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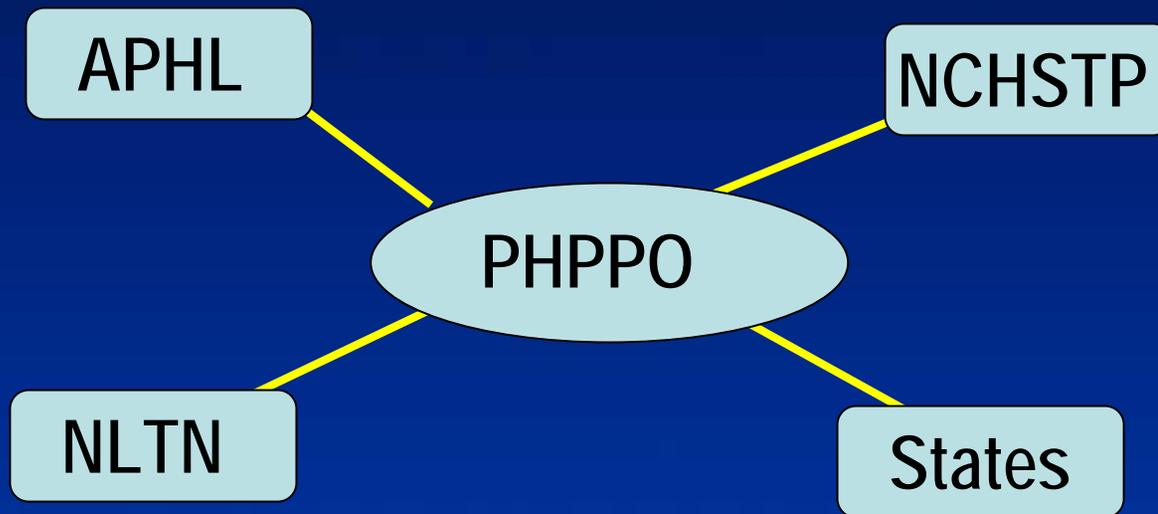
CDC HIV Rapid Test Training: A Collaborative Effort

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OraQuick® Rapid HIV Test

- Train counselors to perform a laboratory test safely



Examples of Sites Offering Rapid HIV Test

- **STD clinics**
- **Counseling & Testing sites**
- **Correctional facilities**
- **Drug treatment programs**
- **Mobile vans serving high-risk communities**
- **Community health centers**
- **Community based organizations**
- **Hospitals**
- **Youth health clinics**
- **Homeless shelters**
- **Other outreach settings**



Gay & Lesbian Center

STD Clinic



Homeless Shelters



Phase I

- **Developed course**
- **Scheduled/logistics/supplies**
- **Identified DLS staff to train**
- **Trained DLS staff**
- **Delivered training**

- **Identified external trainers**
- **Awarded contract**

Fundamentals of HIV Rapid Test Performance

- Introduction to Rapid HIV Testing
- Universal Precautions & Fingerstick
- Quality Assurance & OraQuick[®] Test Procedure
- HIV Prevention Counseling
- Role Play “Putting it all together”

