Harrison County Needle Exchange
March 2017
Community Report

More than half of our participants in March were male.

550 retractable syringes were provided to NEP participants and 270 used syringes were collected.

HCV and HIV Screenings
- HIV - 1
  - 42% were positive for HCV antibodies
- HCV - 19

* HIV and HCV screenings DO NOT reflect NEP participants. HIV and HCV screening is a part of community outreach.

Program Information from September 2016 - March 2017
Total Needles Collected
- Used Needles Collected (26.60%) 598
- Retractable Needles Provided (73.40%) 1650

Medical Insurance
- 65% of NEP Participants have Medicaid
- 15% of NEP Participants have Medicare
- 5% of NEP Participants have VA
- 10% of NEP Participants have NO insurance
- 5% of NEP participants have private insurance

10 program participants have been given counseling vouchers for themselves or a family member and referred to other services.

Participant Age Range
- 0 - 4 years old (7.69%)
- 5 - 9 years old (34.62%)
- 10 - 14 years old (30.77%)
- 15 - 19 years old (11.54%)
- 20 - 24 years old (15.38%)
- 25 - 34 years old (34.62%)
- 35 - 44 years old (11.54%)
- 45 - 54 years old (15.38%)
- 55 - 64 years old (34.62%)
- 65 years or older (0%)

Harrison County NEP has a total of 27 enrolled program participants. During March NEP enrollment increased 30%.