



HIS HEALTH

Grow strong together.

IT IS DEEPLY DISTURBING TO THINK THAT IF YOU ARE BLACK AND GAY, YOU HAVE A 50% CHANCE OF CONTRACTING HIV. BUT WE CAN CHANGE THAT BY WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH BLACK GAY MEN AND HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS. THAT'S WHAT *HIS HEALTH* IS ALL ABOUT.

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## WE ARE

A united community of advocates and healthcare providers passionately committed to **raising the standard of care** for Black gay men.

## WE BELIEVE

That Black gay men are strong, resilient, and deserve care that affirms who they are. But we recognize that **stigma, discrimination, and medical mistrust** are tremendous barriers to good health for too many.

We want to change that.

To remove those barriers, patients, providers, and healthcare leaders must share responsibility for improving Black gay men's health. To restore trust, we must encourage open communication between Black gay men and their healthcare providers.

We **grow strong** when we **work together**.

## WE ENVISION

A world where health disparities among Black gay men are **meaningfully addressed**, and they have access to culturally sensitive care that supports **lifelong wellness**.



# THIS IS HOW WE'LL DO IT

## LISTEN

The best care happens when providers and patients trust and respect each other. But many Black gay/bisexual men who are at risk for, or living with, HIV are wary of providers. Listening is key to developing that vital trust.

*His Health* gives you a head start on that listening process. Black gay/ bisexual men helped develop the program, and their input gives you the inside scoop on how to build

trust and give care that will provide maximum benefit for your patients/clients.

## LEARN

Working closely with field experts, we've developed four nationally accredited continuing medical/nursing education (CME/ CNE) courses that focus on the particular health needs of Black samegender-loving men. The courses will give you the support and tools you need to engage and retain Black gay/bisexual men in quality health care.

*His Health* modules are led by content experts who are also passionate advocates for patient-centered care that recognizes the fullness and resiliency of Black gay men and respects their cultural context. The best part? The courses are free and accessible to the general public at [HisHealth.org](http://HisHealth.org)!

## LEAD

Improving the health of Black gay/bisexual men will take leadership. *His Health* and our featured partners are here to help you develop the skills you need to make a difference in your community.

Training facilitators include staff from:

- Connecting Resources for Urban Sexual Health (Oakland, CA)
- Brothers United + Damien Center (Indianapolis, IA)
- Project Silk (Pittsburgh, PA)
- Connect to Protect (Memphis, TN)

## MEET OUR PARTNERS

*His Health* is proud to partner with the following organizations to accredit and disseminate our training offerings:



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## CME/CNE FACULTY

*His Health* is informed by the Behavioral Clinical Community Advisory Panel, a cohort of clinicians, researchers, and policy experts well versed in the health needs of Black gay men.



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