

ACCT



Access Care of Coastal Texas, Inc.
Education, testing, care and support services for HIV-affected residents in
Galveston, Brazoria & Matagorda Counties
July 2017

**HUGE Thank you to KGBC Galveston Radio 101.5 FM
and 1540AM for promoting the 2017 National HIV
Testing Day June 27 at Rumor's Beach Bar on
Seawall Blvd. 10 am to 4 pm
Free HIV Testing by ACCT and the Galveston County
Health District.
Know Your Status**



Mark and Mark at KGBC
On "Breakfast With Tiffany"

HIV TESTING AT ACCT

ACCT offers free confidential HIV testing every
day Monday – Thursday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. and
Friday 9 a.m. – noon at 707 23rd Street in
Galveston.

BINGO WITH MISTY

Misty will be having another Bingo fundraiser for
ACCT on Saturday, July 8th from 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. at
ACCT 707 23rd St. Participants will get 4 cards for
\$15 with free hot dogs and Picadillo (hamburger
with potatoes). See you there!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Lee's Art Lesson this month will be on
Thursday, June 8th at 11 a.m. Come join
the fun!
- The Houston Volunteer Lawyers will be
here on Thursday, July 20th at 9 a.m.
Please call to make an appointment.

- ACCT will be closed for a floating holiday
on Monday, July 3rd and Tuesday the 4th
for the 4th of July!

POSITIVE WOMEN'S GROUP

The ladies of ACCT have formed a new support
group for women. A positive and uplifting safe
place to inspire, encourage and educate. Please
come join us every 4th Thursday at 12:45, right
after lunch. Join the fun!

ACCT OUTREACH

Mark H. is the Outreach Coordinator and does
free HIV testing around the counties. Outreach
in April will be as follows:

- Tuesday, July 11th at LaFitte's from
8 p.m – 10p.m.
- Wednesday, July 12th at Rumors from
5 p.m – 7 p.m.
- Thursday, July 13th at 23rd St. Station
from 8 - 10 p.m.
- Friday, July 14th at J.'s Place from
8 – 10 p.m.

HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES FOR AIDS WAIT-LIST

Beginning June 1, 2017, ACCT will begin accepting applications for the HOPWA/TBRA long term Housing program. Applications will be available in the Lobby of ACCT.

Please note that ACCT CURRENTLY DOES NOT HAVE FUNDING FOR ADDITIONS TO THE CURRENT TBRA PROGRAM AT THIS TIME, nor have we received any information that this is likely to change this reality during the current grant cycle. We are implementing this list to not only be prepared for any positive changes in funding from the City of Houston and/or Housing and Urban Development (HUD), but also to show the need for more funding being allocated into our area based on the needs of our population.

BERING DENTAL

Bering trips will again be on the 1st and 3rd Friday each month. Bering requires you to make your own appointment so call the clinic at 713-524-7933. Tell them that you will be using ACCT for transportation. Any questions, call Darron at ACCT for help. Dental hygiene is the basis of good health!

SUPPORT GROUP

The HIV Support Group for individuals meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 12:45. Open to everyone in the community affected or effected by HIV.

"FRIENDS FEEDING FRIENDS"

We serve clients and a guest lunch every Thursday at noon. It is \$100 to sponsor a lunch, and we feed approximately 50 people each week. If you would like to donate a lunch, cook or help

out, please call ACCT at 409-763-2437 to volunteer.

YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

- Our trusty Newsletter team Eve, Nathan, Carol and stamper Joe!
- Tideway for the coool chicken salad sandwiches!
- Janssen for the great chicken & beef fajitas and ALL the fix'ins!
- Galveston Island Humane Society for donating cat & dog food, cat litter & animal toys!

Thank You!

Anna Latham
J. Barry Shaw
Douglas Stark & Michael Clark
Robert Steele
U.U.s

For
Clothes, Accessories, Appliances. Cat & Dog
Food, Office Supplies & Hygiene

WISH LIST

- We are still accepting "gently" used clothing, shoes and clothes hangers.
- Pet food is always welcome for our client's cats and dogs.
- Cleaning supplies for our clients especially antibacterial soaps and bleach.
- Books for our lending library.



JULY 2017



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 AA Meets 7:00 PM	3 ACCT CLOSED	4 ACCT CLOSED HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!	5 Pantry 11-3 AA Meets 8:00 PM	6 Lunch Noon HIV support group	7 Avenue 360 Trip	8 Misty's BINGO! 1-5 PM
9 AA Meets 7:00 PM	10 Pantry 11-3	11 Pantry 11-3	12 Pantry 11-3 AA Meets 8:00 PM	13 Tideway does lunch! ART CLASS!	14	15
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