- 1 AN ACT concerning HIV/AIDS education.
- 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
- 3 represented in the General Assembly:
- 4 Section 5. The Department of Public Health Act is
- 5 amended by adding Section 6.1 as follows:
- 6 (20 ILCS 2305/6.1 new)
- Sec. 6.1. HIV/AIDS community service pilot program. The
- 8 <u>Department of Public Health shall fund an HIV/AIDS community</u>
- 9 <u>service pilot program in the African-American communities of</u>
- 10 the State. The program shall contain the following
- 11 <u>components:</u>
- 12 (1) HIV primary care to enhance and enrich the lives of
- 13 <u>those infected by HIV.</u>
- 14 (2) HIV counseling and testing to provide a system of
- 15 <u>early detection for HIV and to facilitate skill building for</u>
- 16 <u>behavior modification</u>.
- 17 <u>(3) Case management services to offer seamless service</u>
- delivery for those infected by HIV.
- 19 <u>(4) Prevention case management services designed to</u>
- 20 <u>foster skill building and negotiation enrichment for those</u>
- 21 <u>impacted by HIV.</u>
- 22 (5) Street outreach services, which is a Centers for
- 23 <u>Disease Control approved intervention proven to reach the</u>
- 24 <u>client at his or her level of need. The service shall be</u>
- 25 <u>facilitated by an indigenous staff person who will offer the</u>
- 26 <u>services of HIV education and counseling, referral for</u>
- 27 <u>testing</u>, and condom distribution.