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### **Free HIV Counseling & Testing in Union Square Park on National HIV Testing Day**

**UNION SQUARE** – Community Healthcare Network will offer free HIV counseling and testing in Union Square Park on National HIV Testing Day on Wednesday, June 27.

From 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. on June 27 CHN’s mobile health unit will be in Union Square, near Park Avenue and 16<sup>th</sup> Street, offering free, confidential HIV counseling and testing. Test results are available in as little as 20 minutes!

National HIV Testing Day is an annual campaign produced by the National Association of People with AIDS to encourage individuals to receive voluntary HIV counseling and testing.

“With the CDC estimating that more than 1,000,000 people in the U.S. are now living with HIV/AIDS and approximately 25 percent unaware of their status, CHN is committed to providing free HIV counseling and testing on this special day and throughout the year,” said Catherine M. Abate, CHN president and CEO.

For additional information call (646)296-1122 or email [hivtest@chnnyc.org](mailto:hivtest@chnnyc.org)

#### **About CHN:**

Community Healthcare Network (CHN) is a not-for-profit organization providing access to affordable, culturally-competent and comprehensive community-based primary care, mental health and social services for diverse populations in underserved communities throughout New York City. CHN serves more than 60,000 individuals a year who would otherwise have little or no access to critical health care. CHN is composed of eight centers, two mobile health units, and satellite clinic at Brooklyn’s Red Hook Community Justice Center. To learn more about CHN visit our website at [www.chnnyc.org](http://www.chnnyc.org).

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