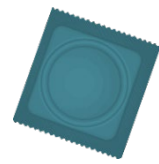


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A monthly newsletter brought to you by the Wyoming Department of Health,  
Communicable Disease Unit

Monthly Theme: Sexual Health Awareness

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## TOP NEWS



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Awareness Month**



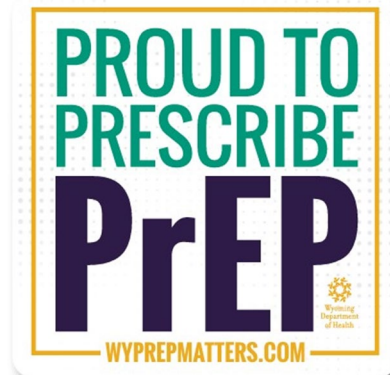
**WEBINAR**

**Wyoming Harm Reduction  
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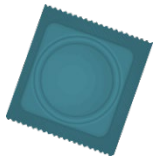
**CURRY  
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**Curry International Tuberculosis  
Center – Training Opportunities**



**WY AETC PrEP Prescriber  
Toolkits & Proud to Prescribe  
PrEP Window Clings**

**Quick Fact:** Should schools teach abstinence-only or comprehensive sex ed curricula? What's important to keep in mind is the sex-related topics that need to be address in a given community. If we look at preventing teen pregnancy or STIs, we find that abstinence-only is ineffective while comprehensive varies based on school district policies. [State Policies on Sex Ed](#), [Abstinence-only](#), [Comprehensive Sex Ed](#).



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**New National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 988**

You can still use 1-800-273-8255 and many others are available [here](#).

The CDU Monthly Webinar is held every **3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month from 2-3 PM MT** via Zoom

Please see the calendar at the end of this newsletter.

## Sexual Health Awareness Month

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Each year, the World Association for Sexual Health (WAS) celebrates World Sexual Health Day on September 4th, and the theme for the 2022 observation is Let’s Talk Pleasure.

WAS developed the Sexual Pleasure Declaration as a call to action. It defines sexual pleasure as “the physical and/or psychological satisfaction and enjoyment derived from shared or solitary erotic experiences, including thoughts, fantasies, dreams, emotions, and feelings” and affirms that “access to sources of sexual pleasure is part of human experience and subjective well-being.”

During Sexual Health Month in September, we’re taking up the call from WAS to talk about sexual pleasure—and you can join us! Check out our September social media toolkit and find content that you’d like to share.

<https://www.ashsexualhealth.org/celebrating-sexual-health-september/>

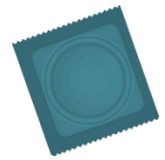
## Curry International Tuberculosis Center – Training Opportunities

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- 8/31-9/1 Tuberculosis Contact Investigation
- 9/27-30 Tuberculosis Contact Investigation Interviewing Skills Intensive
- 10/6, 13, 20, & 27 Fundamentals of Tuberculosis Contact Investigation
- 10/11 Bridges to Build: TB Along the Border
- 10/25 Focus on LTBI
- 10/26-28 Tuberculosis Clinical Intensive
- 11/7 Advanced TB Topics: Next-Generation Diagnostics
- 11/2022 Promoting Continuity of Care after Federal Custody

<https://www.currytbcenter.ucsf.edu/trainings>



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## DIS Day October 2nd



DIS remain the backbone of public health in the United States. They wear many hats and take on many roles to protect people across the nation. Whether tackling STD prevention, tuberculosis outbreak response, HIV exposure notification, or emergency response – DIS bring a special set of skills and level of dedication matched by few in the field. We are honored for the opportunities to work alongside them and to call them our colleagues. On October 2<sup>nd</sup> we honor DIS and all they you do for public health.

Wyoming DIS Team:

Katelyn Hoff

Cameron Ward

Haley McKee

## CDU Monthly Webinar: Wyoming Harm Reduction Collective



The September CDU Monthly webinar will be held a week later than usual on September 27<sup>th</sup> from 2-3pm. The Wyoming Harm Reduction Collection (WHRC) will be joining us for this webinar to provide an overview of their organization and services, including their current naloxone distribution efforts. WHRC is the grassroots Wyoming organization of amazing people with lived experience and allies of PWUD. Their mission is to build healthier communities by creating a safe space to engage in evidence-based practices surrounding people who use drugs.



Register in advance for this webinar:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMvce6trTlpHdFb36q7hIWgY3-CRfLjfWtO>

While CDU usually records the monthly webinars, your input and interaction is highly valuable to us and we prefer to have participants join the webinar live whenever possible.

Slides, resources, and available recordings of previous CDU Monthly Webinars can be found on the Google Drive at

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1oQRgzw9mB34Jyec3a1fIXZcQtCfvXuth?usp=sharing>.



