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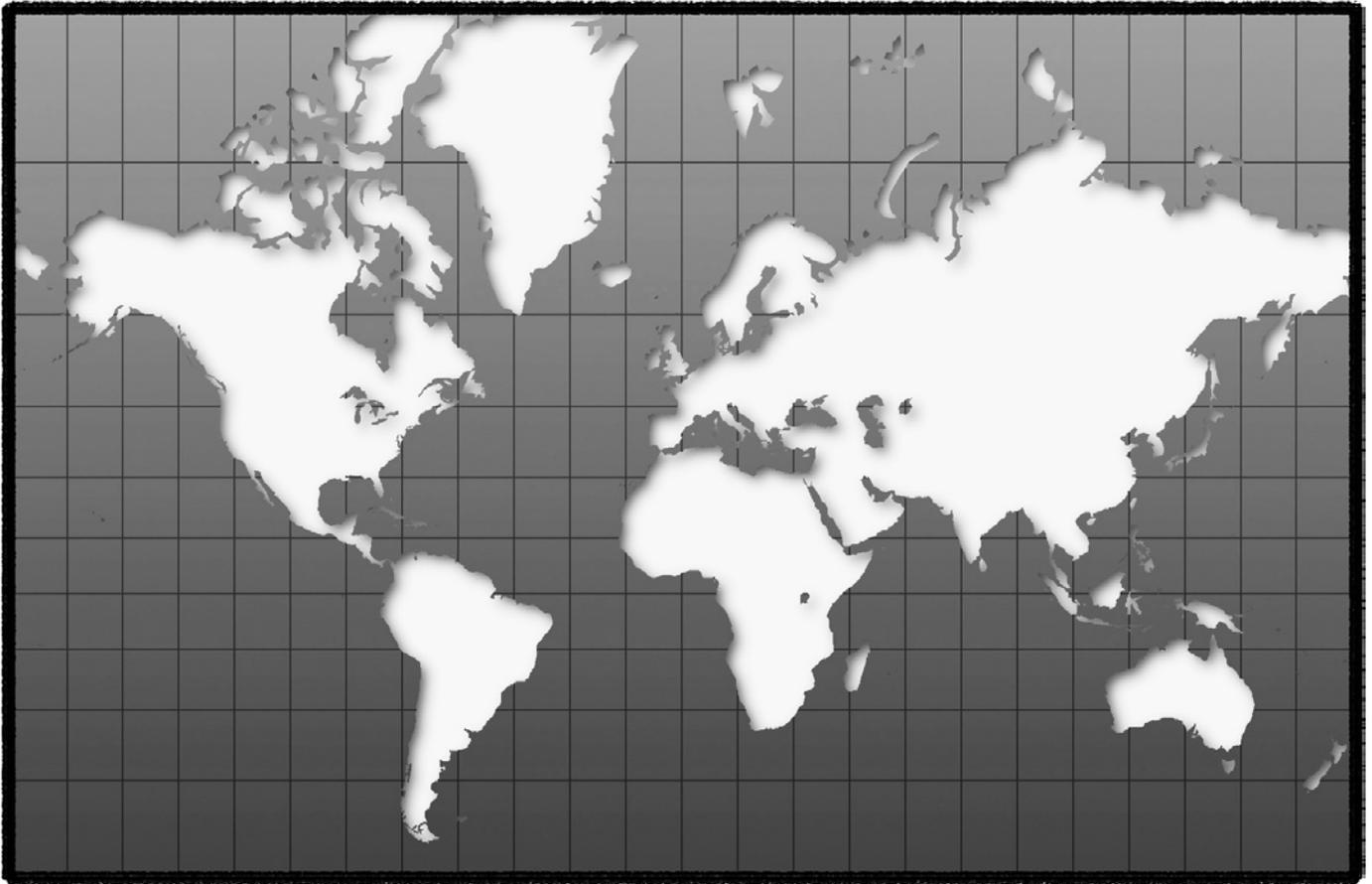
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Foreword

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID), in close collaboration with the Global Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS (GNP+) and the International Community of Women Living with HIV/AIDS (ICW), is pleased to present this second edition of the *Directory of Associations of People Living with HIV/AIDS*, which was first published by USAID in July 2002. The directory was compiled and published by The Synergy Project.

Each of the groups listed in this directory is a testament to the critical role played by people living with HIV/AIDS. Families, men, women, and children living with HIV/AIDS are crucial to building supportive networks, promoting knowledge on healthy living, and advocating for appropriate care and treatment services. We hope this publication will allow these listed organizations and their individual members to secure new partnerships and resources.

The publishers extend our heartfelt thanks to each and every individual who contributed to the development of this second edition of the *Directory of Associations of People Living with HIV/AIDS*. For the sake of space, acronyms have been employed where they might not otherwise have been used, such as in reference to people living with HIV/AIDS. In this case, for space and consistency, we use the acronym the majority of associations chose—PLWHA. We ask the reader's understanding and forbearance if this is not the choice he or she would have made. A partial list of acronyms has been included to clarify for the user the most frequently used acronyms and abbreviations.

We hope that this *Directory of Associations of People Living with HIV/AIDS* will be a valuable resource for people living with or affected by HIV/AIDS, and for international organizations, donors, national AIDS control programs, conference planners, and private companies, and for others in the world community engaged in the response to HIV/AIDS. Information on additional resources—both in print and on the Internet—is also included in this volume. Topics include Greater Involvement of People with HIV/AIDS (GIPA), stigma reduction, nutrition and wellness, HIV treatment education, and partnerships.

For more information on USAID's role in promoting the leadership and involvement of people living with HIV/AIDS, please contact Ron MacInnis, USAID Office of HIV/AIDS, by e-mail at rmacinnis@usaid.gov.



Annuaire des Associations de Personnes Vivant avec le VIH/SIDA

Avant-propos

L'Agence des Etats-Unis pour le Développement international (USAID), en collaboration étroite avec le Réseau mondial de Personnes Vivant avec le VIH/SIDA (GNP+) et la Communauté internationale de Femmes Vivant avec le VIH/SIDA (ICW), est heureuse de vous présenter cette deuxième édition de *l'Annuaire des Associations de Personnes Vivant avec le VIH/SIDA*, publiée par USAID en juillet 2002. L'annuaire a été compilé et publié par le Synergy Project.

Chacun des groupes cités dans cet annuaire témoigne du rôle critique joué par les personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA. Familles, hommes, femmes, et enfants vivant avec le VIH/SIDA sont essentiels à la mise en place de réseaux de soutien, à la promotion des connaissances sur une vie saine, et au plaidoyer pour des soins et services de traitement. Nous espérons que cette publication permettra aux organisations citées ainsi qu'à leurs membres de sécuriser de nouveaux partenariats et ressources.

Les rédacteurs remercient chaleureusement chaque individu qui a contribué au développement de cette deuxième édition de *l'Annuaire des Associations de Personnes Vivant avec le VIH/SIDA*. Par soucis d'espace, nous avons utilisé des acronymes là où ils ne seraient pas normalement employés, comme par exemple en référence aux personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA. Nous prions le lecteur de comprendre et tolérer ce choix même s'il n'est pas celui que le lecteur aurait fait lui-même. Une liste partielle des acronymes les plus employés est incluse afin de clarifier leur sens pour l'utilisateur.

Nous espérons que cet *Annuaire des Associations de Personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA* sera une ressource importante pour les personnes vivant avec ou affectées par le VIH/SIDA, ainsi que pour les organisations internationales, les bailleurs de fonds, les programmes nationaux de contrôle du SIDA, les organisateurs de congrès, les entreprises privées, et tant d'autres dans la communauté mondiale engagés dans la réponse au VIH/SIDA. Des informations sur des ressources supplémentaires—à l'écrit et par Internet—sont incluses dans ce volume. Parmi les sujets figurent Une Plus Grande Implication pour les Personnes Vivant avec le VIH/SIDA (GIPA), la réduction de l'opprobre et de la discrimination, la nutrition et le bien-être, l'éducation sur le traitement du VIH, et les partenariats.

Pour plus d'informations concernant le rôle de USAID dans la promotion du leadership et de l'engagement des personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA, veuillez contacter Ron MacInnis, USAID, Bureau du VIH/SIDA, par courriel à l'adresse suivante: rmacinnis@usaid.gov.



Guía de Asociaciones de Personas que Viven con VIH/SIDA

Prólogo

La Agencia de los Estados Unidos para el Desarrollo Internacional (USAID), en estrecha colaboración con la Red Global de Personas que Viven con VIH/SIDA (GNP+) y con la Comunidad Internacional de Mujeres que Viven con VIH/SIDA (ICW), se complace en presentar la segunda edición de la *Guía de asociaciones de personas que viven con VIH/SIDA*, publicada originalmente por USAID en julio de 2002. La información que aparece en la guía ha sido recopilada y publicada por El Proyecto Synergy.

Cada uno de los grupos que se incluyen en esta guía es una prueba del papel esencial que desempeñan las personas que viven con VIH/SIDA. Las familias, hombres, mujeres y niños que viven con VIH/SIDA son fundamentales para crear redes de apoyo que promuevan conocimientos para una vida sana así como para defender la causa de los servicios adecuados de cuidado y tratamiento. Esperamos que esta publicación permita a las organizaciones que en ella se recogen así como a sus miembros obtener nuevas asociaciones, fuentes de información o recursos.

