



# PrEP / PEP

*The role of PrEP and PEP in Combination HIV Prevention*



## Educational Workshop and Luncheon

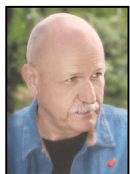
*Hosted by LAGPA and Sponsored by Gilead*

Sunday, June 7, 2015 12-3 PM

Why PrEP? Why PEP? Who will use them?

What would be the long-term consequences of these bio-medical interventions?

What do your clients say? What do you say?



This workshop brings together experts in the field to inform you about the medical research concerning PrEP and PEP besides explore the recommendations of mental health professionals and therapists who have first hand knowledge and experience dealing with LGBT clients. Moderated by Fred Wilkey, Ed.D., LAGPA board member and respected therapist with private practice in West Hollywood.

At the completion of the presentation, participants will:

- (a) Better understand the use of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) as a new HIV prevention tool,
- (b) Be aware of current guidelines and recommendations for the use of PrEP in HIV negative individuals, and
- (c) Know how to identify candidates for PrEP and where and how to find additional PrEP-related resources.

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Octavio Vallejo obtained a Doctor in Medicine degree in Mexico in 1981. He holds specialties in Epidemiology and Infectious Diseases along with a Master in Public Health. Octavio Vallejo came to Los Angeles in 1994 as a UCLA John Fogarty Fellow to develop new skills in HIV/AIDS research and in the process emerged as a vital asset in the Los Angeles HIV/AIDS community--a key link between AIDS services and the growing number of HIV-infected Latinos. Octavio worked at UCLA's Center for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention in HIV/AIDS as faculty for the Pacific AIDS Education and Training Center. He also worked at Gilead Sciences, Inc. as a Medical Science Liaison and now he is the Program Manager in the Treatment Education Department at AIDS Project Los Angeles.	Aaron Fox, MPM, is the Director of State Health Equity and Policy at the Los Angeles LGBT Center. Fox focuses his work with Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) and underserved communities; advocates for effective policies that continue to support access to quality culturally competent health care; and provides education to the community on changing health policies and funding streams. He continues to underscore that LGBT and Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (HIV/AIDS) communities need continued support and increased access to care that reduces disparities and enhances community wellness. Fox serves as the Co-Chair for the California HIV Alliance, is a Steering Committee member for the California LGBTQ Health and Human Services Network, and is a Commissioner on the Los Angeles County Commission on HIV.	Ruben Gamundi, MD is Gilead's West Coast Associate Director, Community Medical Affairs. He's main role is provide accurate/scientific information in the areas of HIV Treatment, HIV Prevention, and HIV/HCV co-infection to providers and allied health care providers. He has been working in the field of HIV disease since 1990. Prior to Gilead he worked for other pharmaceutical and consultant companies as well as at AIDS Project Los Angeles, where he acted as the Treatment Education Program Manager. He resides in San Francisco and holds and MD degree from Argentina, his country of origin.

# 3 CE Credits, APA for Psychotherapists

If you want CE credits, the cost is: \$30 for members; \$45 for non-members.

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Free lunch provided by Gilead. Lunch is held the first half hour of the workshop.

Hosted at Twin Town Treatment Center

8739 Santa Monica Blvd, West Hollywood, CA 90069

Paid parking in basement of building or street metered parking.

RSVP – Chuck Stewart, Ph.D., at [lagpa@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lagpa@sbcglobal.net)

Payment is accepted at the door in cash, check, or credit card.

## LAGPA

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Upstairs. Near the corner of Hancock and Santa Monica. Underground parking available accessed from Hancock. Tender Greens located on adjacent corner.