

Ending HIV Transmission: Test, Treat, and Prevent Vital Signs – December 2019

- How to end HIV transmission in the United States.
- About 38,000 new HIV infections still occur each year in the US.
- The US Government recently proposed *Ending the HIV Epidemic: A Plan for America* to reduce HIV transmission.
- The goal is to reduce new HIV infections by 90% by 2030.
- More than 150,000 Americans have HIV, but don't know it and need testing.
- Currently, about 63% of people who know they have HIV have it under control through ongoing effective treatment.
- About 1.2 million people could benefit from PrEP, a medication to prevent HIV transmission from sex, but only 18% have a prescription for it.
- What can healthcare providers, health departments, and everyone do to help end the HIV epidemic in America?
- Find answers at <u>www.cdc.gov/vitalsigns</u>