



Howard University College of Medicine Capitol Region Telehealth Project (HU CRTP)
Case Study for: May 6, 2015 Webinar: “Care of Patients with HIV/HBV and HCV/HIV Co-
Infections - Part 1”

Case Study

- Mr. WW is a 61-year-old with HIV infection and Hep C, initial diagnosis of HIV was in 2001; during routine screening in the jail
- The last CD4 counts and viral load was 280; viral load was 1561 respectively performed on Jan. 2013
- Mr. WW hepatitis C discovered after diagnosis of his HIV
- His ex-wife was HCV positive and she advised him to get tested for Hep C. Patient has never been on HCV treatment

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- WW has experienced the following disease complications: candidiasis, eczematous dermatitis, and seborrheic dermatitis
- Pertinent medical history: diabetes, hypertension, COPD, back pain, bipolar disorder, and depression
- WW has severe COPD and is on home oxygen 24/7 for 7 years and has Dyspnea on exertion at 1 block, so his mobility is limited. He has had COPD X 12 yrs
- He is sexually active with one female partner who is also HIV+ on HAART and they don't use condoms