Unit One



Unit Two

Universal Precautions and Fingertick Procedure

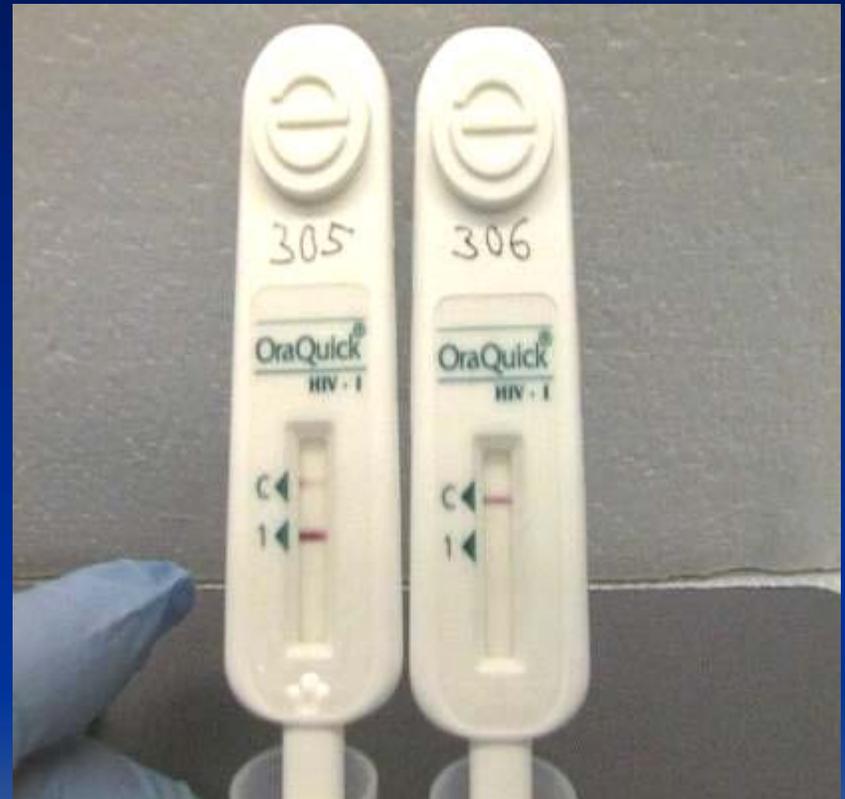


Test Procedure



Unit Three

Quality Assurance for OraQuick[®]



Unit Four

Counseling



Unit Five

Role Playing



Role Playing

Observing Role Playing



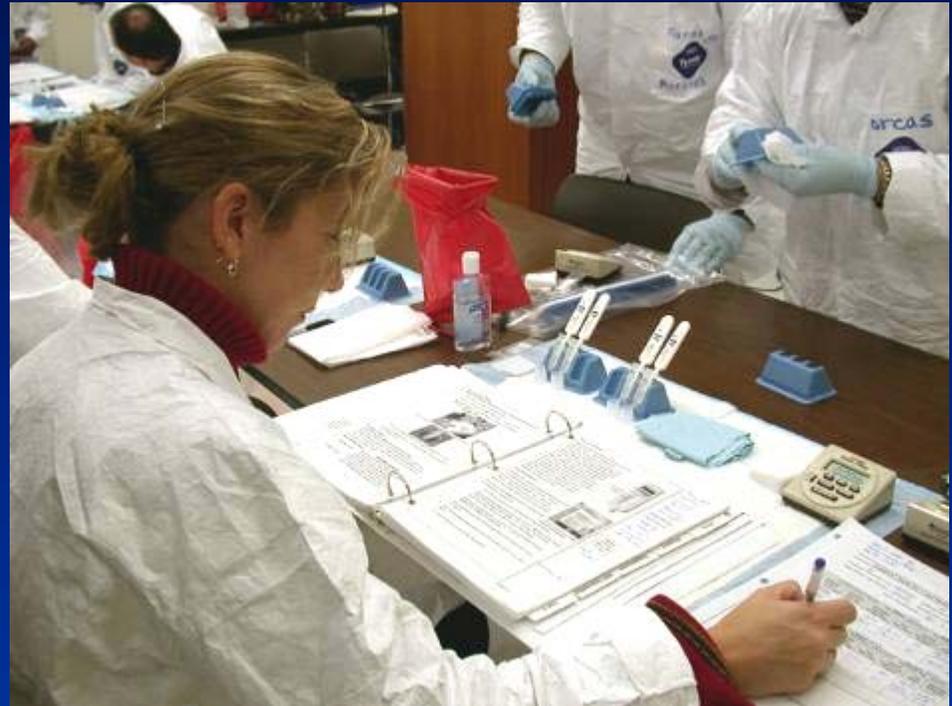


Training Locations



Phase I Accomplishments

- **Trained 364 participants in 20 states**
- **Positive feedback from participants**



