



Role: Patient

You are a 24-year-old with no known medical history. You are coming to the clinic to receive the results of HIV testing. You have only had two lifetime sexual partners and are not anticipating a positive result. When told you tested positive for HIV at first you don't believe the results, and then you are angry and scared.



Role: Provider

Demonstrate how to support an individual newly diagnosed with HIV, with the aim of improving linkage to care and rapid ART initiation for all patients.

- If your profession's scope of practice includes informing a patient of their positive test result, you should role-play disclosing the new HIV diagnosis and post-test counseling.
- If disclosing a positive HIV test result is outside your profession's scope of practice, you should role-play how to support a patient's ability to link to care and start ART immediately after being informed of her HIV diagnosis.