

**Agency: UNIFIED - HIV Health and Beyond and Ruth Ellis Center**

Event Name: World AIDS Day Mini Ball

Date: Friday, December 1, 2017

Address: 77 Victor St Highland Park, MI 48203

UNIFIED - HIV Health and Beyond and Ruth Ellis Center are collaborating to host a World AIDS Day Mini Ball. The categories are tied into today's prevention methods as well as social determinants that drive new HIV infections. The Grand Prize Category is "House with the most People Tested" for \$500.

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**Agency: Wayne State University Holistic Care Community Advisory Board**

Event Name: Strength in Diversity

Date: Friday, December 1, 2017 12 PM to 3 PM

Address: 6135 Woodward Ave Detroit, MI 48201

The theme of the 2017 World AIDS Day celebration is "Strength in Diversity." This free annual event is designed to provide the attendees an opportunity to receive updated and accurate information about the issues around HIV/AIDS. This program includes lunch, a panel presentation, entertainment, and the Erika Michelle Morris and Mallisham Awards ceremony.

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**Agency: Mercy Health Prevention Practices**

Event Name: Empowered: Women, HIV, and Intimate Partner Violence Video Showing

Date: Wednesday, November 29, 2017 10 AM to 12 PM

Address: The Folkert Community Hub-East Entrance, 640 Seminole Road Muskegon, MI 49441

Empowered: Women, HIV, and Intimate Partner Violence is a 20-minute video from Greater Than AIDS featuring lawyer, producer, and women's health advocate, Tonya Lewis Lee, in conversation with five inspiring women living with HIV who have experienced intimate partner violence. By sharing their own experiences, the women seek to take away the silent shame many dealing with these issues feel and show there is a way forward. Along with individual profiles of the women, the video is designed to foster and support discussions about the intersection of HIV and intimate partner violence. Watch and discuss along with Annie and Frankie, HIV Prevention Specialists with Mercy Health and Melissa Bushen of Every Women's Place as they explore topics including recognizing the signs of abuse, getting help, finding love again, and living your best life. Breakfast will be served. Registration for event:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/empowered-hiv-and-intimate-partner-violence-tickets-39623074683>

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**Agency: Washtenaw County Public Health**

Event Name: Collaborative Event

Date: Tuesday, December 5, 2017 from 1-3 and 4-6

Address: EMU Student Center Ypsilanti, MI

Washtenaw County Public Health in collaboration with UNIFIED - HIV HEALTH AND BEYOND and EMU You Beautiful Black Women Greek Organization will be hosting a collaborative event on 12/4 on EMU's campus. This will consist of 2 hours of free HIV testing/counseling, followed by 2 hours of education activities focused on HIV/STI transmission, risk & prevention strategies.

**Contact: Heather Vaquera; [vaquerah@ewashtenaw.org](mailto:vaquerah@ewashtenaw.org)**

**Agency: Wellness Services**

Event Name: PEACE by Piece

Date: Saturday, December 2, 2017 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Address: 816 Saginaw St. Flint, MI 48502

PEACE by Piece is a community event where we will hold a candle light vigil, and community art work will be on display. We will also have a speaker for the event too.

**Contact: Yashica Ellis; [yellis@wellnessaids.org](mailto:yellis@wellnessaids.org)**

**Agency: UNIFIED - HIV Health and Beyond and You Black Beautiful Woman**

Event Name: Free HIV Testing

Date: Monday, December 4, 2017 1 PM to 3 PM

Address: 900 Oakwood St. Ypsilanti, MI 48197

**Contact: Leon Golson; [lgolson@miunified.org](mailto:lgolson@miunified.org)**

**Agency: Sacred Heart Rehabilitation Center and Bay County Health Department**

Event Name: World AIDS Day Prayer Vigil

Date: Friday, December 1, 2017 10 AM to 3 PM

Address: 1200 Washington Avenue, Bay City, MI 48732

Sacred Heart, Unity of Bay City and the Bay County Health Department will collaborate and host a prayer vigil to remember those we have lost to HIV/AIDS. Music, prayer, and recitation of names will be featured. Memorial candles will be available to light and may be taken home. Refreshments immediately following. This event is free and open to the public.

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Hepatitis A Clinic for adults- insurance may be billed and fees may apply for the vaccine.