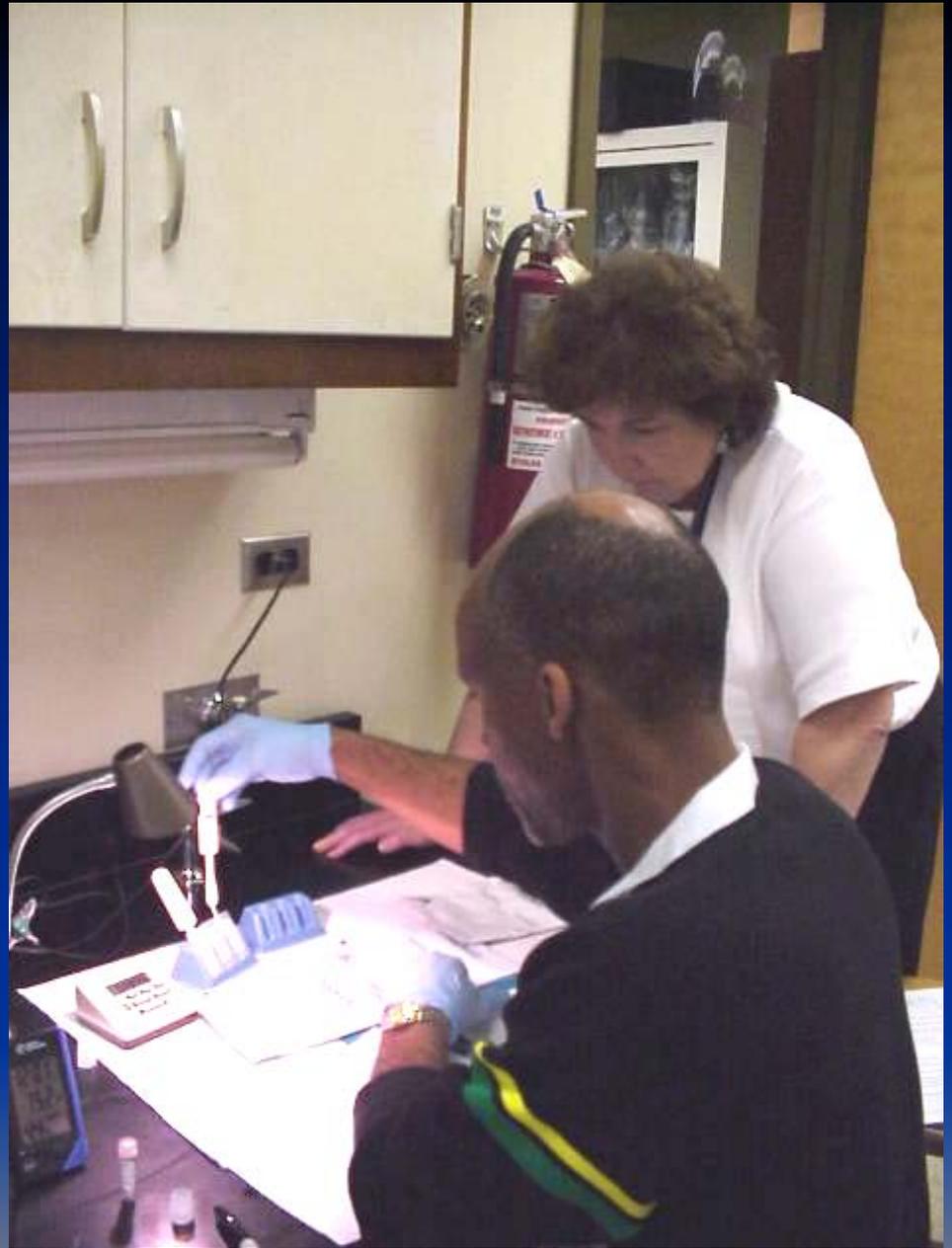
99% were confident they could perform the fingerstick



