

HEPATITIS C TRAINING WORKSHOP

Save The Date!

Friday, June 26, 2009

8:00 A.M. —5:00 P.M.

(Check-in at 7:30 A.M.)

Michigan Technical Education Center

7107 Elm Valley Drive

Kalamazoo, MI 49003

**Course materials including a comprehensive manual
and other educational tools included at no cost.**



HCV ADVOCATE
www.hcvadvocate.org

Topics include:

- x The Liver**
- x Hepatitis C Transmission & Prevention**
- x Diagnostic Tools**
- x Symptoms & Disease Progression**
- x Disease Management**
- x Treatments**
- x Complimentary Medicine**

**LUNCH & SNACKS
PROVIDED**



Community AIDS Resource and Education Services
www.caresswm.org

REGISTER EARLY -- SEATING IS LIMITED!

For more information contact:

Patricia Clark

CARES

Phone: 269-381-2437 800-944-2437

**This workshop is funded
by an unrestricted
educational grant from
Roche.**

HCV BASIC EDUCATOR
HCV TRAINING WORKSHOP

Kalamazoo, MI

June 26, 2009

Registration

Deadline: June 15, 2009

Registration is first come, first served. There is no charge for this program.

Please fax completed form to: 269-381-4050 or email to: pclark@caresswm.org

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

Special Needs _____

Highest grade completed _____

Degree or other Advanced Training _____

Area of Interest (medical / community or other) _____

Why do you want to become a certified Hepatitis C Support Project HCV Educator?

For registration questions, please call Patricia Clark, 800-944-2437 ext 23

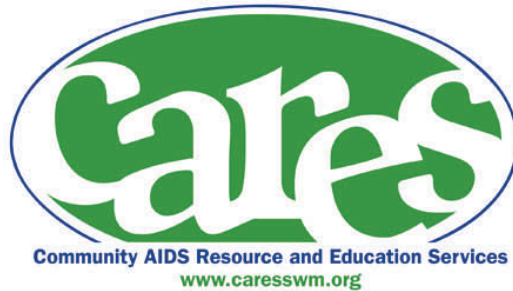


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Who should come—

- health educators
- HIV/STD counselors & testers
- medical providers
- substance abuse counselors, case managers, support group leaders
- people living with HCV
- other health professionals who will provide education, support and advocacy for people and populations affected by hepatitis C.

Registrants that complete and successfully pass this program will be certified as HCV Basic Educators by the Hepatitis C Support Project.



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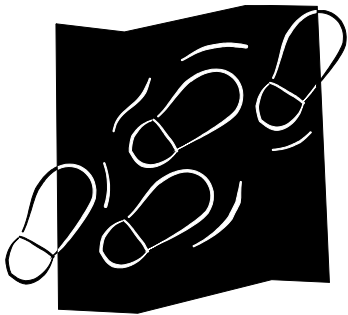
Workshop 8:00 —5 pm

**There is No Charge
for This Workshop**

Goals

Participants will be provided with updated information on:

- Transmission, prevention, symptoms & treatment of hepatitis C
- Diagnosis, progression, & treatment in hepatitis C
- Resources and education to deliver hepatitis C presentations to local communities
- Advocating for the needs of people infected with hepatitis C .



Objectives

At the conclusion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Describe physical features of the liver & how they are affected by liver damage.
- Classify the different types of hepatitis. Explain transmission, prevention, symptoms, and treatments for hepatitis C
- Explain basic information regarding hepatitis C.
- Name and describe the various tests used in diagnosing hepatitis C.
- Contrast between acute and chronic hepatitis C and describe possible long-term liver damage related to hepatitis C infection.
- Identify various methods helpful in managing hepatitis C.
- Describe current medical and complementary treatments for hepatitis C and the side effects.
- Communicate a plan of action of how to educate and support others in your community about viral hepatitis.

Topics Include

- The Liver
- HCV Diagnostics
- HCV Transmission & Prevention
- HCV Symptoms, Disease Progression & Disease Management
- Medical Treatments for HCV
- Alternative & Complementary Therapies

Lunch and snacks provided!