Los editores de esta segunda edición de la *Guía de asociaciones de personas que viven con VIH/SIDA* expresamos nuestro profundo agradecimiento a todas y cada una de las personas que han contribuido a su elaboración. Por razones de espacio se han utilizado siglas donde normalmente no se habrían usado, como en relación a las personas que viven con VIH/SIDA. Esperamos que el lector entienda y acepte esta decisión editorial en el caso de que esta no fuera la elección que él hubiera hecho. Hemos incluido una lista parcial de siglas para aclarar al usuario las que se utilizan con mayor frecuencia.

Esperamos que esta *Guía de asociaciones de personas que viven con VIH/SIDA* sea una valiosa fuente de información para la gente que vive con VIH/SIDA o está afectada por ellos y para las organizaciones internacionales, donantes, programas nacionales de control del SIDA, planificadores de conferencias y empresas privadas, así como para aquellas otras personas de la comunidad internacional que participan en la respuesta al VIH/SIDA. También se incluyen en este volumen referencias a otras fuentes de información, tanto en papel como en Internet. Entre los temas que se tratan se incluyen: mayor participación de personas con VIH/SIDA, reducción del estigma, nutrición y bienestar, educación sobre el tratamiento del VIH y asociaciones.

Para mayor información sobre el papel que desempeña USAID en la promoción del liderazgo y la participación de las personas que viven con VIH/SIDA, por favor póngase en contacto con Ron MacInnis, Oficina de VIH/SIDA de USAID, mediante su dirección de correo electrónico: rmacinnis@usaid.gov.



Diretório de Associações de Pessoas Vivendo com VIH/SIDA

Prefácio

A Agência dos Estados Unidos para Desenvolvimento Internacional (USAID), em estreita colaboração com a Rede Global de Pessoas Vivendo com VIH/SIDA (GNP+) e a Comunidade Internacional de Mulheres Vivendo com VIH/SIDA (ICW), tem o prazer de apresentar esta segunda edição do *Diretório de Associações de Pessoas Vivendo com VIH/SIDA*, cuja primeira edição foi publicada em julho de 2002 pela USAID. Este diretório foi compilado e publicado pelo Synergy Project.

Cada um dos grupos listados neste diretório é um testemunho do papel crítico desempenhado pelas pessoas que vivem com VIH/SIDA. As famílias, homens, mulheres e crianças que vivem com VIH/SIDA são elementos essenciais para a criação de redes de apoio e ajuda, promoção de conhecimentos sobre vida saudável e trabalho de advocacia para a criação de serviços apropriados de assistência e tratamento. Esperamos que esta publicação sirva de incentivo a todas as organizações listadas e seus membros individuais para que possam gerar novas parcerias e novos recursos.

Como editores, gostaríamos de estender nossos mais profundos agradecimentos a todos os indivíduos que contribuíram para a criação desta segunda edição do *Diretório de Associações de Pessoas Vivendo com VIH/SIDA*. Por uma questão de economia de espaço, decidimos usar siglas que normalmente não utilizamos em publicações e pedimos a compreensão e indulgência dos nossos leitores caso a sigla escolhida não seja a utilizada pelo seu grupo específico, como por exemplo para se referir a pessoas vivendo com VIH/SIDA. Incluímos uma lista parcial de siglas para clarificar aquelas de uso mais freqüente.

Esperamos que este *Diretório de Associações de Pessoas Vivendo com VIH/SIDA* seja um recurso valioso para o futuro das pessoas que vivem ou são afetadas pelo VIH/SIDA, assim como para organizações internacionais, entidades doadoras, programas nacionais de controle da SIDA, organizadores de congressos e companhias privadas, assim como para outros grupos dentro da comunidade mundial comprometidos com o trabalho de resposta ao VIH/SIDA. Este volume inclui também diversas informações sobre recursos adicionais—tanto impressas quanto pela Internet. Estas informações incluem diversos tópicos, como por exemplo um maior envolvimento das pessoas que vivem com VIH/SIDA, redução de estigma, nutrição e qualidade da saúde, educação para tratamento de VIH e parcerias diversas.

Para maiores informações sobre o papel desempenhado pela USAID na promoção de liderança e envolvimento de pessoas vivendo com VIH/SIDA, pedimos entrar em contato com Ron MacInnis, do *Escritório da USAID para VIH/SIDA*, através do endereço rmacinnis@usaid.gov.



Acronyms & Abbreviations

English

AIDS	acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
ART	antiretroviral therapy
ARV	antiretroviral
CBO	community-based organization
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
DFID	Department for International Development (United Kingdom)
GIPA	Greater Involvement of People Living with HIV/AIDS
HIV	human immunodeficiency virus
IDU	injecting drug users
MTCT	mother-to-child transmission
NACP	National AIDS Control Program
NGO	nongovernmental organization
OVC	orphans and vulnerable children
PMTCT	prevention of mother-to-child transmission
PLWHA	people living with HIV/AIDS
STI	sexually transmitted infection
TB	tuberculosis
WHO	World Health Organization
UNAIDS	The Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
USAID	United States Agency for International Development

Français

ARV	anti-rétroviraux
IEC	information, éducation et communication
OMS	Organisation Mondiale de la Santé
ONUSIDA	Organisation des Nations Unies contre le Syndrome Immuno-déficient Acquis
ONG	organisation non-gouvernementale
PNUD	Programme des Nations Unies pour le Développement
PVVIH	personnes vivant avec le virus immuno-déficient humain
SAT	Société des Arts Technologiques
SIDA	syndrome immuno-déficient acquis
VAO	vente assistée par ordinateur
VIH	virus immuno-déficient humain

Español

ONG	organización no gubernamental
PVVS	personas que viven con VIH/SIDA
SIDA	síndrome de inmunodeficiencia adquirida
VIH	virus de inmunodeficiencia humana

Português

ONG	organização não-governamental
PVHS	peçoas vivendo com VIH/SIDA
SIDA	síndrome de imunodeficiência adquirida
VIH	vírus da imunodeficiência humana

ASSOCIATIONS BY REGION

ASSOCIATION EL HAYET DES PERSONNES VIVANT AVEC LE VIH**ALGERIA****Contact:** Zohira Merah, Présidente

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Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services des infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Tous
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Peu

Activités principales: Mise en place d'un réseau de personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA, témoignage d'une personne vivant avec le VIH/SIDA lors de la célébration journée mondiale de lutte contre le SIDA, témoignage d'une personne vivant avec le VIH/SIDA à la télévision algérienne lors de la célébration journée mondiale de lutte contre le SIDA, appui de l'ONUSIDA au renforcement des capacités de notre association

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Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Aucun
Services des infections opportunistes	Peu	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Support psychosocial	Plusieurs		

Organisations affiliées: AEV, AAS, Sedecon, Cercle de vie

Activités principales: Groupe de parole auto-support des femmes et orphelins du SIDA, sensibilisation, permanence dans les sites de traitement (ARV) visites à domicile

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Guide d'alimentation	Tous	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Tous	Support psychosocial	Tous

Activités principales: Mobilisation sociale; information, éducation et communication (IEC) dans les collèges (15 collèges et 3 lycées), conseil à l'hôpital public (CHD-Oueme) à Porto-Novo, visites à domicile des PVVIH, aide nutritionnelle, consultation médicale

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Tel: 09-267-71498142 **Fax:** 09-267-3906224**E-mail:** zolanikraai@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** Setswana, English**Geographic coverage:** The head office is located in Gaborone, the capital of Botswana.**Funding:** USAID (second National Congress for PLWHA in Francistown, northern Botswana), National AIDS Agency (training workshops)**Number members:** More than 40 support groups nationwide**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: National umbrella NGO network by and for people living with HIV/AIDS in Botswana. Advocacy, support groups, education, prevention, formation of community-based organizations for care and support, institution and capacity-building**ACTION POUR LES INITIATIVES POSITIVES****BURKINA FASO****Contact:** Justine Korbeogo, Accoucheuse auxiliaire secrétaire exécutive de l'association

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Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Aucun
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: REGIPIV, CICAOC, IPC, SP/CNIS**Activités principales:** Causeries sur le changement de comportement, projection cinéma/débats, activités génératrices de revenus, soutien psychosocial, personnel hospitalier, visites à domicile etc.**ASSOCIATION AMMIE****BURKINA FASO****Contact:** Beloum Cecile, Présidente

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Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: groupements féminins**Activités principales:** Prévention, conseil dépistage volontaire et anonyme, prise en charge, soutien aux veuves, santé de la reproduction

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Année fondée: 19 juin 1997 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Province du Houet, ville de Bobo Osso, arrondissement de OAFRA

Financement: IPC (Incentive privée et communauté)

Nombre de membres: 180 femmes Nombre VIH+: 98, 7 hommes, 10 DEV

Profil d'adhésion: P+, médecin, psychologue, sociologue, psychiatre, engagés

Profil de Leader: 70% hommes, femmes, enfants

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Peu

Organisations affiliées: Espoir à vie

Activités principales: VAO, VIH, groupe de parole, repas communautaire, causerie éducative, réunion mensuelle, formation, recyclage, etc.

