# Evidence for effective HIV prevention

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## No perfect solution ...



A highly protective vaccine easy to administer and effective for all HIV transmission modes

## Combination Prevention "The evidence dilemma"

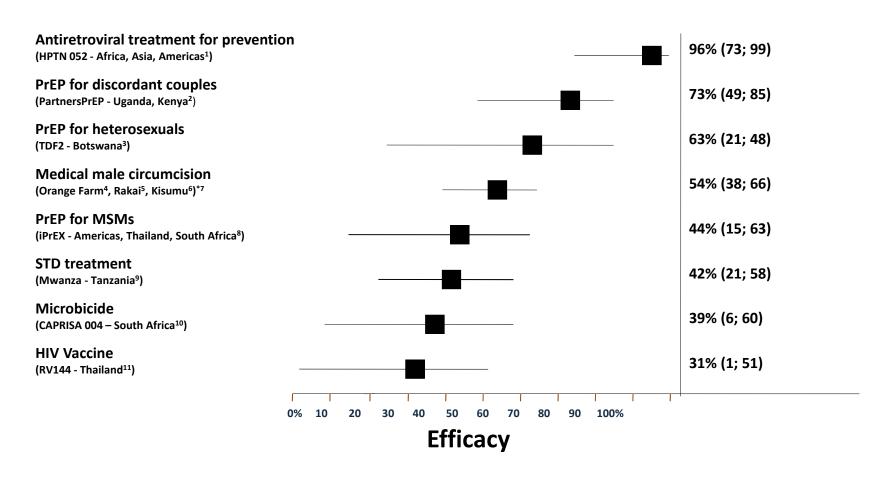
Firm evidence for efficacy is easier to obtain for well defined "technological" approaches





# What works in Prevention? Results from Randomized Controlled Trials-2011

Study Effect size (95% CI)



# Prevention tools cannot work without a behavioral component

- Adhering to ART, PreP or condom use
- Seeking health care for Male circumcision
- Accepting to be tested for HIV
- Negotiating condom use
- Adopting safer sex
- Overcome stigma to seek care

# Combination prevention essential but evidence for effectiveness is more difficult to obtain

**Proposed Investment Framework** 

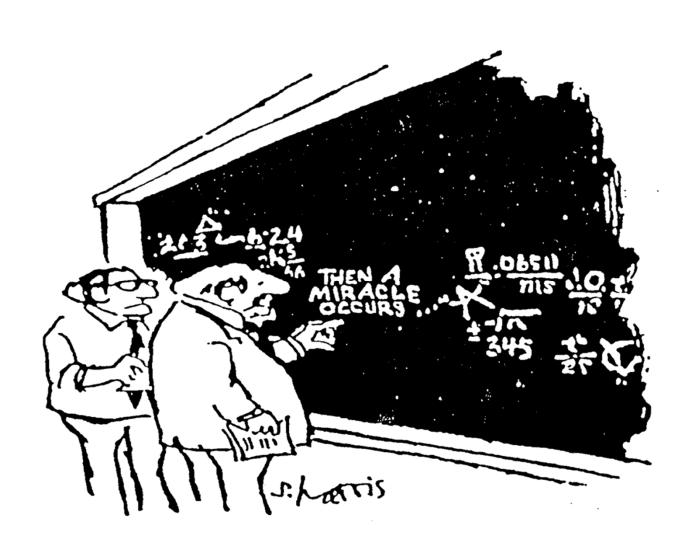


#### CRITICAL BASIC PROGRAMME ACTIVITIES **ENABLERS** Social enablers Eliminate new Political commitment and advocacy **HIV** infections among children Laws, legal policies and practices Community mobilization Stigma reduction • Mass media Local responses to change risk environment Condom promotion and distribution Programme enablers Community centered design and delivery Programme communication Voluntary medical Management and incentives male circumcision (in countries with hig HIV prevalence and low rates of Procurement and distribution Research and innovation Treatment, care and support for people living with HIV

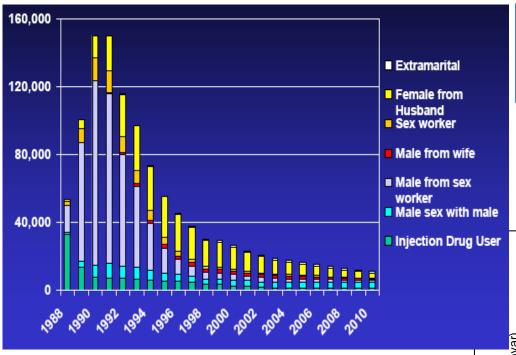
#### SYNERGIES WITH DEVELOPMENT SECTORS

Social protection, Education, Legal reform, Gender equality, Poverty reduction, Gender-based violence, Health systems (incl. STI treatment, Blood safety), Community systems, and Employer practices.

