

# Listening Session to Inform the 2026-2030 National HIV/AIDS Strategy and National Strategic Plans for STIs, Viral Hepatitis, and Vaccines

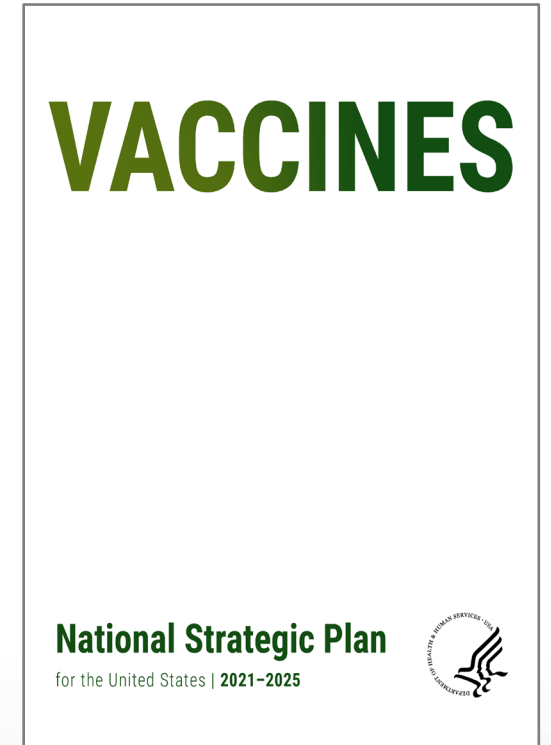
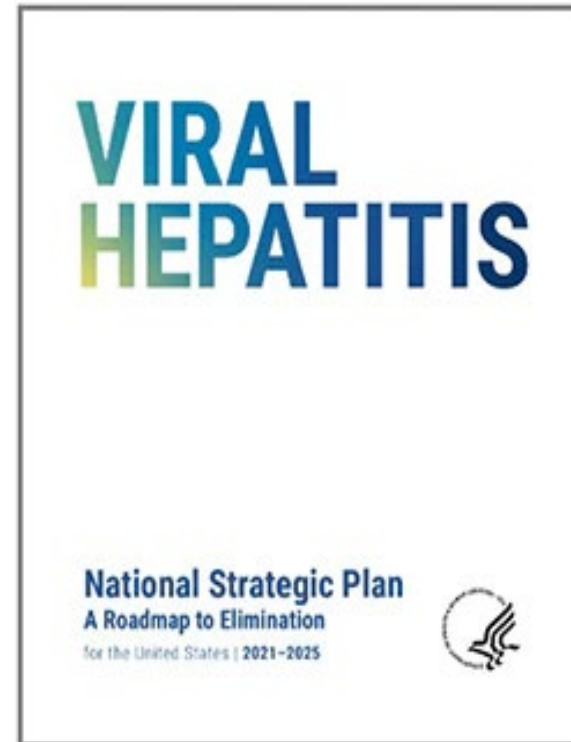
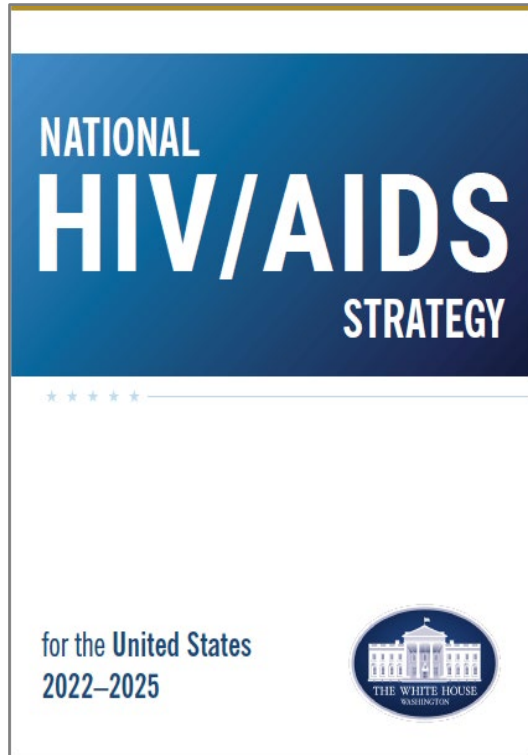
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# Purpose of Listening Session: Informing Next Editions of 4 National Strategies for 2026-2030