**Contact: Tom Brubaker; [tbrubaker@sacredheartcenter.com](mailto:tbrubaker@sacredheartcenter.com)**

**Agency: Matrix Human Services**

Event Name: World AIDS Day

Date: Friday, December 1, 2017 11 AM to 3 PM

Address: Mariners Inn 445 Ledyard St. Detroit, MI 48201

This will be an enhanced HIV and Hep C testing day, working with both residential and outpatient clients of Mariner's Inn; food and other incentives will be offered to clients. This event is not open to the general public. The reason for testing these clients is that they have a history of substance abuse, including injection drugs, which leads to a much higher incidence of HIV infection. We are also testing for Hep C, which primarily appears in people age 55+ - a good proportion of their client base – and because Hep C can be transmitted by injecting drugs.

**Contact: Kathie Griffin-Futch; [kgriffin@matrixhs.org](mailto:kgriffin@matrixhs.org)**

**Agency: Matrix Human Services**

Event Name: World AIDS Day

Date: Saturday, December 2, 2017 12 PM to 3 PM

Address: Affirmations 290 W. Nine Mile Rd. Ferndale, MI 488220

We are providing expanded Saturday testing hours due to the awareness that World AIDS Day brings to the community. Gay and bisexual men, especially men of color, and transgender persons are one of the high risk groups for HIV infection. Condom packets and other incentives will be offered. This event is open to the public, even though marketing efforts will be focused on the LGBTQ community. Questions regarding testing should be directed to: 1-866-226-6366

**Contact: Kathie Griffin-Futch; [kgriffin@matrixhs.org](mailto:kgriffin@matrixhs.org)**

**Agency Name: Central Michigan District Health Department**

Event Name: Free HIV Testing

Date: Monday, November 27, 2017

Address: 815 N. Clare Ave Harrison, MI 48625 (9 AM to 12 PM)

1015 Short Drive Prudenville, MI 48651 (1 PM to 4 PM)

**Contact: Jason Johnson; [jsjohnson@cmdhd.org](mailto:jsjohnson@cmdhd.org)**

**Agency Name: Central Michigan District Health Department**

Event Name: Free HIV Testing

Date: Tuesday, November 28, 2017

Address: 2012 E Preston Ave, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858 (9 AM to 4 PM)

22054 Professional Dr. Suite D, Reed City, MI 49677 (9 AM to 4 PM)

**Contact: Jason Johnson; [jsjohnson@cmdhd.org](mailto:jsjohnson@cmdhd.org)**

**Agency Name: Central Michigan District Health Department**

Event Name: Free HIV Testing

Date: Wednesday, November 29, 2017

Address: 2012 E Preston Ave., Mt Pleasant, MI 48858 (9 AM to 4 PM)

103 N Bowery, Gladwin, MI 48624 (1 PM to 4 PM)

**Contact: Jason Johnson; [jsjohnson@cmdhd.org](mailto:jsjohnson@cmdhd.org)**

**Agency Name: Central Michigan District Health Department**

Event Name: Free HIV Testing

Date: Thursday, November 30, 2017

Address: 815 N Clare Ave Harrison, MI 48625 (9 AM to 12 PM)

4489 W M- 61 Standish, MI 48658 (1 PM to 4 PM)

**Contact: Jason Johnson; [jsjohnson@cmdhd.org](mailto:jsjohnson@cmdhd.org)**

**Agency: District Health Department No. 2**

Event Name: Walk-in HIV Testing

Date: Thursday, November 30, 2017 8:30 AM to 4 PM

Address: 393 S Mt Tom Road, Mio, MI 48647

311 Lake St, Harrisville, MI 48740

**Contact: Stacy DeBoever; sdeboever@dhd2.org**

**Agency: District Health Department No. 2**

Event Name: Walk-in HIV Testing

Date: Friday, December 1, 2017 8:30 AM to 4 PM

Address: 630 Progress St., West Branch, MI 48861

420 W Lake Street, Tawas, MI 48764

**Contact: Stacy DeBoever; sdeboever@dhd2.org**

**Agency: Lenawee County Health Department**

Event Name: Free Rapid HIV Testing

Date: Thursday, November 30, 2017 9 AM to 4 PM

Address: Sienna Heights College- Dominican Hall 1247 E. Siena Heights Dr. Adrian, MI 49221

**Shannon Gilkison; sgilkison@hline.org**

**Agency: Kent County Health Department**

Event Name: Free HIV Testing

Date: Monday, November 27, 2017 8 AM to 12 PM and 1 PM to 5 PM

Tuesday, November 28, 2017 8 AM to 12 PM and 1 PM to 5 PM

Wednesday, November 29, 2017 8 AM to 12 PM and 1 PM to 5 PM

Thursday, November 30, 2017 1 PM to 5 PM

Friday, December 1, 2017 8 AM to 12 PM and 1 PM to 5 PM

Address: 700 Fuller NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

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