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Année fondée: 1995 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: ville, province

Financement: UNFPA, IPC, ECS

Nombre de membres: 152 Nombre VIH+: 125

Profil d'adhésion: personnes infectées ou affectées

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Tous	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Tous

Activités principales: Prise en charge médicale, promotion du dépistage volontaire, soutien local en vivres et vêtements aux familles démunies, soutien psychologique aux personnes infectées et affectées par le VIH/SIDA

ASSOCIATION ZEMSTOALA (AZET)**BURKINA FASO**

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Nombre de membres: 182 Nombre VIH+: 58

Profil de Leader: 10 membres bureau 5 PVVIH

Organisations affiliées: RECIPIV

Activités principales: Prise en charge alimentation de 50 PVVIH, prise en charge des 105 orphelins du SIDA, promotion dépistage

JEUNESSE SOLIDAIRE - CHAÎNE DE L'AMITIÉ (JSCA)**BURKINA FASO**

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Année fondée: 1994 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: ville de Ouagadougou, arrondissement de Bogodogo, province de Kadiogo

Financement: SP/CNSS-IST de Burkina, Ambassade Royale des Pays-Bas

Nombre de membres VIH+: 29

Profil d'adhésion: mixte

Profil de Leader: 12 membres du comité exécutif

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: REGIPIU-BF

Activités principales: Activités de prévention (débat, projection de films, conférences, dépistage), activités de prise en charge (soutien scolaire aux OEU), soutien psychosocial aux PVVIH - suivi scolaire des OEU

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Année fondée: 2001 **Langues principales de travail:** le français et les langues locales**Zone géographique:** Nous couvrons 21 provinces du Burkina qui a en tout 45 provinces**Financement:** ONUSIDA, SP/CN/S, Pays-Bas, Coopération française, DED**Nombre de membres:** 45 associations et 9 groupes d'auto-soutien**Profil d'adhésion:** être apte à respecter les objectifs du Réseau. Elle peut être individuelle ou associative jusqu'à décision contraire.**Profil de Leader:** Il y a des femmes comme des hommes qui ont entre 10 ans jusqu'à plus de 40 ans.**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Peu
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Organisations affiliées: Secrétariat permanent du comité contre le SIDA et aux organisations internationales en place**Activités principales:** Table ronde sur la TNB, mission de prospection dans les provinces sur les obstacles liés au PEC des PVVIH, organisation de caravanes et de témoignages et à l'intérieur du pays, renforcement des compétences des leaders PVVIH à la USMA, mise en place de 9 groupes d'auto-soutiens dans 15 provinces, missions régulières aux points locaux, atelier de réflexion sur le processus de décentralisation des prestations en faveur des PVVIH, analyse situationnel des différents CHF (9) des capacités de PEC.**VIE POSITIVE "WAKE UP"****BURKINA FASO****Contact:** Aimé Arnaud Dabilgou, Psychologue

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Année fondée: 2000 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Ouagadougou (Arrondissement de Boulmiougou)**Financement:** PNUD, Coopération Française, SP/CNIS**Nombre de membres:** 48 **Nombre VIH+:** 37**Profil d'adhésion:** Homme/femme sans discrimination d'âge ni de religion**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs
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Activités principales: Prise en charge médicale des PVVIH, prise en charge psychologique des PVVIH, sensibilisation de proximité, prise en charge sociale des PVVIH, soutien et visites à domicile**RÉSEAU BURUNDAIS DES P+ (RBP)****BURUNDI****Contact:** Seconde Nsabimana, Président

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Année fondée: 2002 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Réseau national burundais**Financement:** Conseil national du SIDA de Burundi**Nombre de membres:** 800 **Nombre VIH+:** 800**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs
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Activités principales: Mise en place des points locaux au niveau des provinces et des communes, renforcement des capacités des membres du réseau par des formations

ASSOCIATION DES FEMMES ACTIVES ET SOLIDAIRES (AFASO)**CAMEROON**

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Année fondée: 2000 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Yaoundé et ses environs, province du centre

Financement: Comité provincial de lutte contre le SIDA; GTZ Santé, Entraides 92; ASA Milano

Nombre de membres: 54 Nombre VIH+: 54

Profil d'adhésion: Féminin, 18 à 45 ans protestante, musulmane, catholique

Profil de Leader: 5, tout VIH+, féminin, 25 à 45 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Antirétroviraux	Peu	Services de soins à domicile	Peu
Support psychosocial	Tous		

Organisations affiliées: Autres associations des PVV et le Réseau

Activités principales: Appui scolaire aux orphelins et enfants vulnérables, conseils psychologiques dans les hôpitaux, causeries éducatives dans la communauté, formations des membres en conseils psychologiques et en soins à domicile, organisation des causeries conviviales

ASSOCIATION OF POSITIVE WOMEN (APOWA)**CAMEROON**

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Year founded: 2002 Main working languages: English

Geographic coverage: All of Cameroon

Funding: Member contributions

Number members: 550 Number HIV-positive: All

Membership profile: All women, and of various faiths

Leadership profile: 12 leaders, 1 from each province

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Referral programs, support systems, advocacy, fighting discrimination and stigma, networking with women's businesses for inclusion as business partners and access to affordable treatment opportunities, developing a saving scheme to assist members when they become very ill and unable to afford meals and medication

CENTRE D'ÉCOUTE**CAMEROON**

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Année fondée: 2002 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Bessengwe City Chardy, Douala, Cameroun

Financement: AGR et don des élites et petites entreprises

Nombre de membres: 92 Nombre VIH+: 17

Profil d'adhésion: deux sexes, 13 à 70 ans religion mixte

Profil de Leader: Leader P+ autre membres négatifs et certains encore non dépistés, âge variant entre 18 et 36 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Tous	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Activités principales: Création décembre 2002, comité local de lutte contre le SIDA de Bessengwe. Nous avons mis sur pied un centre d'écoute qui ne traite que des problèmes liés au VIH

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E-mail: jean_juleskamgue@yahoo.fr; collibri_002@yahoo.com**Année fondée:** 2001 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Arrondissement**Financement:** Union Européenne, Ensemble pour une Solidarité Thérapeutique Hospitalière (ESTHER-France)**Nombre de membres:** 63 **Nombre VIH+:** 63**Profil d'adhésion:** Personnes vivant avec le VIH**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Peu	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: REDCAP+, RAP+, GNP+**Activités principales:** Conseils en milieu hospitalier, visites à domicile, aide nutritionnelle et médicamenteuse contre le SIDA, armement moral, témoignages des personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA, etc.**HEALTH AND SOLIDARITY ASSOCIATION****CAMEROON****Contact:** Linda Bihtaku, President

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Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

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Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Association of Women's Information and Coordination Offices (AWICO); Break-Through Development Consultants (BEDEVCONSULT), National Council for the Fight Against HIV/AIDS for the Northwest Province**Key activities:** Counseling, education, and economic empowerment of people living with HIV/AIDS; sensitizing families on the proper care for patients with HIV/AIDS; capacity-building of women's organizations and other HIV activist groups; research and service development on best practices; coordination of groups of people living with HIV/AIDS.

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Année fondée: 2000 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Douala (ville)

Financement: GTZ, OMS, Comité National de Lutte Contre le SIDA, Cabinet Homnisphères, SIDA Intro Services

Nombre de membres: 60 Nombre VIH+: 60

Profil d'adhésion: Association mixte (hommes et femmes) sans distinction de religion et d'âge

Profil de Leader: Présidente, femme, 38 ans; vice président, homme, 27 ans; secrétaire, femme, 34 ans; vice secrétaire, femme, 27 ans; trésorier, homme, 49 ans; commissaire aux gôtes, femme 36 ans; conseillère, femme 38 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Aucun
Services d'infections opportunistes	Peu	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: ICW, GNP+, Initiative Accés aux Traitement (ICAM), Réseau Camerounais des PVVIH/RECAP+, Réseau droit éthique sur le SIDA/REDS

Activités principales: Centre d'écoute et ligne téléphonique d'aide (animation), conseils psychologiques en milieu hospitalier, visites à domicile, production d'un ouvrage sous deux titres: "Remember SIDA" et "Témoignages", entretien du partenariat, participation au plaidoyer pour l'accès aux soins et aux médicaments, dispensation des ARV, écoute médicale, production d'une revue de presse relative au VIH/SIDA

SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOOD ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT NETWORK

CAMEROON

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Year founded: 1988 Main working languages: English

Geographic coverage: Pilot program is in the North West Province of Cameroon

Number members: Four networks with 500 members Number HIV-positive: 89 known, tested individuals.

Membership profile: Mixed

Leadership profile: 3

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Partnership-Assistance-Treatment-Hope USA

Key activities: HIV/AIDS community education and economic empowerment projects for people with disabilities, mobilization of people with disabilities into a network for effective information dissemination, advocacy for the inclusion of people with disabilities in national HIV/AIDS programs and initiatives, development of a strategic plan and model for providing HIV/AIDS education to people with disabilities, networking to seek participatory solutions, create awareness, and slow the rate of infection among people with disabilities who are excluded from other programs and initiatives, promotion of voluntary testing

ASSOCIATION DES HOMMES VIVANT AVEC LE VIH/SIDA

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

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Année fondée: 28 mai 2001 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Pays, enclave, ville

Financement: Banque Mondiale (Amis-d'Afrique), IDA/Banque Mondiale (CNLS)

Nombre de membres: 189 Nombre VIH+: 189

Profil d'adhésion: 12 ans à 50 ans

Profil de Leader: 7 membres du bureau

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Aucun
Services de soins à domicile	Tous	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: Réseau-Centrafricain des personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA

Activités principales: Création des associations des PVVIH dans 7 sociétés de la ville, création des site des PVVS dans la province de MBaiki (Lobaye), sensibilisation en porte à porte dans les 8 arrondissements de la ville

CONGRÈS DES FEMMES VIH-POSITIVE**CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC**

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Zone géographique: pays-enclavé
Financement: Amis d'Afrique
Profil de Leader: 7 membres du bureau
Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Services de soins à domicile	Tous
Support psychosocial	Tous		

