

Learning Session Schedule

New York State Family Planning Program Chlamydia Screening Performance Improvement Collaborative

Month	Activity
Tuesday September 18 (in person)	 Introduction to Chlamydia Screening Performance Improvement Collaborative Overview of QI process and initial readiness assessment <u>Chlamydia Screening Change Package</u> overview Introduction to Improvement Plan and action planning for PDSA cycles
Wednesday October 17 9-10:15am (virtual)	Best Practice 1: Include chlamydia screening as a part of routine clinical preventive care for women 24 and younger. Use clinic support systems to systematically screen sexually active patients at least once a year based on age, sex or risk.
Wednesday November 28 9-10:15am (virtual)	Best Practice 2: Use normalizing and opt-out language to explain chlamydia screening to all women 24 years and younger, women >24 who are at increased risk, and men at increased risk. Use sample scripts and staff role plays to help standardize the conversation.
Wednesday December 19 9-10:15am (virtual)	Best Practice 3: Use the least invasive, high quality recommended laboratory technologies for chlamydia screening, with timely turnaround. Make all optimal urogenital specimen types available, including self-collected vaginal swabs for women.
Wednesday January 23 9-10:15am (virtual)	Best Practice 4: Utilize diverse payment options to reduce cost as a barrier for the facility and the patient. Utilize 340B Drug Pricing Program and inform patients about self-pay, sliding fee schedules, and insurance enrollment options.
Wednesday February 20 9-10:15am (virtual)	Optional flexible session: Ongoing challenges and issues identified during the collaborative.
Wednesday March 20 9-10:15am (virtual)	Wrap up and final presentations: Teams will present results and discuss next steps for sustaining improvements.