

**Greater Baltimore HIV Health Services Planning Council**

***Planning Council Meeting***

***5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.***

Questions to Presenters

July 19, 2011

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**Continuum of HIV Services in the Baltimore EMA**

Presented by: Franny Lerner, MPH, Community Health Improvement Coordinator, Chase-Brexton Health Services, Inc.

1. When you tested all your PMC patients, what percentage of the total populations was found HIV positive in Chase Brexton?

Answer: The total tested in the PMC setting was 3756, of which 430 were positive. However, 288 were scheduled as new HIV patients and were we getting confirmatory tests as new HIV patients. Therefore the total in the general patient population actually getting positive results for the first time was 142 of 3468 or 4%.

2. What does anonymous testing mean?

Answer: People who walk in to the Counseling, Testing & Referral service (CTR) to get tested are not asked their name and are therefore anonymous. These people may become patients if they choose to, but an anonymous test means a record is not created in our system when the individual comes into get tested.

3. What were the fringe benefits for Chase Brexton, RW part C? The total was not shown.

Answer: The total was not shown. \$118,617.