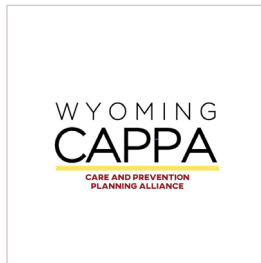
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## CAPPA



The Wyoming Comprehensive Care and Prevention Planning Alliance (CAPPA) is the statewide community planning group for HIV, AIDS, hepatitis and sexually transmitted infections (STI) Wyoming. This meeting is open to the public as well as stakeholders, you do not have to apply for membership to attend meetings

The next meeting is October 21-22 in Cheyenne

For the meeting agenda and more information go to the CDU CAPPA website at

<https://health.wyo.gov/publichealth/communicable-disease-unit/cappa/>

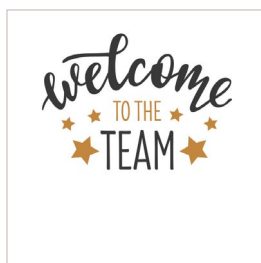
## CDC Tuberculosis Self-Study Modules



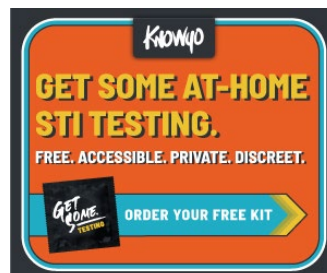
The Self-Study Modules on Tuberculosis are a series of educational modules designed to provide information about TB in a self-study format. The series consists of a total of nine modules that are separated into two courses. The first course, Modules 1-5, provides basic information on TB. Module 6 is recommended for Wyoming TB Case Managers. Modules 7-9, address active TB, contact investigations, and programmatic information.

<https://www.cdc.gov/tb/education/ssmodules/default.htm>

## CDU Outreach Staff

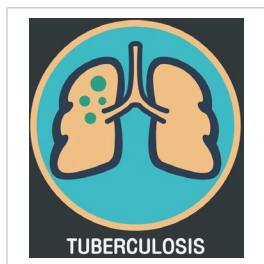


Please welcome Denise Lumpkin at Northwest Health Care to the CDU Outreach Staff team!



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## Quarterly TB Update



The CDU TB Team will now be hosting a Quarterly TB Update for TB Case Managers and anyone else interested in TB updates and reminders, there will also be an opportunity to ask TB related questions.

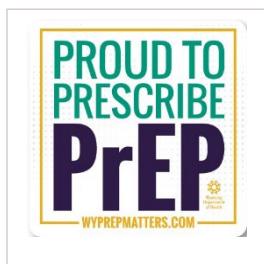
Q2 TB Update

Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2-3pm

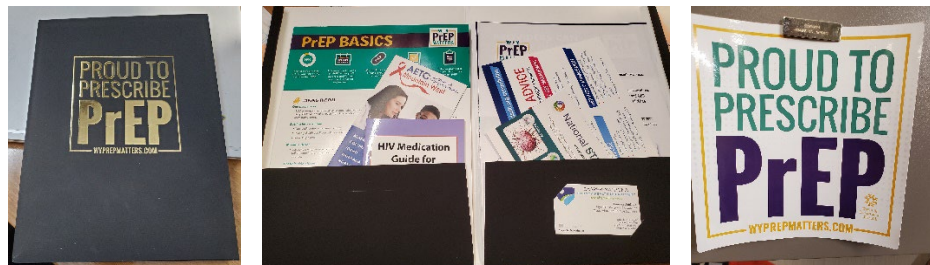
Register in advance at:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcsf--trz0oHdJ\\_jPmSA2TWKXB56s7mxtQF](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcsf--trz0oHdJ_jPmSA2TWKXB56s7mxtQF)

## PrEP Prescriber Toolkit



Wyoming AIDS Education & Training Center (WY AETC) now offers a PrEP Prescriber Toolkit and a Proud to Prescribe PrEP window cling. For more information and to order toolkits or window clings please contact the Lauren Schiller, WY AETC Coordinator, at [lschiller@cnchd.org](mailto:lschiller@cnchd.org).



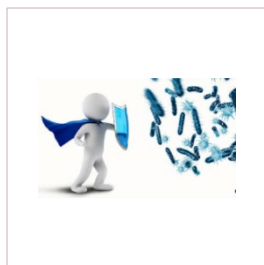
## Job Board



Wyoming Equality CDU Outreach Coordinator

<https://www.wyomingequality.org/jobs>

## Prevention Heroes



Jennifer Meineke at Sheridan County Public Health for her amazing efforts to learn about CDU programs and offer them to the population in her area.

Kelsey Todd at Cheyenne Laramie County Family Planning who has had fantastic PRISM notes!





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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4 Suicide Prevention Week (4 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> )	5 Labor Day	6	7	8	9	10 Suicide Prevention Day
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18 National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day	19	20	21	22 Fall Equinox	23	24
25	26	27 National Gay Men's HIV/AIDS Awareness Day <b>CDU Monthly Webinar 2-3 PM</b>	28 World Heart Day	29 National Women's Health and Fitness Day	30	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8

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