Home Test to Treat- Communications Toolkit



Purpose of the Toolkit

The purpose of this toolkit and guide is to support partners and collaborators with key information and resources about the <u>Home Test To Treat Program</u>.

Organizations and institutions are welcome to personalize communication templates or contextualize the content as needed to address specific audiences as needed. Please feel free to contact the Community Engagement team with any questions at: <u>ceteam@venturewell.org</u> and <u>tisrael@venturewell.org</u>.

Key Programmatic Talking Points

Talking points can inform both discussions with those interested in the program as well as inform creation of any additional materials.

Program

- Home Test to Treat is a partnership between the NIH Rapid Acceleration of Diagnostics (RADx® Tech) program, NIBIB, ASPR, CDC, eMed and UMass Chan Medical School.
- Individuals can enroll on the website (test2treat.org) or via phone 1-800-682-2829
- The program is expected to operate until spring 2024.
- In addition to an overall plan to evaluate the program, there is an additional optional research component run by UMass Chan Medical School.
- NIBIB supports Home Test to Treat through the RADx Tech program under contract #75N92022D00010 with additional support from CDC and ASPR.

Eligibility

- For those who are uninsured or enrolled in Medicare, Medicaid, VA healthcare or Indian Health Services:
 - Do not need to have COVID-19 or flu to sign up
 - Are eligible for free at-home COVID/flu tests
 - If testing positive, participants can receive free telehealth care and treatment for COVID-19 and/or flu, if prescribed
- For those who are privately insured or have employer-sponsored healthcare:
 - \circ $\;$ Eligible to enroll with a current positive COVID-19 and/or flu test $\;$
 - Can receive free telehealth care and treatment for COVID-19 and/or flu, if prescribed
 - Those with employer-sponsored or private insurance are not currently eligible to receive free tests
- Identification is not required to enroll.

Research Goals:

• A key aim of this program is to better understand how technologies such as at- home tests and telemedicine can improve healthcare access for individuals across the country.

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- A major goal is to increase testing and treatment equity in vulnerable populations and those who have limited access to healthcare.
- Findings will be used to inform future public health programs for the American people.
- Data shared with UMass Chan Medical School are limited to what is needed to evaluate the program and will be de-identified (not linked to individual program participants).

Newsletter / Listserv Blurb

The language below (available in English and Spanish) can be included in a newsletter or listserv message to describe the program.

English

<u>The Home Test to Treat</u> program provides access to free COVID-19 and flu telehealth visits and treatment for anyone who tests positive for either condition. Treatment can be shipped to you or picked up at a local pharmacy at no cost for those eligible. Individuals who are uninsured, enrolled in Medicare, Medicaid, IHS, or VA Healthcare can sign up today and receive free at-home COVID19/flu tests even if they are not currently positive. Regardless of insurance status, anyone with a current positive COVID-19 test may enroll for free telehealth treatment.

To learn more and register for this free program go to www.test2treat.org or call 1-800-682-2829.

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Spanish

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Para aprender mas visite <u>www.test2treat.org</u> o llame al 1-800-682-2829

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Flyers

Flyers are linked below (in English and Spanish). These can be printed or included in online materials.

Access flyers here.

Social Media Language

Suggested Social Media Post Copy (English/Spanish)

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Social Media Graphics

Social media (square) graphics, sized 1080x1080, are linked below in English and Spanish. We recommend posting these as a set of three as each image contains different information about the program.

Home Test to Treat Social Media Graphics (English/Spanish) *note: this is a .zip file with 6 images included.