

Einstein-Montefiore CFAR

The **2014 Joint Symposium on HIV Research in Women** is hosted by the Einstein-Montefiore Center for AIDS Research. The goal of the program is to identify gaps in knowledge related to HIV and women and develop strategies for future research to move the field forward, to generate collaborative research among the different CFARs and with other research networks, highlighting cutting edge science, and to promote and emphasize opportunities for young investigators.

The specific aims of the conference were to:

1. HIV Eradication and Avenues to a Cure
2. HIV Prevention
3. Clinical disease and comorbidities

Confirmed speakers for the HIV in Women Research Symposium

HIV Eradication and Avenues to a Cure:

- [Dr. Jonathan Karn](#), Estrogen Receptor and sex differences in HIV latency
- [Dr. Katherine Luzuriaga](#), "Early Antiretroviral Therapy and HIV Reservoirs in Infants: Implications for Cure"
- [Dr. Dan Kuritzkes](#), "Progress and Challenges in HIV Cure Research"

HIV Prevention:

- [Dr. Walid Heneine](#), "HIV Prevention by Antiretroviral Prophylaxis: Lessons from Macaque Models"
- Dr. Angela Mushavi, PMTCT
- [Shannon Weber, MSW](#), "Prep me, please: What we know and need to know about PrEP & women's health"

Clinical Disease and comorbidities

- [Dr. Natanya Sandler Utay](#), "Inflammation and Non-Communicable Diseases: Causes and Consequences"
- [Dr. Jennifer Smith](#), "HPV and Cervical cancer prevention in HIV-seropositive women"
- [Dr. Serena Spudich](#), "NeuroHIV and Women: What we know and what we need to learn"
- [Dr. Michael Yin](#), Bone and musculoskeletal disease