

# BASES Project

## (Berkeley, Alameda, & Sonoma Evaluation Study)

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### GOALS

- To Conduct Outcome & Process Evaluations of the High Risk Initiatives for Men who have Sex with Men (MSM) & People of Color (POC) Interventions in Berkeley, Alameda, & Sonoma.
- To conduct cross-initiative and cross-site data analysis.
- To Provide Technical Assistance (TA) for participating local health departments (LHDs) and collaborating agencies through consultations and workshops.

### BERKELEY MSM INTERVENTION

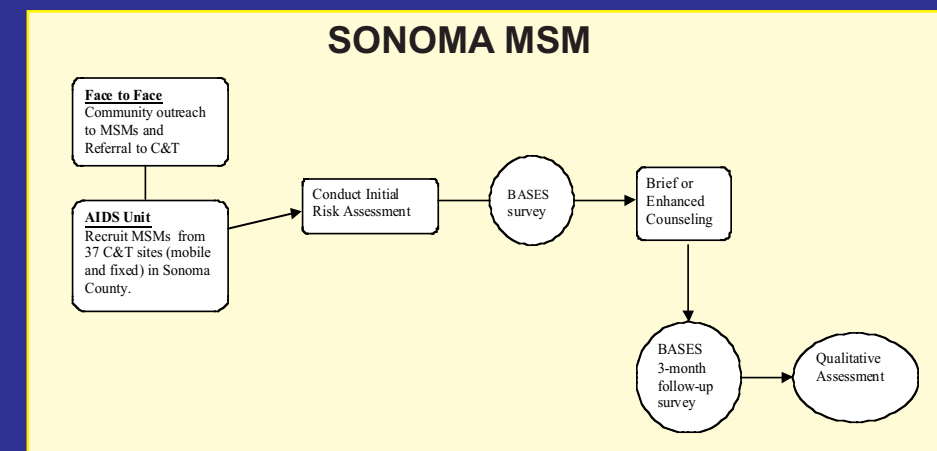
#### CITY OF BERKELEY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

- Goal:** To reduce the rate of new infections among high-risk MSMs.
- Target Populations:** MSM < 25 and MSM of color
- Target Area:** Public Sex Environments (PSEs), such as parks, public rest rooms & bathhouses.
- Interventions:** Individual counseling or small groups

### SONOMA MSM INTERVENTION

#### SONOMA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

- Goal:** To reduce the rate of new HIV infections among high-risk youth.
- Target Populations:** MSMs attending special community-building events.
- Target Areas:** 13 areas serviced by the County mobile testing van
- Interventions:** Enhanced counseling & testing (C&T) & referrals



