



KANSAS CITY MISSOURI

 **HIV PROGRAMS**
Care & Prevention



240561 Ryan White Part A/MAI Final Award

Kansas City Health Department's HIV Services Program

Administrator for The Ryan White Part A/MAI grant

240561 Accepting the final FY24 Ryan White Part A/MAI award from Health Resources Service Administration (HRSA)

- Final Award \$3,200,164.00
- Total Award for FY24= \$4,522,996
(previous award of \$1,322,832 accepted in February 2024)
- Funds provide core medical and support services for low-income individuals living with HIV
 - KCHD Subcontracts with local community-based organizations, hospitals, and clinics for services

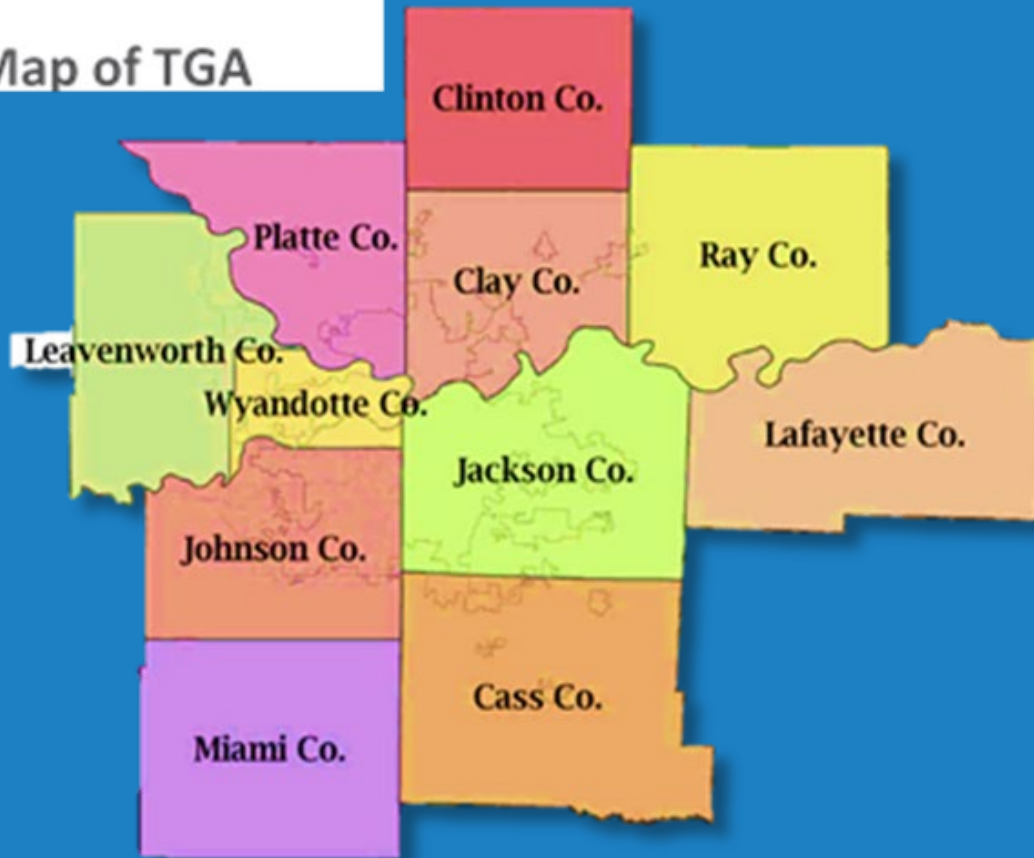
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Ryan White Part A: provides Core Medical and Support Services for PLWH including:

- Medical Case Management
- Ambulatory/Outpatient HIV Care
- Dental Care
- Early Intervention Services (Linkage to Care)
- Health Insurance Premium and Cost Sharing Assistance
- Housing
- Health Education Risk Reduction Services
- Mental Health
- Substance Abuse Services
- Referral for Healthcare Support Services

Figure 1: Map of TGA



Kansas City Transitional Grant Area

- KCMO Health Department Subcontracts with community organizations, hospitals, and clinics to provide Core Medical and Support Services
- 11-County Bi-State geographical region
- Approximately 2,7500 Ryan White Clients served each year
- Integrated Prevention and Care Planning Council to determine use and provide oversight of RW funds

Ryan White's local impact to persons living with HIV shows those in the program have better health outcomes and improved quality of life as demonstrated by:

- **Unmet Medical Need**-documentation of 2 HIV medical care visits per year
- **Viral Load Suppression** –Viral Load labs indicate <200 copies of HIV per milliliter of blood. *individuals living with HIV who are Virally Suppressed cannot transmit HIV to others.

| | Ryan White Enrolled PWH | Overall Population of PWH |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| Unmet Need | 8.1% | 19.9% |
| Viral Load Suppression Rate | 88.2% | 72.3% |

HIV CARE CONTINUUM:

The series of steps a person with HIV takes from initial diagnosis through their successful treatment with HIV medication



UNDETECTABLE = UNTRANSMITTABLE



Minority AIDS Initiative (MAI) funding (\$281,334 for FY24) used to improve access to HIV care and improve health outcomes for racial and ethnic minority populations disproportionately affected by HIV. In the KC-TGA Minority AIDS Initiative populations of focus include:

- Young Men who have Sex with Men (MSM) of Color
- African American Males & Females, Non-MSM, Ages 13-44
- Transgender People of Color

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