals at this in patient substance use disorder program	10	0	5
12/09/2024	Thursday's Child Office, Patchogue NY	Anybody interested in Testing	1	0	1
12/17/2024	Hands Across Long Island9 (HALI), Central Islip NY	People receiving any services from HALI	16	0	6