

## **FOCUS GROUP QUESTIONS WITH AFRICAN AMERICAN MEN**

1. *What is the impact that you think HIV/AIDS has on African American MSMs today? How is that impact different for heterosexual African American men?*
2. *Where do you go or have gone to get tested for HIV?*
3. *What are some barriers that may prohibit African American MSMs from getting tested for HIV?*
4. *What are some factors that may influence African American MSMs to get tested for HIV?*
5. *If so, what makes it difficult for African American MSMs to discuss HIV testing with friends, family, partners? Why?*
6. *What role does mental health issues (i.e., depression, self-esteem, anxiety) play in HIV testing among African American MSMs?*
7. *What impact does stigma has HIV testing behaviors among African American MSMs?*

## **IRB QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

1. Type of document (survey, FG guide, key informant guide, consent form, etc.)
  - Focus Group Guide
2. What is the purpose of it?
  - To gather qualitative data using semi-structured questions that focus on HIV testing behaviors among a group of African Americans MSMs enrolled at HBCUs.
3. What is the target population(s)?
  - African American MSMs enrolled at HBCUs
4. What is the target number of individuals to take part in the survey/interview?
  - 8
5. Is this form finalized or still a draft?
  - Yes, it is finalized

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