Activités principales: Création des points locaux, création des cellules

ASSOCIATION DES HOMMES VIVANT**CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC****AVEC LE VIH SIDA (AHVV+)**

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Année fondée: 2001 **Langues principales de travail:** français
Zone géographique: Toute l'étendue du pays (RCA)
Financement: Banque Mondiale
Nombre de membres: 228 **Nombre VIH+:** 228
Activités principales: prévention VIH/SIDA, sensibilisation dans les entreprises privées, porte à porte, à visage découvert

CONGRÈS NATIONAL DES JEUNES FEMME VIH+**CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC**

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Année fondée: août 2001 **Langues principales de travail:** français, sango
Zone géographique: Ville, arrondissement, province et communauté
Financement: Adhésion des membres, PNUD, Banque Mondiale, UNICEF
Nombre de membres: 247 **Nombre VIH+:** 247
Profil d'adhésion: Jeunes Femmes VIH+ âgées de 15 à 35 ans
Profil de Leader: 20 jeunes femmes VIH+, 100% HIV+ âgées de 15 à 35 ans
Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Aucune	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Peu	Antirétroviraux	Aucun
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Peu

Organisations affiliées: Réseau Centrafricain des Personnes Vivant avec le VIH, RECAPEV
Activités principales: Installation des autines du Congrès National des Jeunes Femmes VIH+ dans 8 arrondissements de Bangui

HEALTH AND HOPE FOUNDATION**CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC**

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Année fondée: 2002 **Langues principales de travail:** français
Zone géographique: étendue nationale
Financement: le propriétaire
Nombre de membres: 1500 **Nombre VIH+:** 20
Profil d'adhésion: De jeunes hommes et femmes, de toute confession religieuse
Profil de Leader: 10 (10% PVVIH)
Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Plusieurs
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: Association rurale, syndicats d'ouvriers, infirmières
Activités principales: mise en place d'un soutien de soins de capacité (OI, STD)

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Zone géographique: Nahoual

Financement: Dons et subventions des partenaires au développement

Nombre de membres: 32 Nombre VIH+: 280

Profil d'adhésion: Hommes et femmes jeunes

Profil de Leader: 17 (8 femmes, 7 hommes, et 2 orphelins)

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Activités principales: coordination, suivi/évaluation, renforcement des capacités, plaidoyer, partenariats

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Année fondée: 1999 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Afrique centrale

Nombre de membres: 47 Nombre VIH+: 47

Profil d'adhésion: Tout âge confondu sans distinction de religion

Profil de Leader: 1/3 du nombre

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Peu

Organisations affiliées: Associations des PVVIH et veuves

Activités principales: sensibilisation, prise en charge psychosociale PVVIH+ et orphelins du SIDA

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Zone géographique: Afrique centrale

Nombre de membres: 53

Profil d'adhésion: sans distinction d'âge-sexe-religion

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Tous	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: coordination des femmes en lutte contre le SIDA

Activités principales: lutte à visagedécouvert, conseil dépistage, volontaires, visites à domicile

CHECK UP POUR TOUS**CONGO, DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE**

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Année fondée: 1999 **Langues principales de travail:** français, anglais

Financement: ONS, PNUD, PAM

Nombre de membres VIH+: 1,250

Profil d'adhésion: Toute personne sans distinction d'âge, sexe, race, nationalité

Profil de Leader: 7 membres du comité directeur, 3 sont PVVIH dont 2 femmes et 1 homme

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: FOSI, Réseau congolais des PVVIH, Réseau africain des PVVIH

Activités principales: sensibilisation et témoignage, séminaire de formation de conseils en dépistage volontaire et sensibilisation, conférence débat sur la discrimination et la discrimination des PVVIH à travers les 13 universités et instituts supérieurs, écoles, etc., conseils et dépistage volontaire sur le VIH/SIDA, distribution des livres

ASSOCIATION DES JEUNES POSITIFS AU CONGO**CONGO, REPUBLIC OF THE**

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Année fondée: 2002 **Langues principales de travail:** français

Zone géographique: Ville

Financement: Fonds propres

Nombre de membres: 52 **Nombre VIH+:** 52

Profil d'adhésion: 38 jeunes femmes, 14 jeunes hommes

Profil de Leader: 7 membres tous VIH+ âgés de 18-25 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: RENAP, RAP+, GNP+, Africaso

Activités principales: Campagne de sensibilisation sur le SIDA, prise en charge psychosociale, visites à domicile

ASSOCIATION FEMME PLUS DU CONGO**CONGO, REPUBLIC OF THE**

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Année fondée: 2002 **Langues principales de travail:** français

Zone géographique: ville de Brazzaville, arrondissement 1, Makélékélé

Financement: Cotisations mensuelles

Nombre de membres: 25 membres actifs **Nombre VIH+:** 23

Profil d'adhésion: Sans

Profil de Leader: Mixte et âgés entre 10 et 66 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Aucun

Organisations affiliées: OMU SIDA, PMUD

Activités principales: Conseils pre- et post-test, visites à domicile

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Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Aucun
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: RAP+ Africaso, GNP+, PATAM**Activités principales:** Assistance aux orphelins du SIDA, prévention du SIDA dans les écoles, prise en charge psychologique**ASSOCIATION VIVRE-PLUS-CONGO****CONGO, REPUBLIC OF THE****Contact:** Ambroise Mamona, Président

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Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Support psychosocial	Tous		

Organisations affiliées: RENAR+, RAP+, Africains Poteau**Activités principales:** Sensibilisation sur le VIH/SIDA (témoignage), prise en charge psychosociale, prise en charge des soins communautaires, visites à domicile, organisation de groupes de parole**RENA +****CONGO, REPUBLIC OF THE****Contact:** Ambroise Mamona, Coordinateur National

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Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: RAP+, GNP+ Africaso, Patam**Activités principales:** Prévention du SIDA, prise en charge psychosociale, visites à domicile

RÉSEAU NATIONAL DES POSITIFS**CONGO, REPUBLIC OF THE**

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Année fondée: 1996 **Langues principales de travail:** français
Zone géographique: Couverture nationale

Financement: Fonds propres

Nombre de membres: 156 **Nombre VIH+:** 156

Profil d'adhésion: 132 femmes, 24 hommes

Profil de Leader: 9 Représentants 5 hommes, 4 femmes, âgés de 18 à 56 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: RAP+, GNP+, ICASO, PATAM, International Prepared Treatment

Activités principales: Sensibilisation de proximité de VIH/SIDA, prise en charge psychosociale, prise en charge des soins communautaires, visites à domicile, organisation espace écoute et soutien

RÉSEAU IVOIRIEN DES PERSONNES VIVANT AVEC LE VIH SIDA**CÔTE D'IVOIRE****EN ABRÉGÉ RIP+**

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Année fondée: 1997

Zone géographique: Côte d'Ivoire, territoire national

Financement: Ministère de la lutte contre le VIH/ SIDA, Projet Retroci, ONUSIDA, cotisation des membres

Nombre de membres: 13 ONG de PVVIH **Nombre VIH+:** Plus 3000 PVVIH représentant les adhérents des ONG membres du réseau. Le RIP+ est également le représentant légal de tous les PVVIH en COTE D'IVOIRE

Profil d'adhésion: toute ONG de PVVIH, organisation à base communautaire et association de PVVIH en Côte d'Ivoire, apolitique sans distinction de religion

Profil de Leader: PVVIH

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	peu
Dépistage et traitement de la TB	tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	plusieurs
Antirétroviraux	plusieurs
Services à domicile	peu
Support Psychosocial	plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: AMEPOUH, Lumière Action, Club Des Amis, Virus Village, Stand Up Africa, Femme Active, Vie Positive, Femme= Vie, GAP+ PS, Eveil Bouaké, Lumière Action Khorogo, Bayewa, Espoir Fanci

Activités Principales: Le RIP+ apporte la vision stratégique des PVVIH dans le débat national pour la prise de décisions sur leur situation. Il coordonne et organise les activités mutuelles des ONGs et autres associations membres, et constitue la mémoire des activités de prévention et de prise en charge réalisées par ses membres.

RUBAN ROUGE CÔTE D'IVOIRE**CÔTE D'IVOIRE**

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Année fondée: 1994 **Langues principales de travail:** français

Zone géographique: Abidjan, Abengdurou, San Pedro

Financement: USAID en 2001 (400,000 CFA pour la candlelight memorial), Coopération Française

Nombre de membres: 700 **Nombre VIH+:** 518

Profil d'adhésion: 15 à 70 ans, 51% femmes, 43% hommes, Chrétiens 80%, Musulmans 20%

Profil de Leader: 4 leaders (50% HIV+), 3 hommes et 1 femme âgés entre 25 et 40 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Tous	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Tous	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: FHI, GAPA PA, Amepouh, Lumière action, Club des amis, Solidarité SIDA, Ensemble contre le SIDA, AIDES

Activités principales: Prise en charge psychosociale et médicale des PVVIH, soins à domicile des PVVIH, pharmacie communautaire, groupe auto-support, nutrition, conseil, prévention: sensibilisation urbaine et rurale, formation des pairs-éducateurs en milieu scolaire et en entreprise

SALUD POSITIVA**EQUATORIAL GUINEA****Contact:** David Owono Nsue, Âgent Bank Central Beac

