

# Increasing Access to Title X Services for Males Agency Assessment



Providing sexual and reproductive health (SRH) services to males is a core component of the Title X Program and the [Quality Family Planning Recommendations \(QFP\)](#). Use this assessment to gauge your agency’s readiness to serve male clients. Convene a mix of clinical services providers and non-clinical staff to discuss and document responses to this assessment so that multiple perspectives are represented. Then use the [Increasing Access to Title X Services for Males Staff Discussion Guide](#) to spark conversation about your agency’s strengths and opportunities for improvement.

This resource is part of the [Increasing Access to Title X Services for Males Toolkit](#). In this toolkit, “male” refers to people assigned male at birth. It’s important to keep in mind that there are many people whose gender identity does not match their assigned sex at birth. This means that some people who don’t identify as male may be seen for “male” SRH services.

## Clinical services offered

	Describes us well	Almost there	Just getting started	Does not describe us
We provide <b>contraceptive services</b> for males in accordance with national guidelines as outlined by the <a href="#">QFP</a> .				
We provide <b>basic infertility services</b> for males in accordance with national guidelines as outlined by the <a href="#">QFP</a> .				
We provide <b>preconception health services</b> for males in accordance with national guidelines as outlined by the <a href="#">QFP</a> .				
We provide <b>STD services</b> for males in accordance with national guidelines as outlined by the <a href="#">QFP</a> .				
We regularly evaluate our services to ensure they meet male clients’ needs.				

## Policies and procedures

	Describes us well	Almost there	Just getting started	Does not describe us
Our mission statement is inclusive of male clients.				
Our policies, procedures, and protocols are inclusive of male clients and services.				
Our job descriptions include expectations that staff provide services to males.				

## Clinic environment

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Our clinic or agency name does not exclude male clients.				
Our clinic literature, forms, educational and promotional materials, and website are inclusive of and reflect serving male clients.				

## Workforce development

	Describes us well	Almost there	Just getting started	Does not describe us
We train all staff on foundational concepts and skills related to providing male services.				
We train providers in evidence-based practices for serving males.				
We regularly assess staff training needs related to serving males.				
Our new staff orientation includes expectations for providing services to males.				
Our staff performance evaluations include an assessment of male service delivery.				
Males are represented on our staff.				

## Input and feedback

	Describes us well	Almost there	Just getting started	Does not describe us
Males are represented on our project advisory groups (e.g., I&E advisory committee, community advisory board, youth advisory board).				
We recruit current and potential male clients to give feedback (e.g., through focus groups and patient satisfaction surveys).				

## Referral networks and community partnerships

	Describes us well	Almost there	Just getting started	Does not describe us
We identify and engage with community partners and referral agencies that have experience providing services to males, including specialized sexual and reproductive health (SRH) services, primary care, behavioral health care, and social services.				
We have MOUs or documented referral agreements in place with community and referral partners that provide services relevant to male clients.				

## Promotion of male services

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Our staff encourage female clients to discuss male SRH services with the males in their lives (i.e., in-reach).				
Our staff promote male SRH services to males who come into the clinic for another reason (e.g., STI testing, accompanying another client).				
Our clinic conducts outreach to potential male clients.				
Our clinic promotes male SRH services through community events, at male-serving agencies, and to community partners who might refer males to us.				