TOGETHER WE CAN ELIMINATE VIRAL HEPATITIS



Mission

To eliminate viral hepatitis in the United States and improve the lives of those affected through advocacy, education, and support to national, state and local partners.

2021-2023 STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

Strategic Direction

The National Viral Hepatitis Roundtable aims to support a comprehensive and integrated response to viral hepatitis in the United States by centering the voices of people with lived experience, fighting for equitable access to viral hepatitis prevention and care, and advocating for fully funded state and federal elimination plans.

OBJECTIVE 1.

Lead the viral hepatitis community in elimination advocacy efforts

Track, analyze, and disseminate emerging leadership, innovation, and best practices in state, local, tribal, and regional elimination planning and implementation.

Provide support, guidance, and feedback to community, clinical, and public health partners on elimination strategies.

Advocate for **robust federal commitments in resources**, **leadership, and policy** to expedite and accelerate elimination goals.

Increase awareness of and demand for viral hepatitis prevention, testing, and treatment, particularly in settings where people are most effectively served.

OBJECTIVE 2.

Expand the reach and leverage the power of our grassroots advocacy network

Broaden and diversify our network of informed, engaged patient and provider advocates.

Increase the capacity, reach, and effectiveness of viral hepatitis advocacy through **mentoring**, **networking**, and coalition building.

Provide timely, actionable updates to our network on advocacy issues and opportunities.

Amplify efforts to **combat stigma and discrimination** against people living with viral hepatitis.

OBJECTIVE 3.

Strengthen our national coalition and strategic partnerships

Expand advocacy efforts to remove barriers to treatment access.

Increase collaboration with partner organizations to

effectively serve disproportionately impacted populations, advance health equity, and address social determinants of health.

Ensure integration and alignment of viral hepatitis elimination strategies into **comprehensive drug user health initiatives** across harm reduction, treatment, and recovery.

Engage a broad range of

stakeholders on shared priorities and aligned values through relevant and engaging communications.