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# PositiveVoices

the national survey of people living with HIV



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### About Positive Voices

Positive Voices is a large-scale survey of adults living with HIV and attending one of **73** NHS HIV specialist clinics in England and Wales. Results will provide valuable insights about living with HIV that will be used to inform improvements to services.

The questionnaire can be completed on a paper or on-line. It aims to recruit between 3,000 and 4,000 patients from January — September 2017. All participants receive a £5 gift voucher as a thank you.

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## Summer has arrived!

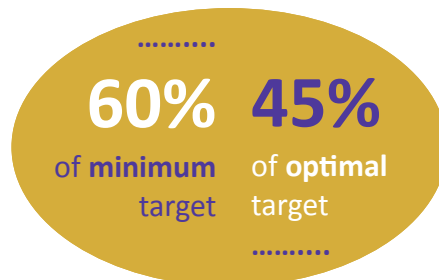


As most sites enter the second half of recruitment, we remind you that with summer comes more appointment cancellations and DNAs.

We recommend all sites regularly check their appointment lists (at least every 2 weeks) to stay up-to-date on patients due to attend and start making plans to recruit (in person, by email or by post) those patients who do not attend during the recruitment period.

Remember you should ensure that, as far as possible, all selected patients are approached to take part in the study, regardless of whether recruitment targets are met to ensure we get a representative sample.

## MAY IN NUMBERS



### This month...

#### 16 SITES MET THEIR MINIMUM RECRUITMENT TARGET!

- ⇒ Lewisham Hospital
- ⇒ Ipswich Hospital
- ⇒ Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford
- ⇒ Sir Robert Peel Hospital, Burton
- ⇒ Upton Hospital
- ⇒ Hertford County Hospital
- ⇒ Weymouth Hospital
- ⇒ Manor Hospital, Walsall
- ⇒ Royal Hallamshire Hospital
- ⇒ iCASH Huntingdon
- ⇒ Queen Elizabeth Hosp, London
- ⇒ Harrogate District Hospital
- ⇒ Leeds General Hospital
- ⇒ Nottingham City Hospital
- ⇒ Royal Victoria Hosp, Folkestone
- ⇒ Salisbury District Hospital



## Recruitment by HIV clinic, to 24<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Site	Total Sample	Completed surveys	% of Minimum Target	% of Optimal Target
Princess Alexandra Hospital	46	30	250%	188%
Broomfield Hospital	44	20	182%	133%
Bradford Royal Infirmary	89	40	174%	133%
York Hospital	37	16	160%	123%
Lister Hospital	55	22	157%	116%
Rotherham District General Hospital	36	14	156%	117%
Diana Princess of Wales - Grimsby	6	3	150%	150%
Hull Royal Infirmary	24	9	150%	113%
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham	349	132	150%	112%
Queen's Hospital Burton	24	9	150%	113%
Lewisham Hospital	179	66	147%	110%
Ipswich Hospital	48	18	138%	106%
Scarborough General Hospital	12	4	133%	100%
St Mary's Hospital, Isle of Wight	11	4	133%	100%
Sir Robert Peel Community Hospital	15	5	125%	100%
Upton Hospital	123	38	123%	90%
St Peter's Hospital	56	17	121%	89%
Hertford County Hospital	20	6	120%	86%
Weymouth Hospital	23	7	117%	88%
Manor Hospital	99	29	116%	85%
Royal Hallamshire Hospital	197	57	114%	86%
iCaSH Huntingdon	33	10	111%	91%
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, London	254	68	106%	79%
Harrogate District Hospital	22	6	100%	75%
Leeds General Hospital	341	86	100%	75%
Nottingham City Hospital	141	36	100%	75%
QEQM, Marget	23	6	100%	75%
Royal Victoria Hospital	13	4	100%	80%
Salisbury District Hospital	18	5	100%	83%
Worthing Hospital	49	12	92%	71%
Gravesham Community Hospital	43	10	91%	67%
Kettering General Hospital	33	8	89%	73%
Royal Bournemouth Hospital	164	37	88%	66%
Addenbrooke's Hospital	98	22	88%	67%
Homerton Hospital	248	54	86%	64%
West Middlesex University Hospital	91	19	83%	61%
Norfolk and Norwich University Hospital	105	22	81%	61%
Kent and Canterbury Hospital	40	8	80%	57%
Barking Hospital	209	40	75%	57%
Royal Berkshire Hospital	126	24	75%	56%
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, King's Lynn	26	5	71%	56%
Northampton General Hospital	146	26	70%	53%
James Cook University Hospital	93	16	67%	50%
Royal Sussex County Hospital	516	83	64%	48%
Great Western Hospital	60	10	63%	48%
Northgate Hospital	31	5	63%	45%

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Site	Total Sample	Completed surveys	% of Minimum Target	% of Optimal Target
Castle Hill Hospital	70	11	61%	46%
Newham University Hospital	227	35	60%	45%
North Manchester General Hospital	475	72	60%	45%
Royal London Hospital	580	85	58%	44%
Southend University Hospital	90	13	57%	42%
King's College Hospital	538	73	54%	40%
Chelsea and Westminster Hospital	818	105	51%	38%
Charing Cross Hospital	172	19	43%	33%
West Suffolk Hospital	26	3	43%	33%
St George's Hospital	363	39	42%	32%
Gloucester Royal Hospital	93	10	42%	31%
Royal Victoria Infirmary	184	19	40%	31%
Royal Free Hospital	622	59	38%	28%
William Harvey Hospital	30	3	38%	30%
St Mary's Hospital	621	51	32%	24%
Southmead Hospital	246	20	32%	24%
Royal Gwent Hospital	64	5	29%	23%
Royal Liverpool University Hospital	241	17	28%	21%
Derriford Hospital	73	5	26%	20%
Watford General Hospital	102	5	19%	14%
Whipps Cross University Hospital	119	5	17%	13%
Cardiff Royal Infirmary	160	5	12%	9%
Mortimer Market Centre	794	18	9%	7%
56 Dean Street	684	10	6%	4%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11808</b>	<b>1855</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>45%</b>

### Table Notes:

This table does not include 3 sites (Birmingham Heartlands, iCaSH Peterborough, and Scunthorpe) that have not started recruiting as at 24<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Sites in **dark green** have achieved their **optimal** recruitment target.

Sites in **light green** have achieved their **minimum** recruitment target.

Sites in **red** are in the bottom 10% of sites for recruitment, and are at risk of not meeting their target. If your site is in red, the Positive Voices team may be in contact to discuss strategies to boost recruitment. All sites are welcome to proactively contact the team to discuss issues arising during recruitment.

If you require a list of patients that have completed the survey, please send your request by email to the Positive Voices Team and we will aim to respond within 1-2 working days.

### Study logs:

Study Logs are outstanding from the following sites: **56 Dean St, Stevenage, Birmingham Heartlands, Watford, Salisbury and iCASH Kings Lynn.**

During the NHS hacking incident, the IT team at PHE temporarily blocked access to NHS.NET accounts. If you sent a Study Log in that time, you may have received a bounce back. We are told emails should now have come through. If your site is listed above and a Study Log was sent, we ask that you please resend.

Study Logs can be sent to [carole.kelly6@nhs.net](mailto:carole.kelly6@nhs.net) or [m.kall@nhs.net](mailto:m.kall@nhs.net).