

Case Study #2

Chris, a 25 year old Hispanic American male diagnosed with HIV one year ago identifies as a man who has sex with men (MSM). He is prescribed antiretroviral therapy, but has difficulty adhering to therapy. He appears for his clinic visit today and reports sensitivity to both hot and cold foods. He also complains that he has occasional thrush. He is has requested your assistance with helping him get access to a dental clinic for care. Chris also mentions that he does not have a case manager.

Case Study #2: Discussion Questions

1. What are some of the resources that can be used to encourage medication adherence?
2. What role does case management play in the healthcare setting?
3. What support services are most needed by patients living with HIV?