



Howard University College of Medicine Capitol Region Telehealth Project (HU CRTP)

Case Study for: March 11, 2015 Webinar: “Integration of Mental Health and Substance Abuse into HIV Prevention - Part I”

Case Study #1

Mr. Jones is a 24-year-old single Black male who self identifies as MSM. He has been HIV positive for 6 years. He is adherent to his HIV medication regimen, office and laboratory visits. He admits to smoking marijuana for 8 years and smoking methamphetamine for 2 years.

He is disoriented, but explains to you that he awakened in the back seat of his car this morning, without his pants, anal bleeding and wearing a "cock ring".

In addition, he complains of often hearing, seeing, tasting, feeling, or smelling things that others do not experience and intermittent disorganized speech and behavior.



Case Study #2

Mr. Gomez is a 18-year-old single male. He was first seen at your clinic for PEP. Six months following treatment, he entered into your PrEp Program. He has a history of OG poly drug abuse. Mr. Gomez did not take the PrEp medication when he smoked cocaine. He did not use condoms as part of his prevention strategy. He was diagnosed with HIV 6 months ago. He was placed in foster care at age 8 due to sexual abuse.

