We are studying the potential effects of cuts to the Ryan White program: how many new HIV infections would result from cutting Ryan White funding?

To do this, we need to estimate how many Ryan White clients (who are currently virally suppressed) would lose viral suppression because they would no longer consistently take their antiretroviral medications as a result of cuts to Ryan White. This could be for any reason: not being able to afford medications, not being able to make it to clinic visits, losing mental health services, etc.

We would like to make separate estimates depending on what specific Ryan White services clients receive:

A diagram of a service

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Specifically, we are interested in three categories of services:

1. AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) recipients (the RED circle above) – clients who are receiving any ADAP support (either full-pay medications, insurance premium assistance, or copay support), regardless of whether or not they receive additional Ryan White services
2. Clients who receive Outpatient Ambulatory Health Services (OAHS) but do NOT receive ADAP support (the BLUE region above) – these are clients who have clinical care (HIV care, primary care, mental health services) supported by Ryan White, regardless of whether or not they receive additional supportive services through Ryan White.
3. Clients who receive any other Ryan White services but do NOT receive ADAP and OAHS (the YELLOW region above) – typically these are supportive services, such as medical or non-medical case management, housing support, transportation, food bank/home delivered meals.

QUESTION 1:

Among your clinic patients who receive ADAP (i.e. patients in the RED circle in the figure) and are currently virally suppressed, what percentage do you estimate would no longer be able to consistently take ART if all Ryan White services (including ADAP) stopped indefinitely?

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(please enter a whole number between 0 and 100)

[ ] I don’t know

QUESTION 2:

Among your clinic patients who receive OAHS but **not** ADAP (i.e., patients in the BLUE region of the figure) and are currently virally suppressed, what percentage do you estimate would no longer be able to consistently take ART if all Ryan White services (including ADAP) stopped indefinitely?

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(please enter a whole number between 0 and 100)

[ ] I don’t know

QUESTION 3:

Among your clinic patients who are receiving any other Ryan White services but **not** ADAP or OAHS (i.e., patients in the YELLOW region in the figure) and are currently virally suppressed, what percentage do you estimate would no longer be able to consistently take ART if all Ryan White services (including ADAP) stopped indefinitely?

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(please enter a whole number between 0 and 100)

[ ] I don’t know

QUESTION 4:

Approximately what percentage of your clinic patients come from rural areas?

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(please enter a whole number between 0 and 100)

[ ] I don’t know

QUESTION 5:

What state(s) do your clinic patients primarily come from?