P.O. Box 501, Malabo, Birko Norte, Guinée équatoriale

Tél: 00-240-92010/11 **Fax:** 00-240-92006**Langues principales de travail:** français, español**Zone géographique:** Malabo/Birko Norte, Republica de Guinea Ecuatorial**Financement:** Gouvernement, UNICEF**Nombre de membres:** 40 **Nombre VIH+:** 15**Profil d'adhésion:** 25 hommes, 15 femmes. Ils ont entre 20 et 55 ans. Catholique.**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Tous	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous
Services d'infections opportunistes	Aucun	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Aucun	Support psychosocial	Aucun

Activités principales: Légalisation de l'Association en tant qu' ONG, mise en place de l'organisation**SAVE GENERATION ASSOCIATION TIGRAY****ETHIOPIA****Contact:** Haile Mariam Kifelay

P.O. Box 441, Mekelle, Tigray, Ethiopia

Tel: 251-04-410340 or 41 **E-mail:** SGAT@yahoo.com**Funding:** National HIV/AIDS Prevention Control Program Office**Number members:** 200**Key Activities:** Home-based care and support, testimonials at schools and in the neighborhoods, HIV/AIDS prevention education and training, assistance to families, counseling and public awareness raising, psychosocial support, voluntary test referral**ASSOCIATION GABONAISE D'ASSISTANCE ET ACTIONS AUX PVVIH (AGAAS)****GABON****Contact:** Sidonie Siaka, Présidente AGAAS Educatrice Spécialisée

Libreville, Gabon

BP 13138 AGASS, Libreville, Estuaire, Gabon

Tél: 241-33-1949764620**Année fondée:** 1998 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Gabon**Financement:** USAID**Nombre de membres:** 100 **Nombre VIH+:** 100**Profil d'adhésion:** Toutes catégories**Profil de Leader:** 4 membres leaders: Présidente 37 ans, femme HIV+ et vice président 49 ans, hommes HIV+**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Services de soins à domicile	Peu
Support psychosocial	Peu		

Organisations affiliées: REGAP+ Réseau Gabonais des PVVIH**Activités principales:** campagnes de sensibilisation dans les établissements primaires, secondaires et à l'université, en zone rurale; aide aux orphelins du SIDA. Activités limitées à cause de moyens financiers limités; parfois des donateurs sont des personnes généreuses: Ambassade du Japon, Ambassade des États Unis. L'AGASS s'occupait de la prise en charge des antirétroviraux à l'époque 30 million de budget/années. Aujourd'hui nous faisons le plaidoyer pour l'aide.

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Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** English, Wolof, Mandinka

Geographic coverage: Towns and provinces

Funding: United Nations Development Programme, National AIDS Secretariat (Gambia), fundraising, income-generation projects

Number members: 325 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: Women, 65%; men, 35%; age range, 19–60+; Muslims and Christians

Leadership profile: 10% of members are trained in leadership skills

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: United Nations system, nongovernmental organizations, government institutions, churches, schools, youth groups

Key activities: Income-generation (skills training), counseling, candlelight march, home-based care, advocacy, newsletters; organization is now more open, and members are active in advocacy and have been helping the National AIDS Control Program in its efforts to fight HIV/AIDS in The Gambia

AIDS VOLUNTEERS GHANA ASSOCIATION

GHANA

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Twi

Geographic coverage: Nkawie, Toase, Mpasatia, Gyankobaa, Nynahin, Otaakrom, Asuofua, Sepaase, Abuakwa and Mim of the Atwima District of Ashanti Region of Ghana

Funding: Monthly dues and contributions from members

Number members: 50 **Number HIV-positive:** about 17

Membership profile: About 39 women and 11 men, age 19–54, mostly Christian. Membership is not limited to PLWHA

Leadership profile: 2 HIV-positive members (male and female, about 30 years of age)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Ghana HIV/AIDS Network, Ghana AIDS Commission and Wisdom Association

Key activities: Voluntary counseling and testing, care and support, training of peer educators, formation of school clubs, promotion of volunteer efforts to fight HIV/AIDS

GHANA AIDS TREATMENT ACCESS GROUP (GATAG)

GHANA

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: All 10 regions of Ghana

Funding: From members

Number members: 320 **Number HIV-positive:** 280

Leadership profile: 13 steering committee members

Affiliated organizations: STOP AIDS NOW!, Pan-African HIV/AIDS Treatment Access Movement (PATAM)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Organizing a national treatment literacy program for PLWHA with NGOs and CBOs (seminars to be held in Akosombo, the Cape Coast, Kumasi, and Bolgatanga); brainstorming workshop on treatment to be held with PLWHA, WHO, UNAIDS, GAC, Ministry of Health, USAID, DFID, Family Health International, the media, NACP, and CSO; print treatment literacy materials; with PharmAccess International of Amsterdam, support of psychosocial support groups for PLWHA to exchange experiences, nutrition, and to discuss the side effects of ART; preparing comprehensive 5-year project proposal for awareness-building, treatment, education, and counseling

LIFE RELIEF FOUNDATION**GHANA****Contact:** Cecilia Blankson, Project Coordinator

Life Relief Foundation, Box MC2349, Takoradi, Western Region, 233, Ghana

Tel: 233-31-28050 **Fax:** 233-31-27575 **E-mail:** ceciblinks@yahoo.com; liferelief2001@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001**Geographic coverage:** Western Region, Shama Ahanta East Assembly, and 10 communities**Funding:** Ghana Aids Commission**Number members:** 150 **Number HIV-positive:** 50**Membership profile:** 100 women, 50 men; aged 18–60, mostly Christian**Leadership profile:** The board of directors consists of a deputy director of health services, regional town planning officers, senior nursing officers, and educational and developmental officers**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Ghanet, Association of Nurses in AIDS Care (Akron, Ohio, USA), International Hospices and Palliative Care**Key activities:** Mobilization of community leaders, chiefs, queen mothers, assembly elders, women's and men's groups, and youth leaders; identification and registration of PLWHA, orphans and families; counseling and emotional support, nutrition counseling, drug support, and home visits; weekly radio discussion on stigma, discrimination, and importance of care and support; training of community-based home-care givers; behavior change communication; enrollment of orphans in schools. Long-term goals to enroll orphans in formal schools, establish a community kitchen for malnourished PLWHA and a community-based training center to train home-care givers, to provide skills development and establish a community farm for PLWHA, and to build staff capacity in care and support**SAVELIFE NETWORK****GHANA****Contact:** Josephine Sackey, Project Director

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Tel: 233-251-20661 **E-mail:** jsackey1@yahoo.com; dramantwrk@netscape.net**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Asuogyaman District in the Eastern Region of Ghana**Funding:** Ghana AIDS Commission, other NGOs**Number members:** 11 **Number HIV-positive:** 8**Membership profile:** 8 women aged 25–40; 3 men aged 20–37; all Christian**Leadership profile:** President, woman age 30; administrative officer, woman age 30; secretary, woman age 47, HIV-positive; treasurer, woman age 27, HIV-positive.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Drama Network**Key activities:** Home-based care, provision of financial support to PLWHA, testimonies to the general public, workshop for PLWHA on good nutrition for health**WISDOM ASSOCIATION****GHANA****Contact:** Pappoe Abdullahi Okoe, Coordinator

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E-mail: wisdomgh@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1996 **Main working languages:** Local languages and English**Geographic coverage:** West Africa**Funding:** Ghana AIDS Commission World Education**Number members:** 512 members **Number HIV-positive:** 500**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Home-based services	Many
Psychosocial support	Few		

Key activities: Local soap, bees, making drama, tie-dye

ASSOCIATION GUINÉENNE DES PERSONNES VIVANT AVEC LE VIH

GUINEA

(AGUIP-PLUS)

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Geographic coverage: National
Funding: USAID, GTZ
Number members: 38

Key activities: Counseling and support, participation in sensitization campaigns with international NGOs and Guinean government, testimonies by PLWHA in public, recording of interviews on cassette with HIV-positive members, study trips to France and Sierra Leone to meet other associations

FONDATION ESPOIR GUINÉE (FEG)

GUINEA

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Funding: AIDES, France, CNLS
Number members: 40 (“silent” members)

Key activities: Counseling and support, home visits, referrals from doctors to FEG for people testing HIV-positive (reinforcement of referral system), ARV treatment, study visits and conference participation

AIDS COMMUNITY-BASED OUTREACH SERVICES

KENYA

(ACOBOS)

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Year founded: 1992 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Town of Kisumu town, and Siaya districts
Funding: USAID: 5 sewing machines and 3 knitting machines for skills training and income-generating activities from the American Ambassador’s Self-Help Fund in 1997; encourages PLWHA to work and raise funds, mainly via a workplace program; ACOBOS works and charges fee for companies that goes to PLWHA in education programs (this project needs a subsidy because the economy is depressed; financial support from founding directors via small funds to sustain the organization

Number members: 75 **Number HIV-positive:** 29

Membership profile: About 70% of members are women aged 20–40. Older members aged 55–92 live mostly in rural Siaya district. The men are younger, 18–35, orphans, mostly living with HIV/AIDS. All Christian: Seventh-Day Adventists, Catholics, Anglicans; 20% of members HIV-positive; rest have been widowed or orphaned by AIDS

Leadership profile: The 10-member board of directors includes 5 men and 4 women aged 25–57, 1 PLWHA.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Several womens’ self-help groups and local AIS service organizations

Key activities: Founded 10 years ago by two couples (one with HIV) who were concerned about the plight of PLWHA. ACOBOS stopped providing comprehensive clinical care for PLWHA and their loved ones due to funding constraints. This service provided PLWHA access to care in a familiar environment that ensured both confidentiality and continuity

