



#SpringTestingWeek starts TODAY!

Over 120 organisations have signed-up to participate in #SpringTestingWeek 2019! Thank you to everyone who has signed up!

On behalf of the [European Testing Week Working Group](#) and Secretariat, we wish you all a very successful week!

Not participating in Spring ETW this year? You can still follow all of the activities throughout Europe by following us on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#)! Help share and re-tweet activities in your local community!

A graphic for two consecutive free live webinars. It features a central image of a laptop with a person icon and a speech bubble. The text is arranged around this central image. At the top, it says 'Join us for 2 consecutive free live webinars' and 'Tuesday, 21 May 2019, 10:00am - 12:00pm CET'. The EuroFEST logo is in the top right corner. The first webinar is from 10:00-11:00, titled 'High contribution, low public funding: Southern European Checkpoints' role in HIV detection in 4 countries', presented by Miguel Rocha from GAT/CheckpointLX. The second webinar is from 11:00-12:00, titled 'Introducing a free HIV self testing service: Terrence Higgins Trust's experience offering HIV self test kits online', presented by Will Howells and Taku Mukiwa from Terrence Higgins Trust (THT).

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Miguel Rocha of [GAT/CheckpointLX](#) and Will Howells & Taku Mukiwa of [Terrence Higgins Trust](#) will present on their experiences implementing testing programmes in Southern Europe and the United Kingdom.

The webinars are FREE and there is NO registration!

For more info on the presentations and speakers,
visit <http://www.testingweek.eu/get-involved/Webinars>

Or just click this link (<https://bit.ly/2Yy2GHW>) **next Tuesday, 21 May at 10am CET** and tune in.

See you there!

ETW WG Statement on scaling-up testing in prisons and other closed settings

To commemorate the launch of Spring European Testing Week, the ETW Working Group has released a statement calling for the scale-up and prioritisation of testing for HIV, hepatitis B (HBV) and hepatitis C (HCV) in prisons and other closed settings.

There is a disproportionate burden of HIV, HBV and HCV in prisons and sub-optimal access to health care, therefore ETW highlights the importance of increasing testing efforts in prisons and other closed settings as part of a comprehensive package of health services.

To download and read the statement, [click here](#).



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