#### Dealing with "complexity"



### **Learning from National Success stories**

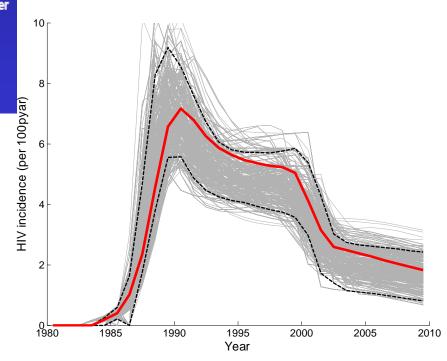


Thailand Estimated number of new infections, 1988-2008

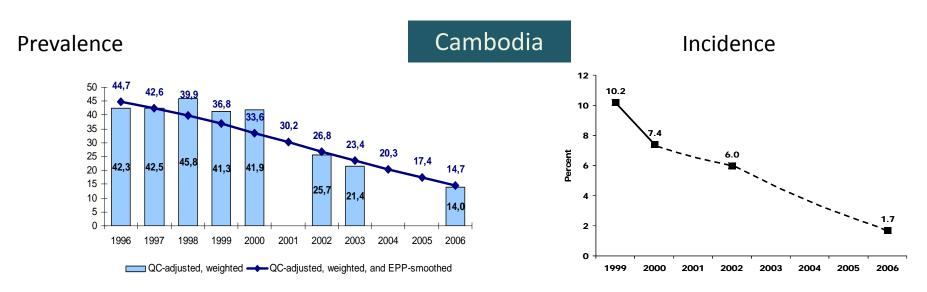
Zimbabwe HIV incidence (modelled)

Source: Analysis and Advocacy (A<sup>2</sup>) Thailand Team, Pattaya presentation to ASAP meeting, January 2006.

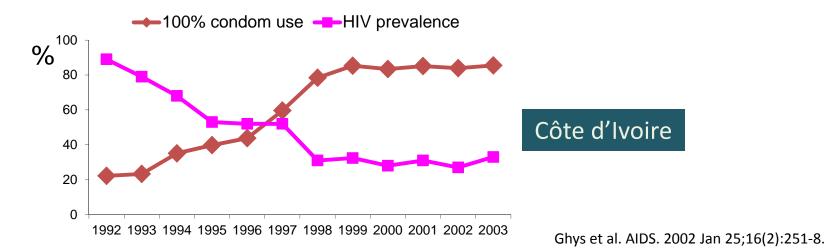
Source: Hallett, Gregson, Gonese, et al., Epidemics, 2009



#### Success stories: female sex workers



Ly Penh Sun et al, NCHADS Cambodia. Presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Global HIV/AIDS Surveillance meeting, Bangkok, 2009

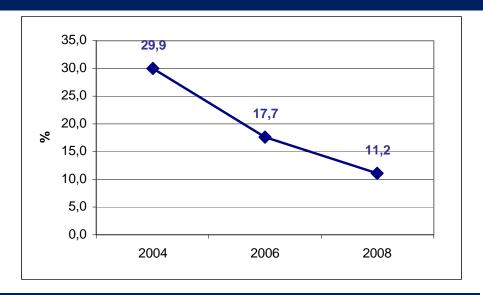


# Impact of harm reduction to prevent HIV among IDU in Ukraine

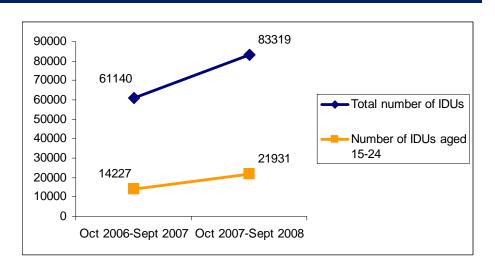
From: Tetiana Saliuk et al; Int AIDS Alliance, Ukraine

Presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Global HIV/AIDS Surveillance Meeting Bangkok, 2009

# Median HIV prevalence among recent IDUs (less than 2 years of injection drugs), 8 cities in Ukraine



# Programmatic monitoring (SYREX database): Coverage of harm reduction program



# "Evidence informed" Combination Prevention

 Based on Understanding the EPIDEMIC-Prevention for WHO?