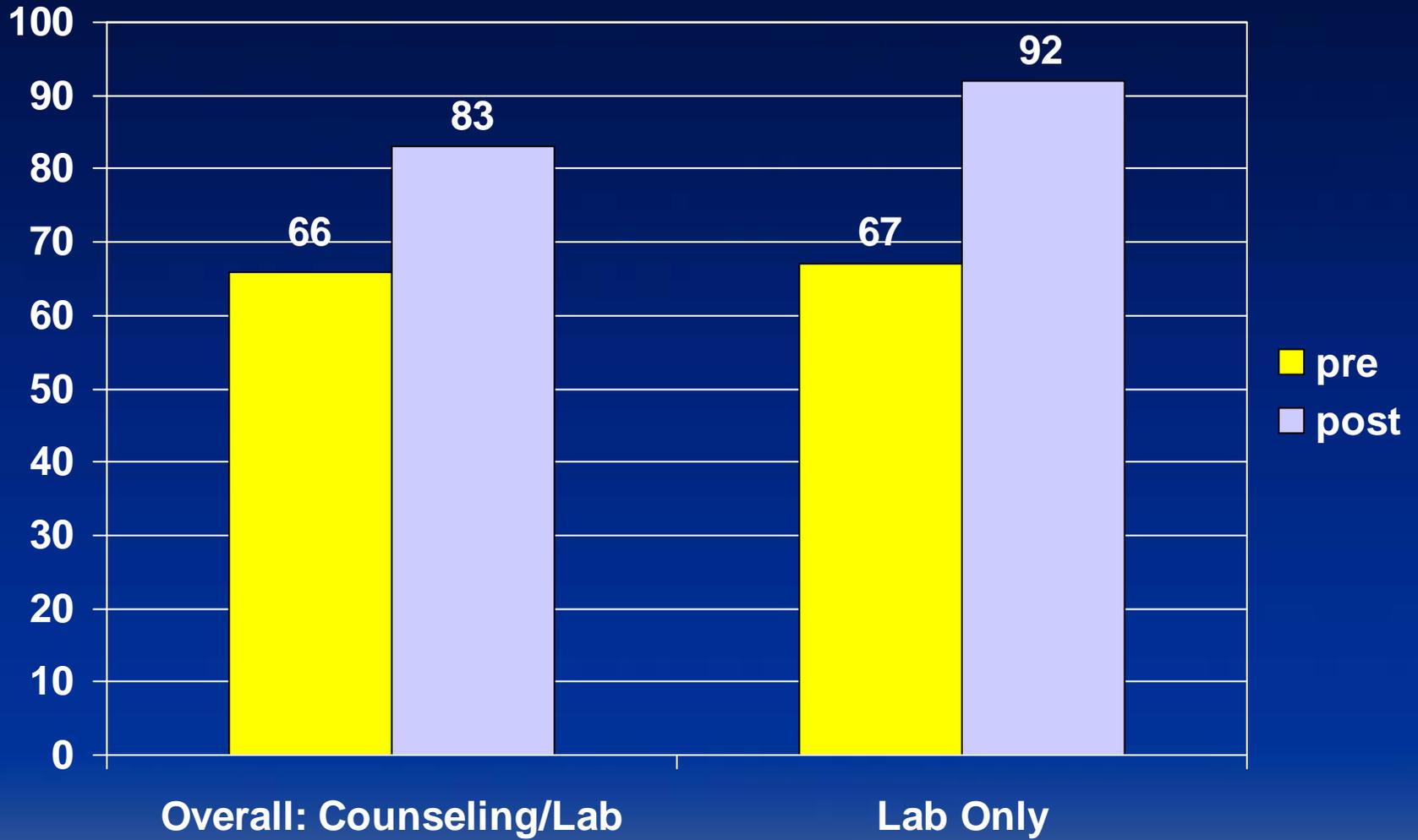
99% felt they could safely dispose
of biohazardous waste



99% were
confident they
could accurately
perform the test



Pre and Post Test Scores



98% were confident they could reliably interpret test results



Challenges

Site Location

Communication

Course changes

Travel

Comfort Zone

Printing

Scheduling

shipping

Post Training

- **Course evaluation**
- **Assessment of training effectiveness**
- **MPEP**



Phase II

- **Constella Group**
 - Personnel – trainers
 - Travel of trainers
 - Supplies, shipping
- **DLS**
 - Schedule 20 courses by September, 2004
 - Logistics, communication, evaluation, oversight



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