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## AT A GLANCE:

### The San Antonio AIDS Foundation

- Founded in 1986, the San Antonio AIDS Foundation is the oldest and largest HIV/AIDS service organization in San Antonio and South Texas.
- SAAF's mission: To prevent the spread of HIV and provide comprehensive services to individuals affected by HIV/AIDS.
- SAAF's vision: A community free of HIV.
- SAAF serves 12 South Texas counties:
  - Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Frio, Gillespie, Guadalupe, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, Medina, Wilson.
- SAAF provides a wide range of services at no cost to more than 30,000 people a year:
  - **Free HIV and other STD testing to nearly 6,000 people annually.**
    - SAAF's Testing Services Office at 333 S. Hackberry Street. Free testing is provided six days a week, with extended hours on Tuesdays and limited weekend hours every Saturday.
    - SAAF's mobile testing unit - the first in San Antonio - brings STD testing services to vulnerable areas of the community and to college campuses.
    - We offer a finger-stick test which provides results in 60 seconds; SAAF also offers a rapid syphilis test with 10-minute results
    - Anyone 13 years of age or older can get tested without parental consent
  - **Clinical Programs:**
    - The Care Clinic at SAAF (Ryan White-funded outpatient clinic for people living with HIV)
    - Oral health referrals.
    - Behavioral health services
    - Onsite pharmacy
  - **Case management** at 818 Grayson Street serves approximately 2,000 people per year to connect clients to needed resources: housing, prescription assistance, doctors' appointments and medications/treatments adherence, applications for financial assistance and more.



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- **"You're the Cure"** is a United Way funded HIV/STD prevention education program. The program serves youth ages 11-18 in 11 school districts in and around Bexar County and reaches more than 20,000 people per year. We also work with drug treatment programs, adult and juvenile correctional facilities and vocational schools. In addition to the prevention education, we provide an Advocate which is a person living with HIV/AIDS to share their personal story about what it's like living with the virus.
- **Nourishing SAAF Hot Meal Program** offering three free hot meals a day, 365 days a year, to anyone in the community who is HIV-positive and who obtains a SAAF meal card through case management.
  - More than 43,000 hot meals were served in 2015
  - More than 2,000 packages of groceries are handed out each year, one day/month, as a part of our mobile pantry program, in partnership with the San Antonio Food Bank.
- **Carson House transitional housing facility**, which can house up to 20 people at any time.
  - Carson House is a 90-day housing program for HIV-positive homeless people.
  - Carson House is LGBT-friendly and is the only shelter in the city that houses transgender adults according to their self-identified gender.
  - Clients learn to develop a budget, apply for jobs, and develop life/work skills while applying for stable housing.
- SAAF's services are made possible with the help of a variety of funders and community partners. Major supporters/funders include:
  - Ryan White funding from Health Resources Service Administration, through Bexar County Department of Community Resources
  - The United Way
  - The City of San Antonio
  - University Health System
  - Texas Department of State Health Services
  - Many other corporate, foundation and private sources, such as Valero Energy Corporation, Frost Bank, Wells Fargo Foundation, Broadway Cares, MAC AID/Nordstrom.