CAMPAIGNERS FOR AN AIDS FREE SOCIETY (CAFS)**KENYA****Contact:** Caroline Akinyi Sande, Director (Volunteer)

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E-mail: cafs25@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Nairobi, Nyanza, Central, Mombasa**Funding:** all volunteers and well-wishers**Number members:** 30 **Number HIV-positive:** 30**Membership profile:** 12 men, 18 women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Leadership profile: 5 on the board of directors (3 women, 2 men)**Affiliated organizations:** Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS in Kenya (NEPHAK), Network of African People Living with HIV/AIDS (NAP+), Yeskenya, Kenya Red Cross Society**Key activities:** GIPA field workers reducing stigma and discrimination associated with HIV/AIDS, home-based care for PLWHA, orphan care support, awareness-raising on HIV and AIDS, youth issues (rap musicians in group).**COALITION OF HIV INFECTED & AFFECTED COMMUNITY SERVICE****KENYA****ORGANIZATION (CHIASO)****Contact:** Robert Mwai, Treasurer

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Tel: 254-61-5734794301 **E-mail:** chiasko@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** Kiswahili and English**Geographic coverage:** Province**Funding:** Revolving fund through our members**Number members:** 100+ **Number HIV-positive:** all**Membership profile:** men, youth, all religions**Leadership profile:** 70% women, 30% men; aged 25–49**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: An umbrella organization for other small groups.**Key activities:** Community mobilization, advocating for behavior change, represented at all policy-making organizations**CROSS MIRACLE CENTRE–YOUTH TO COMMUNITY ACTION GROUP****KENYA****(CMC-YCAG)**<http://www.cmc-ycag.kabissa.org>

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Tel: 254-59-222180 or 21045 **Fax:** 254-59-22190 **E-mail:** ojto_stephen@kenya.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Suba District Kenya**Number members:** 40 **Number HIV-positive:** 15**Membership profile:** Both men and women aged 15–45; affiliated with Cross Miracle Centre Ministries**Leadership profile:** Seven official, 60% positive, 60% female, 40% male, age 19–45**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Cross Miracle Centre Ministries, Redeemed Gospel Church, ICIPE-Mbita, MOARD, Kenya government**Key activities:** Address the gender relations that predispose people to HIV infection and that affect the care of affected families. Promote the development of economic skills among the less-privileged

HELPING ORPHANS, YOUTHS AND WIDOWS IN KENYA**KENYA****(HOYWIK PROGRAMMES)**<http://aryi.interconnection.org>**Contact:** Ngare Zachary, Project Director

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Tel: 254-733-289349 **E-mail:** hoywikprogrammes@yahoo.com; zaxgare@yahoo.co.uk**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** Kiswahili, English**Geographic coverage:** Nairobi Kibera slums, Rachuonyo District, Siaya District, Kisumu District, Rongo Division**Funding:** Fundraising, membership contributions, well-wishers, Friends of HOYWIK programs**Number members:** 500 **Number HIV-positive:** 300**Membership profile:** 200 men, 300 women; aged 18–40 years; Christians and Muslims**Leadership profile:** 3 women, 3 men; HIV-positive persons work in each department.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Africa Regional Youth Initiative (ARYI)

Key activities: Home-based care services, advocacy and lobbying, candlelight commemorations, education for orphans, seminars and workshops, income-generating activities, nutrition, HIV/AIDS awareness activities, referrals for treatments. We are looking for partnerships, and for funds or grants. We accept donation such as clothes, used shoes, and bedding for orphans. We accept donations of ARVs and other drugs. We seek agencies that can provide training for our volunteers on project implementation.

JOMMFA WOMEN GROUP**KENYA****Contact:** Tanu Daniel Thuo, Secretary

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Tel: 254-60-722465911**E-mail:** joannyambura@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1996 **Main working languages:** English, Kiswahili, Kikuyu**Geographic coverage:** Central Province and Muranga District of Kenya**Funding:** National AIDS Control Council**Number members:** 26 **Number HIV-positive:** 18**Membership profile:** 20 women, 6 men**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: CHIACSO Central Province, NEPHAK Kenya**Key activities:** Caring for orphans, AIDS awareness, and care and support for PLWHA**KARIOBANGI SUPPORT GROUP****KENYA****Contact:** Daniel Arnest Muaru, Chairman

Box 71887, Nairobi, Kenya

Tel: 254-784716 **Fax:** 254-786716**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Kiswahili**Geographic coverage:** Nairobi, Kenya**Number members:** 30+ **Number HIV-positive:** 30+**Key activities:** Counseling and support for people infected with and affected by HIV/AIDS, and children orphaned by AIDS.

KURIA ASSOCIATION OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS**KENYA**

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E-mail: richardkibureny@yahoo.com
Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Swahili, Kuria
Geographic coverage: District
Number members: 436 **Number HIV-positive:** 249
Leadership profile: chairman, secretary, treasurer, 2 board members
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: National Association of People Living with HIV/AIDS

Key activities: We were the first to bring awareness of HIV and AIDS to the community and district. Our goals are to disavow the culture of wife inheritance when a man dies from AIDS; to fight stigma, rejection, and discrimination; to work with youth to promote condom education; to teach that everyone can get HIV/AIDS and that being HIV-positive is not the end; to promote how to care for a sick person and good nutrition. We want funding to conduct a house-to-house campaign in the district, to distribute drugs, to make a video, to offer voluntary counseling and testing in the office, and to have enough counselors.

LANGATA RESOURCE CENTRE**KENYA**

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Kiswahili
Number members: 20 including 4 voluntary counseling and testing counselors **Number HIV-positive:** 50%
Membership profile: men and women, youth, Christians and Muslims
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Kenya Center for Disease Control

Key activities: Mobilizing communities, families, and soldiers on HIV/AIDS and offering voluntary counseling and testing for those who want an HIV test; offering seminars and workshops on HIV/AIDS; teaching about nutrition for those who have been infected with HIV; formation of a posttest club

MODU HEALTH MANAGEMENT CENTRE**KENYA**

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Swahili
Geographic coverage: All of Kenya (Nyanza, Nairobi, Coast, Central)

Funding: Family Health International, Elton John Foundation, Hope for African Children, AMREF, Plan International, contributions from directors

Number members: 800 **Number HIV-positive:** All are HIV-positive
Membership profile: Women and men to age 60, Christians
Leadership profile: Program assistants, community health workers, clinicians, health officers
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Modupharma Limited, Business Card Link

Key activities: Training in adolescent skills/character building, capacity-building, nutrition skills and counseling, kitchen demonstrations, provision of home-based care kits that include comprehensive nutrition support, village pharmacies, income-generating activities through growth and production of nutritious foods. We wish to collaborate with other organizations seeking nutrition assistance or that wish to address food security issues.

NATIONAL AIDS/STDS CONTROL PROGRAMME

KENYA

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Main working languages: English, Kiswahili
Geographic coverage: Nairobi Province, Kenyatta Grounds in Nairobi, Kenya.
Funding: USAID (for VCT), OPEC/WHO, CDC, Government of Kenya (MOH), HAPAC/FHI, DARE
Number members: 60 government employees
Key activities: Coordination and implementation of voluntary counseling and testing, blood safety, ARVs, prevention of mother-to-child transmission, sexually transmitted infections, TB/leprosy, monitoring and evaluation

NATIONAL EMPOWERMENT NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS IN KENYA (NEPHAK)

KENYA

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Tel: 254 020 2736415; 734 421199; 722 749603 **E-mail:** inviom@yahoo.com
Year founded: 2000
Main working languages: English, Kiswahili
Geographic coverage: National
Funding: Government of Kenya, international partners like the POLICY Project, FHI and well wishers, membership fees (anticipated)
Affiliated organizations: WOFAK, KENWA, TAPWAK MMAK and several CBOs in Kenya
Leadership profile: 18, 2 from each province, gender balanced
Key activities: advocacy, capacity building, psychological support, mobilization, partnerships, monitoring

ST. STEPHEN'S CATHEDRAL WIDOWS GROUP

KENYA

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Tel: 254-0722-311440 **E-mail:** nyodipo@yahoo.com
Year founded: 1998 **Main working languages:** English, Dholuo
Geographic coverage: Mainly the periphery of the town of Kisumu, but some outreach within the country
Funding: Contributions from members, associate members, harambees, income-generating activities, and well-wishers
Number members: 32 **Number HIV-positive:** 5
Membership profile: Widowed women age 29–55 who are members of St. Stephen's Cathedral (Anglican), and are either infected or affected by HIV/AIDS. The work they do is voluntary.
Leadership profile: Chairlady; secretary; assistant chairlady/coordinator; treasurer; organizing secretary; departments management; welfare, development (income-generation), savings, HIV/AIDS, orphans

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Women Fighting HIV/AIDS in Kenya.
Key activities: Counseling, voluntary counseling and testing, HIV/AIDS and youth, spiritual and general care, home-based care, mobile clinic, essential drug supply, orphans support, nutrition education

TEENAGE MOTHERS ASSOCIATION OF KENYA**KENYA**<http://www.net-kenya.com/temak>

Box 4220, Kisumu, Nyanza, Kenya

Tel: 254-020-05740460 **E-mail:** temak@mailkisumu.com**Contact:** Lillian Atieno Oruenjo, Coordinator

Box 491, Siaya, Kenya

Tel: 254-057-32119 **E-mail:** lillianoruenjo@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1994 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Province**Funding:** Kenyan government and the Christian Church of Kisumu**Number members:** 35 HIV-positive members**Membership profile:** Women aged 16–35, no religious restrictions**Leadership profile:** 12 men and women; all are HIV-positive, aged 20–35 years**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: A club in the Patel flats