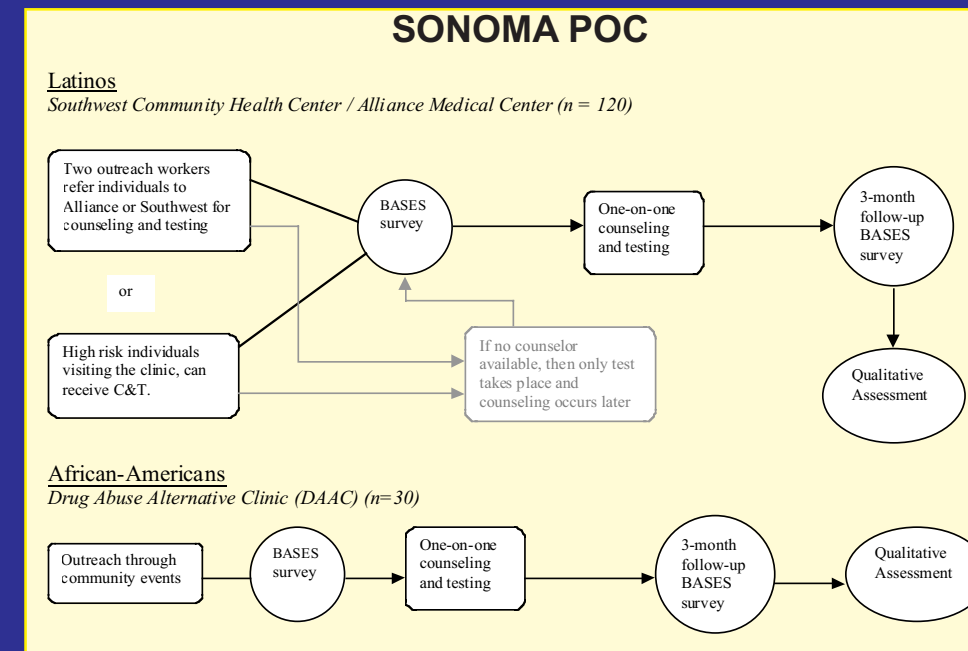
### SONOMA POC INTERVENTIONS

#### SOUTHWEST COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER & ALLIANCE MEDICAL CENTER

- Goal:** To reduce new HIV infections among Latinos, particularly youth
- Target Population:** High-risk monolingual Latinos.
- Target Areas:** Rural & semi-rural areas, e.g., Healdsburg.
- Intervention:** Outreach & 1-on-1 enhanced counseling

#### DRUG ABUSE ALTERNATIVES CENTER

- Goal:** To reduce new HIV infections among African Americans.
- Target Populations:** African American adults and youth from Black Student Unions & local schools.
- Target Areas:** Santa Rosa Community College, Sonoma State University, Junior and Senior High Schools
- Interventions:** Community events and 1-on-1 counseling.



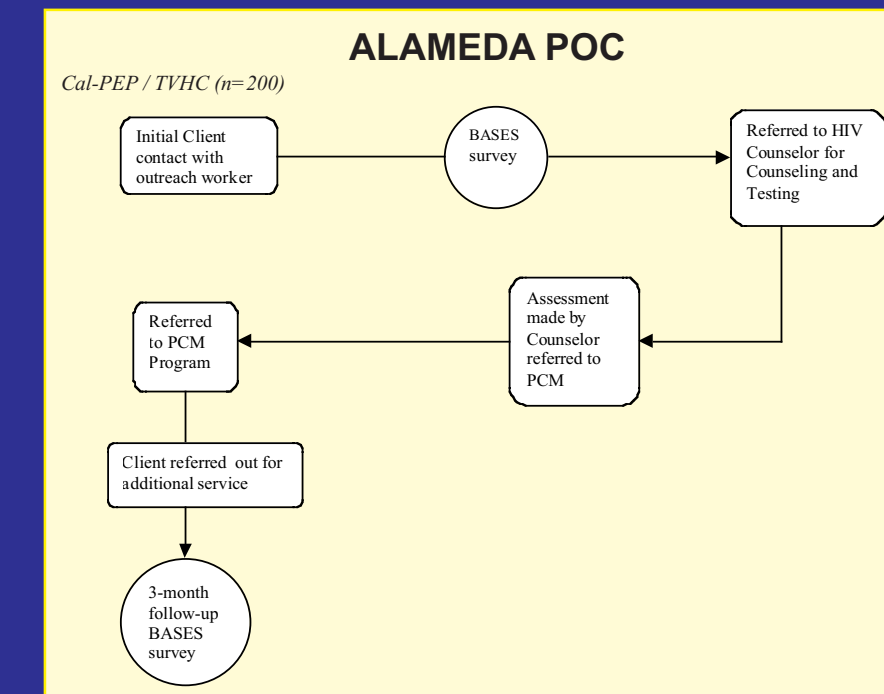
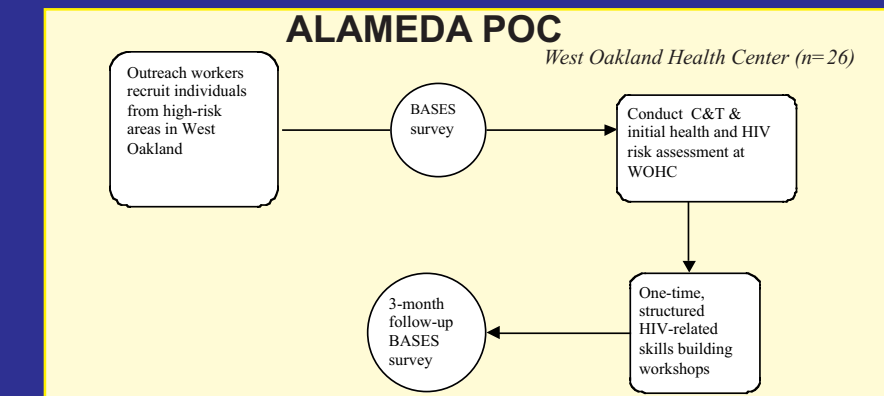
### ALAMEDA POC INTERVENTIONS

