



GIRLS 4 HOPE

A Program of AIDS Alliance for Children, Youth & Families

GIRLS 4 HOPE (Health Opportunities, Prevention, and Education) is our HIV prevention capacity building assistance program. Through GIRLS 4 HOPE, AIDS Alliance builds the HIV prevention capacity of community-based organizations that serve African American and Latina teen girls (13-18 years old) at high risk for HIV infection.

GIRLS 4 HOPE services are based on well-researched programs and promising strategies that have been found to help African American and Latina teen girls do the following:

- develop the knowledge and skills they need to make life-long decisions about their sexual health;
- avoid behaviors that place them at risk for HIV and other sexually transmitted infections; and
- make healthy choices that promote their overall health and well-being.

What can GIRLS 4 HOPE do for you?

Through GIRLS 4 HOPE, AIDS Alliance helps community-based organizations connect parenting adults with teen girls to build strong, culturally and linguistically youth-centered HIV prevention programs for African American and Latina teen girls.

The GIRLS 4 HOPE Program provides capacity building assistance that is tailored to the individual needs of community-based organizations. We provide assistance in the following three categories:

- Community-based Organization Staff Professional Development
- Parental Empowerment and Sexual Health Communication
- Adolescent Female Empowerment and Leadership Development for HIV Prevention

Through GIRLS 4 HOPE, your community-based organization can receive free training and resources, as well as ongoing support, coaching, and mentorship to meet the professional development needs of your program staff — all designed to enhance your HIV prevention programs and services for teen girls in your community.

Are you eligible to receive GIRLS 4 HOPE services?

GIRLS 4 HOPE's priority audience is the program staff of community-based organizations that serve African American and Latina teen girls at high risk for HIV infection and their parenting adults.

How can you get GIRLS 4 HOPE services?

It's easy! Just call 202-785-3564 and ask to speak with a GIRLS 4 HOPE staff member. Or, write to info@aids-alliance.org.

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The HOPE Campaign for Youth

GIRLS 4 HOPE is part of the AIDS Alliance HOPE Campaign for Youth. Through the HOPE Campaign, AIDS Alliance seeks to prevent new HIV infections among America's youth and to encourage youth at risk to get tested and get into care. A central focus of this work is building youth leadership for HIV prevention and care and building the capacity of community-based organizations to provide youth with youth-centered, culturally competent HIV prevention and care programs.

About AIDS Alliance

AIDS Alliance for Children, Youth & Families is a national non-profit membership organization. We give voice to the needs of women, children, youth, and families living with, affected by, and at risk for HIV/AIDS. Our vision is that no voice be diminished in spirit or volume because of age, race, gender, sexual orientation, or any other factor. AIDS Alliance accomplishes our mission through education and training, policy analysis and development, product development and dissemination, research, coalition building, and advocacy.

For more information

We invite you to learn more about AIDS Alliance, GIRLS 4 HOPE, and our other programs and services. Give us a call at 202-785-3564 or visit our website at www.aids-alliance.org. You can also write to us at:

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