

## Referral for Health Care and Support Services (Support Service)

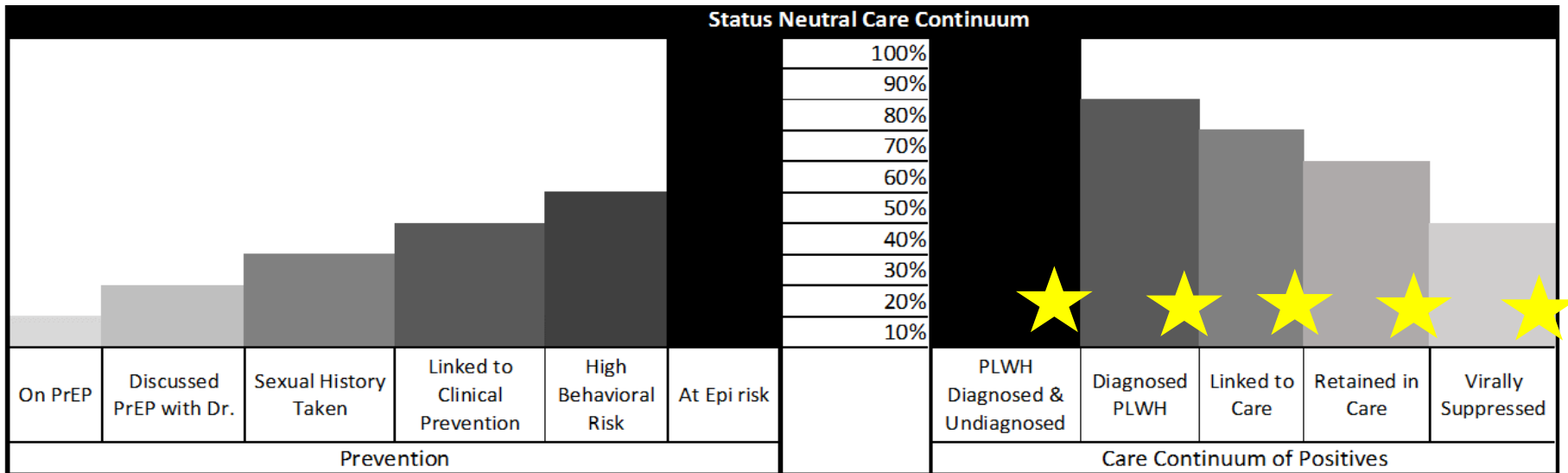
**HRSA Definition:** Referral for Health Care and Support Services directs a client to needed core medical or support services in person or through telephone, written, or other type of communication. This service may include referrals to assist eligible clients to obtain access to other public and private programs for which they may be eligible (e.g., Medicaid, Medicare Part D, State Pharmacy Assistance Programs, Pharmaceutical Manufacturer’s Patient Assistance Programs, and other state or local health care and supportive services, or health insurance Marketplace plans).

**Council Prioritization Ranking:** 9 out of 16 service areas

	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016
<b>ALLOCATIONS HISTORY</b>			
Allocation	143,000	143,000	143,000
Change in Allocation	---	0%	0%
Expenditure	143,000	128,226	143,000
<b>UTILIZATION HISTORY (Parts A &amp; B)</b>			
Number Served	73	137	0
% of MN Cases	73 / 7988 = 0.9%	137 / 8215 = 1.7%	0 / 8554 = 0%
% of RW Clients	73 / 4141 = 1.8%	137 / 4113 = 3.3%	0 / 4317 = 0%
<b>UTILIZATION HISTORY (Parts A &amp; B + Rebate)</b>			
Number Served	73	234	125
% of MN Cases	73 / 7988 = 0.9%	234 / 8215 = 2.8%	125 / 8554 = 1.5%
% of RW Clients	73 / 4141 = 1.8%	234 / 4113 = 5.7%	125 / 4317 = 2.9%
<b>PERFORMANCE MEASURES FOR RYAN WHITE CLIENTS</b>			
Retained in Care (Form 1)	94.5%	94.3%	66.7%**

\* Click [here](#) for more utilization history, including utilization by race, ethnicity, gender, risk category, and country of birth. Data Source: CAREWare and eHARS

\*\* Several clients were missing a Form I, so there was no evidence of an HIV medical appointment. Given the nature of this service, it is not surprising that obtaining a Form I would be difficult. These clients may have been in care, but there is no way to know until eHARS to CAREWare is fully implemented.



### Funded providers

- Minnesota AIDS Project