The AIDS Institute is excited to announce that the **Congenital Syphilis Elimination Framework,** developed by the Congenital Syphilis Elimination Strategic Planning Group, is now posted [here](#)! The Framework outlines the vision of forty-three (43) New York State community members to eliminate congenital syphilis throughout the State with immediate and long-term support for all impacted groups. It also highlights the persistent disparities in syphilis rates and congenital syphilis for Black females compared to White females. The Framework, which is a summary of The Group's work from its inception in 2023 through 2024, demonstrates the aligned efforts of New Yorkers working to address rising rates of congenital syphilis.

We see this Framework as a starting point to work together and engage with our partners towards implementation. Our first step is to host a series of **Discussion Forums** to present the community response to eliminating congenital syphilis and would love for you and your network to be part of it.

This is a space where we will:

- Share the Congenital Syphilis Elimination Strategic Planning Group's processes.
- Provide an overview of the prioritized and general recommendations included in the Elimination Framework.
- Discuss opportunities for collaboration from you/your organization and/or other collaborators identified as a partner in implementing the recommendations.
- Hear from you about the feasibility of implementing some of these recommendations.

Joining is simple—just click the link below to sign up and start engaging:

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