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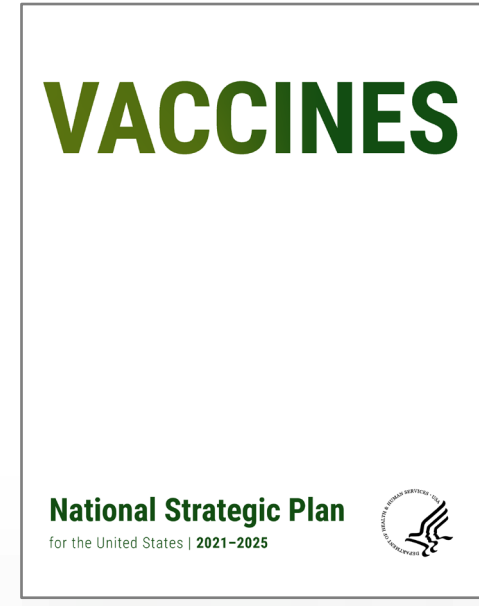
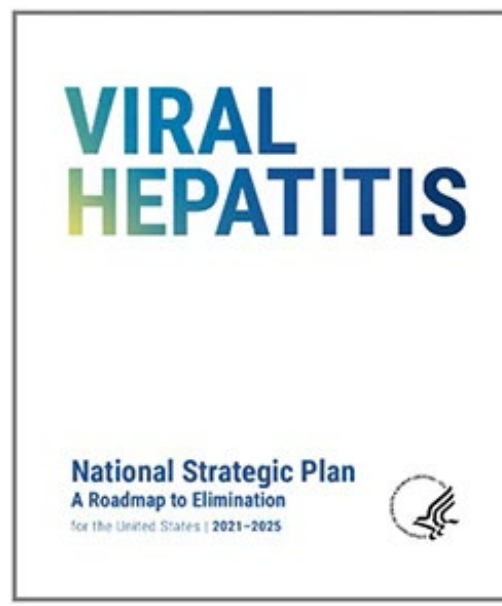
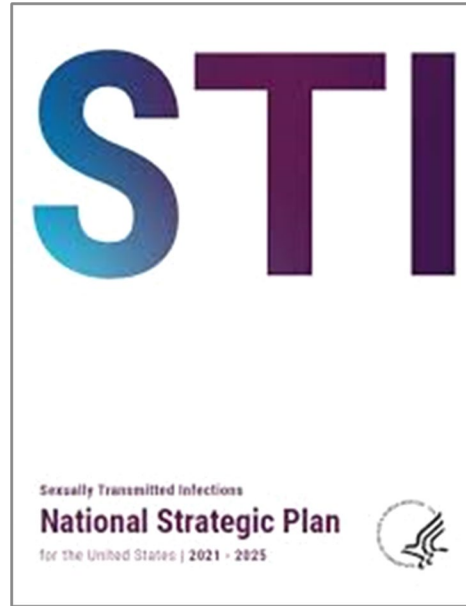
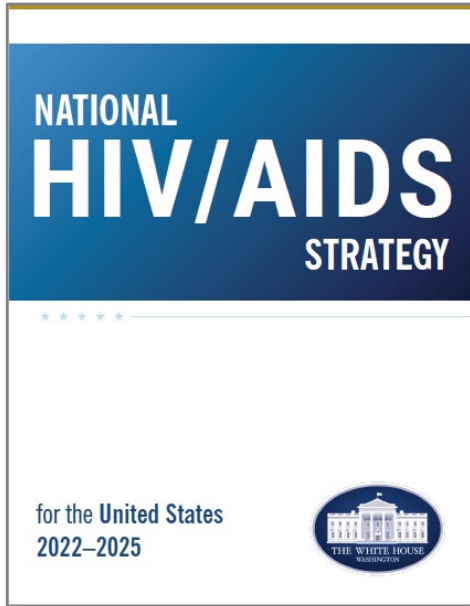
# Visions of the NHAS & National Strategic Plans

| National HIV/AIDS Strategy  | STI National Strategic Plan  | Viral Hepatitis National Strategic Plan   | Vaccine National Strategic Plan  |
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| <p>The United States will be a place where new HIV infections are prevented, every person knows their status, and every person with HIV has high-quality care and treatment, lives free from stigma and discrimination, and can achieve their full potential for health and well-being across the lifespan.</p> <p>This vision includes all people, regardless of age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, religion, disability, geographic location, or socioeconomic circumstance.</p> | <p>The United States will be a place where sexually transmitted infections are prevented and where every person has high-quality STI prevention, care, and treatment while living free from stigma and discrimination.</p> <p>This vision includes all people, regardless of age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, religion, disability, geographic location, or socioeconomic circumstance.</p> | <p>The United States will be a place where new viral hepatitis infections are prevented, every person knows their status, and every person with viral hepatitis has high-quality health care and treatment and lives free from stigma and discrimination.</p> <p>This vision includes all people, regardless of age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, religion, disability, geographic location, or socioeconomic circumstance.</p> | <p>The United States will be a place where vaccine-preventable diseases are eliminated through safe and effective vaccination over the lifespan.</p> |

