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City of Palmetto
Information Paper
on
Workshop Agenda Item
HIV/AIDS Update
February 4, 2008

Briefer: Kristen Pate, HIV/AIDS Outreach Coordinator for Manatee County

Background: Ms. Pate previously gave an update to City Commission on March 15, 2004 on the results of a study on the prevalence of HIV in Palmetto and Bradenton communities. She would like to give Commission an update on the situation in Palmetto; areas most affected, etc.

Manatee County Health Department is looking for an outreach site in Palmetto and will be working with staff to identify a site.

On Saturday, February 9, 2008, there will be an HIV awareness event at the Boys and Girls Club of Palmetto at 9:00 am. A group will meet prior to the event at Sutton Park at 8:15 am and walk over to the Boys and Girls Club on 10th St. W. Commissioners and members of the public are invited to participate.