

THE GOAL OF THE PROJECT IS TO TO PROVIDE SUSTAINABLE PREVENTION, TREATMENT AND CARE SERVICES FOR KEY POPULATIONS IN THE CARIBBEAN REGION.

CARICOM- PANCAP/CVC/COIN MULTI-COUNTRY CARIBBEAN REGIONAL GLOBAL FUND PROJECT

AT A GLANCE



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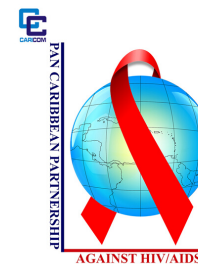
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OVERVIEW

On 16 August 2019, the Board of The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria approved a US\$6.5 Million Multi-country Caribbean grant for PANCAP-CVC-COIN. The CARICOM Secretariat will serve as the Principal Recipient while the Pan Caribbean Partnership against HIV and AIDS (PANCAP), Caribbean Vulnerable Communities Coalition (CVC) and the Integral Orientation and Research Center/Centro de Orientación e Investigación Integral (COIN) will serve as Sub-Recipients. The Caribbean Public Health Agency (CARPHA), PAN American Health Organisation (PAHO) and Centro Nacional de Educación Sexual (CENESEX) in Cuba are Sub-sub-recipients.

The grant, titled “Sustainability of services for key populations in the Caribbean” commenced 1 October 2019 and will end on 30 September 2022.

Men who have sex with men (MSM), Sex workers and Transgender people are direct beneficiaries of the grant which will be shared by ten countries, namely Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Belize, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Suriname and the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago.

Overview	
Sub-Recipients	Sub-Sub-Recipients
PCU (PANCAP Coordinating Unit)	PAHO (PAN American Health Organisation) and CARPHA (Caribbean Public Health Agency)
CVC (Caribbean Vulnerable Communities Coalition)	CMLF (Caribbean Med Labs Foundation) and CRN+ (Caribbean Regional Network of People Living with HIV and AIDS)
COIN (Centro de Orientación e Investigación Integral)	CENESEX (Centro Nacional de Educación Sexual)

Implementation

The project will implement programmes to reduce human rights-related barriers to HIV services such as providing HIV and HIV and TB related legal services.

The project will also provide support for community responses and systems through institutional capacity building, planning and leadership development.

For specific information on interventions by PANCAP, PAHO, CARPHA, CVC - COIN and their SSRs visit the project web page which can be accessed from the PANCAP.org home page.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:

STRATEGIC FOCUS AND MAXIMIZING IMPACT

The Project seeks to address the following key challenges in the regional response: 1) Stagnating new infections, with increasing new infections in some countries and among men. 2) Inadequate progress maintaining People Living with HIV (PLHIV) on treatment and achieving viral suppression. 3) Declining funding for HIV and donor transition. 4) Expanding national programmes to implement Treat All.

GOAL

To provide Sustainable Prevention, Treatment and Care Services for Key Populations in the Caribbean Region

PROGRAMME OBJECTIVES

- 1) To increase domestic resources for effective key population programming.
- 2) To mobilise resources for key population organisations.
- 3) To reduce structural barriers to key population services including stigma and discrimination and gender-based violence.
- 4) To improve knowledge generation and use of Strategic information on key populations for decision-making and advocacy by Communities and other stakeholders.