

Contra Costa County AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)

The AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) provides FDA approved medications to low income individuals in Contra Costa County with HIV/AIDS who have limited or no coverage from private insurance, Medi-Cal or Medicare.

ADAP covers some or all of the cost associated with medications commonly used to treat HIV/AIDS and complications related to the disease.

The benefits will remain in effect as long as you meet the eligibility requirements and annual requirements for recertification.

To be medically eligible, you must have a diagnosis of HIV/AIDS.

Call the AIDS Program at (925)313-6771 for more information about any of these programs.

Our goal is to serve people with HIV in a variety of ways by connecting HIV+ people with the resources they need to access medical care and stay as healthy and independent as possible.

Other HIV/AIDS resources available in Contra Costa County

Medical Social Workers assist people with HIV by addressing their most immediate needs and connecting them with ongoing medical case management services.

Medical Case Management

Case Managers encourage and support client's with their clinical treatment plan, promote medical adherence and provide referrals to services such as behavioral health care, food, housing and transportation.

Prevention with Positives (PWP)

Helps people with HIV make a plan to prevent transmission of HIV to others while maintaining their own health.

HIV Disclosure Assistance/ Partner Services

Helps you talk with your partner about your HIV status.

Needle Exchange

One for one needle exchange is available at locations throughout the County. Contact the needle exchange for times and locations at 510-236-8122.



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*ADAP is a CA State
program for people living
with HIV/AIDS*



**ADAP can pay part
or the full cost of
your HIV
medications**



Do you qualify?

You are eligible for ADAP if you meet **all** of these qualifications:

- You are HIV+
- You live in California
- You are at least 18 years of age
- You have a prescription for an ADAP covered prescription medication that is written by a licensed California provider
- You are not fully covered by Medi-Cal for the cost of your medications
- You have limited, or no prescription drug benefit from another source.
- You have an annual Federal Adjusted Gross Income (FAGI) of less than \$50,000
- You have proof of California residency and income for your initial intake application and each subsequent annual renewal.
- You are not eligible for the Low Income Health Program.

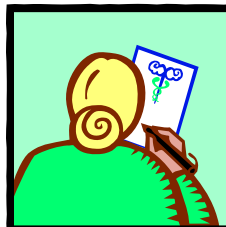
How do I apply for ADAP?

Call the Contra Costa Health Department HIV/AIDS STD Program at 925-313-6771 and request to speak to an ADAP Enrollment Worker.

The Enrollment Worker will make an appointment with you to explain the program, review your documentation and complete the intake to enroll you in the program.

Some important things to remember about your eligibility for ADAP:

- To remain eligible for ADAP, you must always meet the financial eligibility requirements, so you must re-certify for the program annually.
- If your income increases above 400% of Federal Poverty level, but remains lower than \$50,000 you will still be eligible for ADAP but may have a co-payment.
- If you do not have all the necessary documents for your ADAP application, you may be eligible for a 30 day access to prescription benefits. You must provide any documents that are missing within 30 days of your application date.



Where can I get medications?

All major pharmacy chains and many independent pharmacies welcome ADAP payment for more than 180 prescription drugs.



For more information on these and other services, contact the Contra Costa HIV/AIDS & STD Program.

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