Using effective TOOLS and APPROACHES
 WHAT to do?

Into programs for and by communities in contexts-

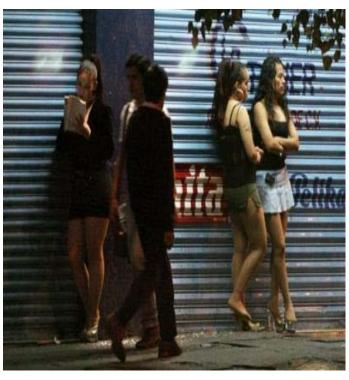
**HOW** to do it?

#### ADRESSING the IMPLEMENTATION GAP

Median Coverage prevention programs worldwide (2010)







Intravenous
Drug Users
32%

Men who have Sex with Men 55%

Sex Workers 48%



#### **Microbicides** for women

Abdool Karim Q, Science 2010



Auvert B. PloS Med 2005 Gray R, Lancet 2007 Bailey R, Lancet 2007





Grosskurth H, Lancet 2000





**Behavioural positive** prevention

Fisher J, JAIDS 2004

**PREVENTION** 

**TOOLS** 

Sexual ransmission **Male Condoms** 



**HIV Counselling** and Testing



Coates T, Lancet 2000

**Behavioural Interventions** 



**Oral pre-exposure** prophylaxis

Grant R, NEJM 2010 (MSM) Baeten J, 2011 (Couples) Paxton L, 2011 (Heterosexuals)





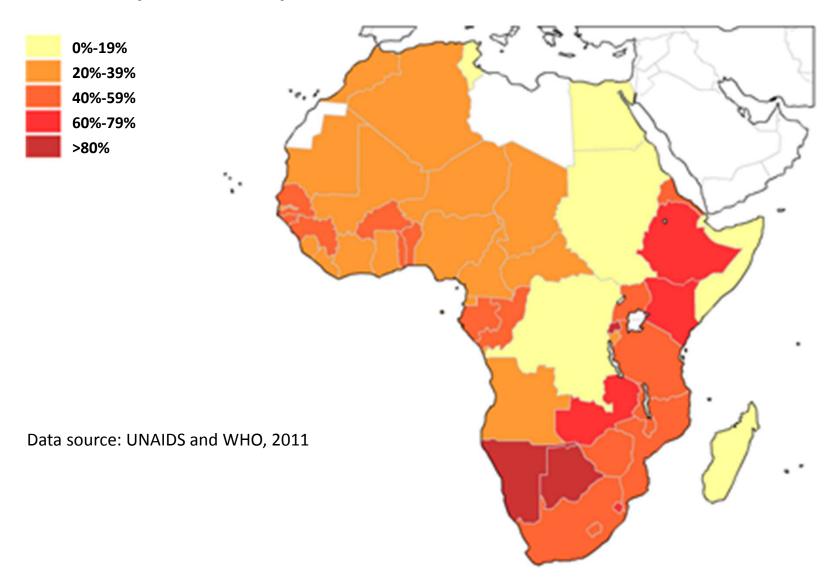
Donnell D, Lancet 2010 Cohen M, NEJM 2011





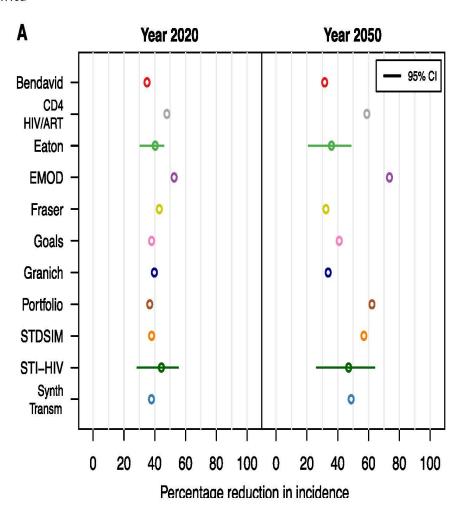
#### TREATMENT as PREVENTION: opportunity for synergies

Proportion of eligible population receiving antiretroviral therapy in Africa at end of 2010



## **Potential** Impact of Current Guidelines

South Africa



Universal access to treatment for <350 CD4

**KEEP on Treatment!** 



The Economist: June 4-10<sup>th</sup>, 2011

#### **HOW** to engage?

**Confront Epidemic & Context** 

Combine new with old tools

**Customize programs** 

**Communities center** 

Leadership