

Primary care redesign to prevent liver cancer and cirrhosis

STOP HCC-HCV



Screen, Treat, Or Prevent

Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC) and Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) Infection



HCV is the main cause of HCC – primary liver cancer



The national incidence and mortality from liver cancer is rising rapidly



Texas leads the nation in mortality from liver cancer

STOP HCC-HCV is a primary care-based program to implement HCV screening of Texas baby-boomers (born 1945-1965). We offer a team-based model to evaluate and manage patients with chronic HCV in primary care.

Education

Webinars for clinicians and staff on HCV screening and management. Patient education through posters promoting screening and a mobile app about chronic HCV. Community outreach by peers with HCV infection and information on StopHepatitisC.com

Infrastructure

Electronic medical record (EMR) flags and data to support screening, clinic protocols, care navigation, resources for free testing, and treatment in primary care using specialist teleconsultation and pharmaceutical assistance programs.

Partnerships

Collaboration with community organizations, state and healthcare leaders in Texas to share resources, best practices, and expertise.

Did you know?

- The risk of chronic HCV is greatest for men, minorities, and the uninsured
- Hispanic patients are more likely to have advanced liver disease at diagnosis*

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Healthcare systems across South Texas and Dallas regions have used the STOP-HCV-HCC model

>95%

Of uninsured patients treated in primary care have achieved virologic cure

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