

## NYS Peer Worker Certification Program Course Tracker Form – HIV Track

Note: You should only use this checklist if you are seeking certification in the **HIV Track**

**Directions:** Use this document to keep track of your progress in completing training toward your HIV Peer Worker Certification.

You may print this document. To track your progress online, log onto your account at [www.hivtrainingny.org](http://www.hivtrainingny.org). On the right sidebar, select “My Courses.”

### Core Training Requirements for all Certified Peer Workers

All applicants must complete at least 68 hours of the Core Required Training below.

Required General Courses: (in-person or online)	In-Person Training Hours	Online/ Webinar Hours	Date of Course	Course Completed
Pre-Certification Training	19.5	19.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Building Bridges to Cultural Humility	6.5	4.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
LGBTQ+ Cultural Competency (LGBTQ+ 101/102 online)	6.5	4.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
From Stigma to Affirmation	6.5	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Health Equity	-	1.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Health Literacy in HIV, STI, and Viral Hepatitis Care	3.0	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Trauma Informed Care 101	6.5	6.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementing a Sex-Positive Approach	13.0	13.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
SafeTALK or <a href="#">LivingWorks: Start (online)*</a>	3.0	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Required Medical Information Courses:</b>				
You <b>must</b> take the in-person “Intro to HIV, STIs & Viral Hep” or take individual courses on HIV, Hepatitis and STIs				
Introduction to HIV, STIs, and Viral Hepatitis	6.5	-		<input type="checkbox"/>
Overview of HIV	-	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Hepatitis C Basics for Peer Workers	-	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
The ABCs of Hepatitis	-	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Introduction to Sexually Transmitted Infections	-	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Counseling Skills:</b> (choose at least two different counseling approaches: HR, MI, or Stage Based)				
Harm Reduction Approach Overview	6.5	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivational Interviewing	6.5	-		<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivational Interviewing Overview	-	0.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivational Interviewing Practice	-	0.75		<input type="checkbox"/>
Overview of Stage-Based Counseling (Using Stages of Change: Assessing HIV/STI Behavior Change online)	6.5	4.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Total In-Person hours:</b>				
<b>Total Online/Webinar hours:</b>				
<b>Add In-person and Online/Webinar hours (must have at least 68 hours)</b>				

The box below is a list of **HIV-specialized training topics**. Not all courses on this page need to be completed and checked off. A minimum of 22 hours is required before applying for certification. When you complete a course, check the box under “Course Completed.”

Training Title	In-Person Training Hours	Online/ Webinar Hours	Date of Course	Course Completed
<b>All applicants for the HIV track must take at least one of the following:</b>				
HIV Peer Worker Role in Patient Navigation	13.0	-		<input type="checkbox"/>
Peer Workers: Promoting Primary Care and Treatment Adherence for HIV	13.0	8.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Choose any of the Specialized Courses below:</b> (Listed in alphabetical order)				
Affirming Sex-Positive Sexual Health for LGBTGNC+ Clients	-	3.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Crystal Meth, MSM & HIV: An Update	13.0	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Engagement in Care Series: Transgender Clients Living with HIV	-	1.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Expanding Employment Opportunities for People Living with HIV in New York	-	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Healthy Sex! Linking Gay Men and MSM to Sexual Health Services	6.5	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
HIV and Hepatitis C Co-Infection Webinar Series	-	3.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
HIV Testing in NYS	-	1.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
HIV Testing Skills Practice Session	3.0 or 6.5	4.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
The Intersection of Sex & Substance Use	-	6.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Impact of HIV on Older Gay Men/MSM	-	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Intro to Co-Occurring Disorders for Clients Living with HIV	6.5	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Older Women Living with HIV: Sex, Health, and Vitality	-	1.5		<input type="checkbox"/>
Prevention Strategies for PLWH	-	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Role of Non-Clinicians in Promoting PrEP	3.5	2.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Safer Injecting and Wound Care	6.5	4.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
Understanding HIV Lab Values	-	1.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Total In-Person Hours:</b>				
<b>Total Online / Webinar Hours:</b>				
<b>GRAND TOTAL (in-person + online)</b> (must have at least 22 hours)				

\* This course is not offered through the AIDS Institute HIV Education and Training website. Please see <https://www.preventsuicideny.org/training-options/> for more information.

Please see LivingWorks: Start course registration instructions here:

<https://www.hivtrainingny.org/Uploads/LivingWorksStartGuidance091422.pdf>