# Goals of the NHAS and National Strategic Plans

| National HIV/AIDS Strategy   | STI National Strategic Plan  | Hepatitis National Strategic Plan   | Vaccine National Strategic Plan   |
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| 1: Prevent New HIV Infections  | 1: Prevent New STIs  | 1: Prevent New Viral Hepatitis Infections   | 1: Foster innovation in vaccine development and related technologies          |
| 2: Improve HIV-Related Health Outcomes of People with HIV  | 2: Improve the Health of People by Reducing Adverse Outcomes of STIs     | 2: Improve Viral Hepatitis-Related Health Outcomes of People with Viral Hepatitis   | 2: Maintain the highest levels of vaccine safety                              |
| 3: Reduce HIV-Related Disparities and Health Inequities  | 3: Accelerate Progress in STI Research, Technology, and Innovation       | 3: Reduce Viral Hepatitis-Related Disparities and Health Inequities   | 3: Increase knowledge of and confidence in routinely recommended vaccines     |
| 4: Achieve Integrated, Coordinated Efforts That Address the HIV Epidemic among All Partners and Interested Parties | 4: Reduce STI-Related Health Disparities and Health Inequities           | 4: Improve Viral Hepatitis Surveillance and Data Usage  | 4: Increase access to and use of all routinely recommended vaccines           |
|  | 5: Achieve Integrated, Coordinated Efforts That Address the STI Epidemic | 5: Achieve Integrated, Coordinated Efforts That Address the Viral Hepatitis Epidemics among All Partners and Stakeholders | 5: Protect the health of the nation by supporting global immunization efforts |

# Learn More



## Listening Session Instructions

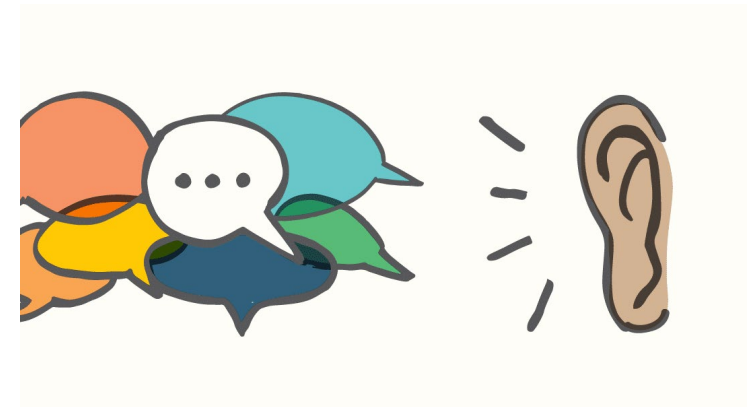
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Please say your name and organization where you work as part of your comment.

Please keep your comments to 3 minutes or less,

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## Questions

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- How does your organization use the Strategic Plans?
  - **In what ways can the Strategic Plans be improved to facilitate implementation of the Strategic Plans' goals, objectives, and strategies within organizational activities?**

## Viral Hepatitis-specific Questions

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- What barriers and solutions should be addressed to reduce acute hepatitis C infections?
- What barriers and solutions should be addressed to reduce hepatitis B-related deaths?



## HIV-specific Question

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- What innovative approaches or partnerships could be integrated into the National HIV/AIDS Strategy to accelerate HIV-related health equity in prevention and care, particularly for populations historically underserved?

## General Questions

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- What is working well with any of these national strategic plans?
- What additions or changes should be considered to further accelerate progress toward their goals in the subsequent editions of these strategic plans?

## Syndemic Questions

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- How could the HIV, STI, Viral Hepatitis, and Vaccines National Strategic Plans be better integrated with each other to strengthen syndemic approaches?

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**Additional Comments?**

## Next Steps

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### October – December 2024

#### Additional opportunities for public comment

- Virtual listening sessions
- Request for Information inviting online comments



### January – December 2025

- Federal partners collaborate to draft, review, revise, and finalize the next NHAS and National Strategic Plans for STIs, Viral Hepatitis, and Vaccines
- Publish strategies



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