Key activities: Provide treatment for teen mothers and their children twice a week; provide nonformal education for children of teenage mothers and children orphaned by AIDS; provide loans so girls can start small businesses; distribute food, clothing, and medicines to girls living with AIDS; pay their rent; promote spiritual awareness and teachings for PLWHA, offer counseling to youths, especially girls and single moms; provide training on tailoring, typing, computers, hairdressing, crafts, ornaments, and housekeeping; organize workshops on HIV/AIDS; fight for children's rights

TU-UNGANE KAKAMAEGA SUPPORT GROUP**KENYA**

P.O. Box 838, KAK, Kakamega, Western, Kenya

Contact: Maela Miheso, Chairperson

P.O. Box 2086, Kakamega, Western, Kenya

Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Swahili**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** NACC (Government of Kenya)**Number members:** 28 **Number HIV-positive:** 27**Leadership profile:** All are HIV-positive and all have gone public**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: SWAK, NEPHAK, PSI**Key activities:** Outreach awareness, entertainment on HIV education, farming**YES PLUS SUPPORT GROUP****KENYA****Contact:** Margaret C. Wambete, Secretary

Box 4789, Eldoret, Nairobi, Rift Valley Province, Kenya

Tel: 254-30100 **E-mail:** pes_plus_kenya@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Village-Langac, Pioneer Uasin Gishu District, Rift Valley Province**Funding:** Well-wishers**Number members:** 60 **Number HIV-positive:** 60**Membership profile:** men and women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Ministry of Health, District Social Services, community-based organizations**Key activities:** One-to-one counseling, monthly group therapy, awareness and advocacy of legal rights of PLWHA, home-based care

PLOWA LESOTHO (PEOPLE LIVING OPENLY WITH AIDS)

LESOTHO

Contact: Ntilo Matela, Founder and Chairperson
 c/o LAPCA, P.O. Box 527, Maseru, Lesotho
Tel: 266-5886-3570

Geographic coverage: Maseru district and its outskirts, Mafeteng district, Berea district, countrywide (motivational talks) as per invitation and availability of funds

Number members: 60

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Home-based care, home visits, motivational talks, lobbying for ARVs

ASSOCIATION OF LIBERIAN PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (ALL+)

LIBERIA

Stop AIDS In Liberia (SAIL) Building, Corner of Sekou Toure Avenue/Mechlin Street, P.O.Box 20-5472, 1000 Monrovia, Montserrodo County, Liberia

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Contact: Stephen McGill, Member

6113 Woodland Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19142 USA

Tel: 215-727-6160 **Fax:** 214-985-4492 **E-mail:** smcgill_sail@yahoo.com

Year founded: 1999 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: ALL+ carries out its work in and around Monrovia with the hope of expanding its work beyond Monrovia to other parts of the country by reaching immediate border towns and villages with common tribes.

Funding: From income-generating projects such as vegetable gardening, arts and crafts, greeting cards, dolls, and bread; and from fundraising events

Number members: 50 **Number HIV-positive:** 45

Membership profile: 32 women aged 15–45 years; 18 men aged 21–50 years; Muslims, Christians, traditional beliefs and backgrounds

Leadership profile: President and coordinator; membership open to all PLWHA in Liberia; affiliate membership open to affected family members and friends, 95% of ALL+ members are PLWHA, 5% of ALL+ members are either affected by HIV/AIDS or they do not have HIV; youngest member is age 15, oldest member is age 50

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Stop AIDS In Liberia (SAIL), National AIDS/STIs Control Program (NACP), AIDS Alliance In Nigeria (AAN), African Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS, GNP+, Global Health Council

Key activities: Income-generating projects; World AIDS Day observance; international AIDS candlelight observance; HIV/AIDS musical concerts; HIV/AIDS walk/matches; home-based care services and support for PLWHA; psychosocial support for PLWHA and their family members; counseling; community-based outreach activities to create HIV/AIDS awareness campaigns in schools, markets, and other public places; distribution of HIV/AIDS educational materials; soccer/football matches for young people

LIGHT ASSOCIATION OF LIBERIA

LIBERIA

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E-mail: kpannah2001@yahoo.com; lightassn@yahoo.com

Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Monserrado County; Monrovia

Funding: Ministry of Health (NACP), UNDP Liberia, churches

Number members: 278 **Number HIV-positive:** 278

Membership profile: Open to all religions, genders, and ages

Leadership profile: President and coordinator; membership is open to all regardless of HIV/AIDS status

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Nongovernmental and community-based organizations in Liberia

Key activities: The president of the Light Association of Liberia was the first HIV-positive person in Liberia to break the silence; now PLWHA are visible. Public speaking; World AIDS Day observance; workshops; home-based care services and support for PLWHA; psychosocial support for PLWHA and their families; voluntary counseling and testing; home-based care; hospital visitation for sick members; support-group meetings for PLWHA and their families; outreach activities

JERICHO COMPASSIONATE MINISTRIES**MALAWI**

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Tel: 265-9-916898 **Fax:** 265-1-621150 **E-mail:** grace2u@africaonline.com
Year founded: 1995
Main working languages: English, Chichewa
Geographic coverage: Nationwide
Number members: 10
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: ANERELA+, GNP+
Key activities: Sensitizing, role-modeling, youth camps

LIGHTHOUSE TRUST PROJECT**MALAWI**

Contact: Enous Nkhoma Changana, Programme Coordinator
Lighthouse Trust Project, P.O. Box 106, Lilongwe, Malawi
Tel: 265-758705 **Fax:** 265-01-758705
Funding: USAID (for community home-based care), DC, CAFOD
Number members: 45
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Psychosocial support	All		

Affiliated organizations: National AIDS Commission, Ministry of Health, MANET
Key activities: Operating to capacity, systematizing documentation of the model, training for purposes of scaling up

MALAWI NETWORK OF AIDS SERVICE ORGANIZATION (MANASO)**MALAWI**

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Year founded: 1992 **Main working languages:** English, local languages
Geographic coverage: Nationwide
Funding: USAID (for care, support, and administration June 2002–June 2003), IGAS, CIDA
Number members: 900 PLHWA support groups **Number HIV-positive:** All
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: UMDYO, USAID Network, National AIDS Commission
Key activities: Networking and supporting PLWHA and PLHWA support groups

NKHOTAKOTA AIDS SUPPORT ORGANIZATION**MALAWI**

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Tel: 265-292-404 **Fax:** 265-292-404 **E-mail:** naso@clcou.net
Year founded: 1992 **Main working languages:** Chichewa, English
Geographic coverage: District
Number members: 102 **Number HIV-positive:** 102
Affiliated organizations: Malawi Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS, Malawi Network of AIDS Services Organizations
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Psychosocial support	None		

Key activities: Outreach for youth and PLWHA, care and support for orphans and PLHWA, pretest and posttest counseling, youth-friendly health services, group therapies for PLWHA, community mobilization, capacity-building

STOP SIDA**MAURITANIA****Contact:** Aichetou Mint Lebaye, Secrétaire Général

BP 3145, Nouakchott, Mauritanie

Tél: 00-222-525 82 18 **E-mail:** stopSIDA_rim@yahoo.fr**Année fondée:** 1993 **Langues principales de travail:** français, arabe**Zone géographique:** 7 régions (Trarza, Brakna, Assaba, Hodh el Chargui, Adrar, Dakhlet-Nouadhibou, District de Nouakchott)**Financement:** USAID, OMS, gouvernement**Profil d'adhésion:** Femmes et hommes (jeunes âgés de 14 à 25 ans) tous musulmans.**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Plusieurs
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: RONASIMA**Activités principales:** formation des leaders religieux, formation des femmes responsables des coopératives (Femmes-Relais), formation des pairs, sensibilisation du grand public, prise en charge des PVVIH, activités génératrices de revenus pour les PVVIH**ASSOCIAÇÃO KEWA****MOZAMBIQUE****Contato:** Pedro Francisco Malua, Conselheiro

Avenida Samara Machel, Hospital Provincial da Zambezia, Quelimane, Zambezia, Moçambique

Tel: 258-04-212294/326**Ano de fundação:** 2002 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Chuabo, Lome**Cobertura geográfica:** A província**Fontes de recursos:** Donativos de missionários e da sociedade em geral; a partir de novembro, vamos receber fundos da UNICEF.**Número de associados:** 70 **Número de associados HIV+:** 55**Perfil dos associados:** Idade entre 16 e 52 anos; ambos os sexos e diversas religiões; 55 pessoas (78.5%) são seropositivas de ambos sexos, idades entre 18 e 52 anos**Associados HIV+ com acesso a:**

Aconselhamento nutricional	Todos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Todos
Serviços de infecções oportunistas	Todos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliares	Nenhum	Apoio psicossocial	Todos

Organizações filiadas: RENSIDA (associação de pessoas vivendo com VIH/SIDA em todo Moçambique)**Principais atividades:** Aconselhamento, visitas a domicílio, apoio domiciliário, integração de crianças órfãs em famílias, actividades de subsistência tais como bordados, artesanato e costura**ASSOCIAÇÃO KINDBUNKA****MOZAMBIQUE**

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Avenida Eduardo Mondlane 1632, 1 andar direito, Bairro Control, Maputo, Maputo, Moçambique