#### WEST OAKLAND HEALTH COUNCIL

- Goal:** To reduce the risk and incidence of HIV among IDUs.
- Target Populations:** African Americans
- Target Areas:** West Oakland & local drug diversion programs.
- Interventions:** One-on-one street based outreach and group skills building workshops

#### CALIFORNIA PROSTITUTES EDUCATION PROGRAM & TIBURCIO VASQUEZ HEALTH CENTER

- Goal:** To reduce the risk and incidence of HIV among IDUs.
- Target Populations:** Latino drug users
- Target Areas:** Tri-City area of South Alameda County
- Interventions:** Risk assessment, C&T, & prevention case management



### OUTCOME VARIABLES

- Decrease Unprotected Anal/Vaginal Intercourse
- Increase HIV Testing

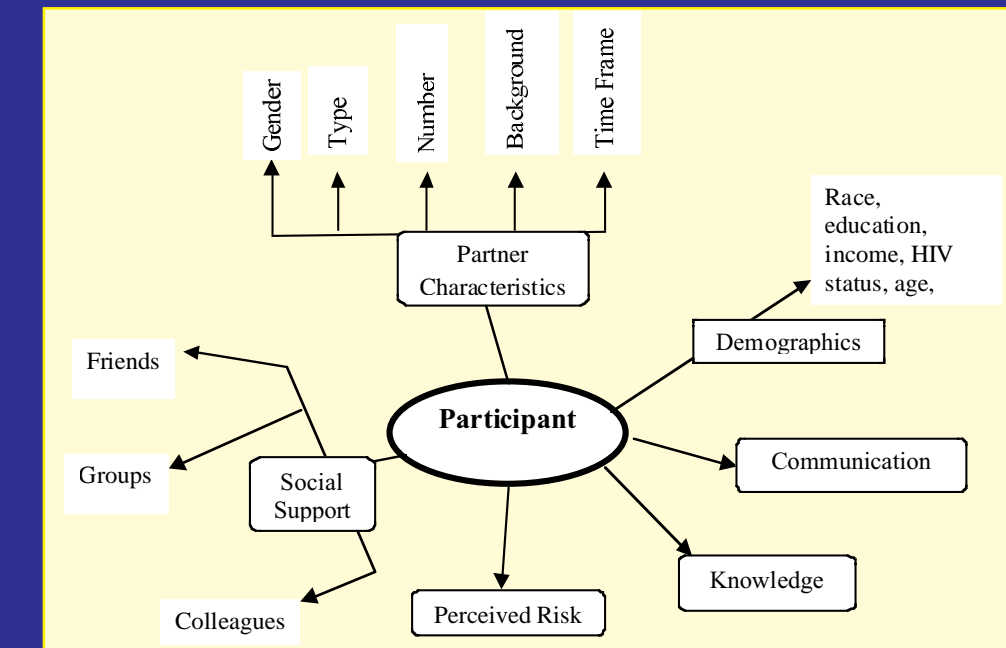
### MEDIATOR VARIABLES

- Partner Characteristics
- Perceived Risk
- Knowledge
- Social Support/Connectedness
- Communication
- Drug/Sex Interaction
- Intervention Dose

### MODERATOR VARIABLES

- Age
- Race/Ethnicity
- Language
- Income
- HIV Status
- Employment Status
- HIV Testing History
- Education
- History of Violence

### HOW IT ALL FITS TOGETHER



### CURRENT PROJECT ACTIVITIES

- Continue to develop relationships with CBOs & LHDs
- Provide TA.
- Finalize sampling plan & data collection protocols.
- Train Interviewers.
- Pilot survey instrument.

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