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Dear Consumer,

This letter is to inform you of an exciting new project Ryan White and HOPWA has been working on to improve how we provide services to you.

In May 2016, the Ryan White Part A Hartford program received money to integrate the Ryan White *CAREWare* system with the HOPWA *CaseWorthy* system. Both of these data systems collect information about services you receive. The goals of the project are to improve how your healthcare and housing services are provided. There will be no interruptions to your services but you will be asked to sign new consent forms that protect your confidentiality. Your case manager will explain what the forms mean.

To make sure that we are doing things appropriately with this project we have a special committee called the Data Integration Grant (D.I.G) Steering committee. This committee is made up of HOPWA & Ryan White providers and a consumer. If you are interested in being part of the DIG steering committee please contact Peta-Gaye Nembhard at the Ryan White Part A Hartford office. We can arrange to provide transportation.

For more information about this project you may contact Peta-Gaye Nembhard at nembp001@hartford.gov or 860-757-4705 or Angelique Croasdale at croaa001@hartford.gov or 860-757-4706 or you can visit our website <http://www.aids-ct.org/dig.html>

Thank you,

Peta-Gaye Nembhard
City of Hartford

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