

## **Next Steps**

The nominator is interested in a new funding for the support of neglected diseases for a broad range of conditions.

The topic is important, but is too broad to develop given the limited information in the nomination. In addition primary funding for program support is outside the purview of AHRQ's Effective Health Care Program, which is focused on developing evidence reviews to inform healthcare decision-.making about interventions and activities available to decisionmakers in the United States. No further activity will be undertaken on this topic.

## Summary

**Topic Name and Number:** Neglected Disease Program Funding, #780

Nomination Date: 5/29/2018

**Date:** 5/31/2018

**Summary of Nomination:** The nominator is interested in funding for the Western HIV/AIDS Network.

- AHRQ's Evidence-based Practice Center Program conducts evidence reports for the Effective Health Care Program on medications, devices, and other health care services with the goal of helping consumers, health care professionals, and policymakers make informed and evidence-based health care decisions.
- Funding for program support and for healthcare delivery falls outside the purview of the EHC Program.