



The Adolescent HIV Treatment Coalition (ATC) invites you to join the global adolescent HIV movement!

The call for members will be open through November 27, 2017.

If you are an individual/organization/institution/network working with adolescents living with HIV and/or want to advocate for improved treatment access for adolescents living with HIV, this is the opportunity!

The ATC, currently hosted within the International AIDS Society (IAS), is comprised of individuals and organizations working across the world to improve treatment access for adolescents and young people living with HIV. As we move towards ending AIDS by 2030 a collective agenda is needed in order to centre efforts to improve access to treatment for adolescents living with HIV.

By joining the coalition, you will join a platform of leaders from across the world working in research, service provision, treatment access, youth development and advocacy focused on calling attention to gaps and proposing solutions that improve the quality of life of adolescents living with HIV. The ATC platform enhances collaboration and activities among stakeholders within the HIV response in order to ensure coordinated efforts to end AIDS among adolescents living with HIV.

How to join?

The Adolescent HIV Treatment Coalition has two different membership opportunities:

Core Membership

Core members are individuals/organizations/institution/network with a demonstrated record of accomplishment of leadership in addressing adolescent HIV/AIDS issues. Core members commit to participating actively in coalition building and programmatic advocacy work.

Criteria

- An individual/organization/institution/network with keen interest and experience in addressing adolescent HIV/AIDS issues;
- Demonstrated track record of leadership in addressing adolescent HIV/AIDS issues;
- Availability to commit (~two hours weekly) to actively participate in ATC activities, including ATC and working group conference calls, in-person meetings, content development, and member surveys.

* Young advocates living with HIV are encouraged to join.

To join us as a core member, please submit the following documents to ATC Coordinator Carlo Oliveras at carlo.oliveras@iasociety.org **by November 27, 2017**.

- Letter of intent, explaining your background and interest in joining the ATC core membership (two pages maximum)
- Institutional/organizational endorsement of the LOI, signed by supervisor or Executive Director

Enabling membership

Enabling members are individuals/organizations that are interested in supporting and disseminating the work of the ATC. Enabler members play a key role in leveraging action for the collective, and receive information about activities and/or opportunities in the adolescent HIV movement and support the work of the core members of the ATC.

Criteria

- An individual/organization with interest in adolescent HIV/AIDS issues
- Demonstrated track record of leadership in addressing adolescent HIV/AIDS issues

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To join us as an enabler member, please complete and submit the below form to ATC Coordinator Carlo Oliveras at carlo.oliveras@iasociety.org by **November 27, 2017**.

All membership applications will be reviewed by the ATC Steering Committee. Applicants will be informed of the review outcome by December 2017. Please send any questions or comments to ATC Coordinator Carlo Oliveras.

About the Adolescent HIV Treatment Coalition:

The Adolescent HIV Treatment Coalition is a diverse community united in advocacy to make quality treatment and care available to all adolescents living with HIV. We are a collective voice promoting accountability in the HIV response that reflects the realities of adolescent lives.

Our advocacy work centres around four streams of work:

- Meaningful engagement of adolescents and young people living with HIV
- Differentiated service delivery
- Advocacy for treatment optimization
- Use of Strategic information and data

For more information about this call for members email coalition coordinator Carlo Oliveras at carlo.oliveras@iasociety.org

The call for members will close Monday, November 27, 2017