

ATN 168: HIV and Pregnancy Prevention in Youth (HAPPY) Summary

Study Description

HAPPY is examining the **values and preferences** for a long-acting, multi-purpose prevention **product that would prevent HIV and pregnancy in cisgender women, transgender men, and gender diverse individuals assigned female at birth**. Long-acting products may have an advantage over other products, particularly in young people because they are convenient, discreet and don't require daily use to be effective.

Incorporating end-user preferences for prevention products ensures that the product will be acceptable to users, and therefore **more likely that they will use the product in the future**. Few studies to date in the USA have evaluated end-user preferences for an multi-purpose product, particularly among adolescents and also in trans or non-binary individuals.

Why is this study important?

Data from this study will be **informative for the development of a new multi-purpose injectable product** that could be used for both HIV and pregnancy prevention and could also have menstrual suppression benefits.

Who can participate?

- Ages 15-24
- Cisgender women
- Transgender men and gender diverse people who could potentially bear children

HIV Status

Not living with HIV

Where is the study enrolling?

Baltimore | Johns Hopkins University
Boston | The Fenway Institute
Chicago | Cook County Health
Houston | Baylor University College of Medicine
Los Angeles | Children's Hospital Los Angeles
Memphis | St. Jude Children's Research Hospital
New Orleans | Tulane University
Tampa | University of South Florida

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