Tel: 258-1-304610 **Fax:** 258-1-304610**Ano de fundação:** 1996 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Ronga e Cefanga**Cobertura geográfica:** Cidade, distrito e província**Fontes de recursos:** USAID (em 2001 recebemos material de escritório e financiamento para a troca de experiências), SAT, UNICEF, PNUD**Número de associados:** 359 **Número de associados HIV+:** 325**Perfil dos associados:** Idades 20 a 59 anos, ambos sexos e diversas religiões**Perfil da liderança:** Presidente, Vice Presidente e Secretário da Assembléia Geral, Direcção Executiva e Conselho Fiscal são seropositivos. Idades variam entre 29 e 46 anos.**Associados HIV+ com acesso a:**

Aconselhamento nutricional	Poucos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Poucos
Serviços de infecções oportunistas	Muitos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliares	Poucos	Apoio psicossocial	Muitos

Organizações filiadas: MONASO, Conselho Cristão de Moçambique, Rede Nacional de Associações de PUHS em Moçambique**Principais atividades:** Geração de renda; corte e costura, produção de artigos de bordado; aconselhamento; cuidados domiciliários; educação de jovens

ASSOCIAÇÃO NIVENYEE DE PESSOAS VIVENDO COM HIV/SIDA**MOZAMBIQUE****E SIMPATIZANTES****Contato:** Sílvio Saide, Presidente Executivo

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Tel: 258-82-815002; 258-6-216119 **Fax:** 258-6-216119 **E-mail:** silsaide2003@yahoo.com.br; nivenyee-npl@teledata.mz**Ano de fundação:** 2001 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Macua**Cobertura geográfica:** Cidade de Nampula e 10 distritos da província de Nampula**Fontes de recursos:** Hivos, MS-Associação Dinamarquesa**Número de associados:** 373 **Número de associados HIV+:** 230**Perfil dos associados:** Idades entre 18 e 40 anos.**Perfil da liderança:** Dois órgãos sociais (Assembleia Geral e Conselho Fiscal) com 3 pessoas cada um; órgão executivo, com 3 pessoas; 90% são HIV-positivos**Associados HIV+ com acesso a:**

Aconselhamento nutricional	Muitos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Muitos
Serviços de infeções oportunistas	Muitos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliários	Muitos	Apoio psicossocial	Muitos

Organizações filiadas: RENSIDA (Rede Nacional de Organizações de Pessoas Vivendo com HIV/SIDA) e MONASO (Rede Moçambicana de Organizações Contra SIDA)**Principais atividades:** Visitas e cuidados domiciliários e assistência a pessoas vivendo com HIV e SIDA e crianças órfãs de pais vítimas de SIDA; actividades de sensibilização nas comunidades acerca dos perigos do SIDA (palestras, projecção de filmes educativos, teatro, canto e dança, debates em rádio e de mesa redonda, aconselhamento, formações em HIV/SIDA, promoção de projectos de auto-ajuda de sustentabilidade e visitas de intercâmbio com outras organizações**ASSOCIAÇÃO UTOMI****MOZAMBIQUE****Contato:** Abecassis Veloso, Coordenador

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Tel: 258-23-20207 **Fax:** 258-23-20204 **E-mail:** csimbaine90@hotmail.com**Ano de fundação:** 2001 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Inglês**Cobertura geográfica:** Província de Inhambane**Fontes de recursos:** UNICEF, FDC e o governo**Número de associados HIV+:** 36**Perfil da liderança:** Todos seropositivos.**Associados HIV+ com acesso a:**

Aconselhamento nutricional	Muitos	Anti-retrovirais	Muitos
Serviços domiciliários	Muitos		

Principais atividades: Actividades de geração de fundos para PVHS, aconselhamento e cuidados domiciliários.**CHIGWIRIZANO-ASSOCIAÇÃO DE PESSOAS VIVENDO COM VIH/SIDA****MOZAMBIQUE****Contato:** Julio Sapulene

Médico Sem Fronteira, Avenida Mondlane, Tete, Moçambique

Tel: 258-052-23901 **Fax:** 258-052-23901**Ano de fundação:** 1992 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Nyunyue, Cena, Nyanja, Chuwa**Cobertura geográfica:** Todos os distritos da província**Fontes de recursos:** Promoção de actividades de rendimento; costura, mosaico, batique, estampagens e feitura de laços de solidariedade do VIH e feitura de mensagens**Número de associados:** 63 **Número de associados HIV+:** 55**Perfil dos associados:** O maior grupo é de jovens; o segundo grupo é de adultos, de ambos os sexos, religião protestante.**Perfil da liderança:** Total de 8 pessoas; todas seropositivas, salvo o Coordenador Executivo, que é contratado.**Associados HIV+ com acesso a:**

Aconselhamento nutricional	Poucos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Todos
Serviços de infeções oportunistas	Todos	Anti-retrovirais	Poucos
Serviços domiciliários	Poucos	Apoio psicossocial	Poucos

Organizações filiadas: Associação de Mulheres Viúvas de Vítimas de VIH/SIDA, grupos de teatros locais e provinciais; MSF; Monaso; NPC**Principais atividades:** Sensibilização para VIH/SIDA, aconselhamento a PVHS, angariação de fundos dos membros, divulgação da lei dos direitos das PVHS no sector do trabalho, cuidados com crianças órfãs, cuidados domiciliários

KEWA

MOZAMBIQUE

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Ano de fundação: 2002 Principais idiomas de trabalho: Português, Chuabo, Lome

Cobertura geográfica: Provincial

Fontes de recursos: costura, bordados, artesanatos, machambas

Número de associados: 70 Número de associados HIV+: 55

Perfil dos associados: Idades 18 a 55 anos Perfil da liderança: 55 seropositivos; 15 seronegativos

Associados HIV+ com acesso a:

Aconselhamento nutricional	Muitos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Todos
Serviços de infeções oportunistas	Todos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliares	Poucos	Apoio psicossocial	Todos

Organizações filiadas: Manoso-Zambezia

Principais atividades: Aconselhamento (DTS, VIH/SIDA), visitas domiciliares, palestras (IEC), e apoio moral às crianças orfãs

KUBATAMA-UNIÃO

MOZAMBIQUE

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Ano de fundação: 1996

Fontes de recursos: Donativos através da UNICEF, GTZ, cooperação alemã; PMA, IACT-MUTARE Zimbabwe

Número de associados: 76 Número de associados HIV+: 51

Perfil da liderança: 38% mulheres e 60% homens

Associados HIV+ com acesso a:

Aconselhamento nutricional	Todos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Poucos
Serviços de infeções oportunistas	Todos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliares	Todos	Apoio psicossocial	Todos

Organizações filiadas: MOMASO, RENSIDA

Principais atividades: Advocacia, aconselhamento, cuidados domiciliares, promoção de auto-apoio, distribuição de produtos alimentares aos doentes e crianças órfãs de SIDA na comunidade, referência de pessoas à GATVS e centros de saúde, em particular ao hospital de DIA; encontros e seminários, atividades de quebra do silêncio em relação ao VIH. Alguns associados cuidam das crianças órfãs em suas casas.

KUVUMBANA ASSOCIAÇÃO DE PESSOAS VIVENDO COM HIV E SIDA

MOZAMBIQUE

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Estrada da Praia do Xai-Xai ao Lado da Delegação D, Xai-Xai, Gaza, Moçambique

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Ano de fundação: 2002 Principais idiomas de trabalho: Português

Cobertura geográfica: Cidade de Xai-Xai, Distrito de Xai-Xai, Província de Gaza

Fontes de recursos: Southern African AIDS Trust, WFP-PMA

Número de associados: 12,600 Número de associados HIV+: 400

Perfil dos associados: até 60 anos de idade, ambos os sexos, religiões cristã, muçulmana, animista

Perfil da liderança: 10; 90% é HIV+; 7 mulheres e 3 homens; Idades 20-60 anos

Associados HIV+ com acesso a:

Aconselhamento nutricional	Poucos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Muitos
Serviços de infeções oportunistas	Todos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliares	Todos	Apoio psicossocial	Poucos

Principais atividades: Educação de pares, aconselhamento, visitas domiciliares e cuidados com PLWHA, cuidados e apoio as crianças vulneráveis, mobilização comunitária, apoio alimentar/nutrição com cesta básica aos doentes vivendo com HIV/SIDA e crianças vulneráveis

REDE NACIONAL DE ORGANIZAÇÕES DE PESSOAS VIVENDO**MOZAMBIQUE****COM HIV/SIDA (RENSIDA)**

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Ano de fundação: 2001 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português e Inglês

Cobertura geográfica: Âmbito nacional, com associadas em todas as províncias do país. Os associados da RENSIDA não são pessoas ou indivíduos, mas sim associações de PWA

Fontes de recursos: UNCEF, SAT Programm, Actionaid

Número de associados: 19 associações, com uma média de 180 pessoas em cada associação **Número de associados HIV+:** Todos menos o pessoal técnico contratado, que são muito poucos

Perfil dos associados: Grupo heterogêneo; média de idade 30 anos; distribuição equilibrada de sexos; religiões são livres e respeitadas desde que estas não perturbem o bom funcionamento da instituição.

Perfil da liderança: Cargos eletivos só são permitidos a candidatos HIV-positivos; Qualquer vaga é primeiro posta à disposição das PWA, depois à disposição de outras pessoas não HIV+.

Associados HIV+ com acesso a:

Aconselhamento nutricional	Poucos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Nenhum
Serviços de infeções oportunistas	Poucos	Anti-retrovirais	Nenhum
Serviços domiciliares	Nenhum	Apoio psicossocial	Poucos

Principais atividades: - Assistência a crianças órfãs em 15 distritos de 5 províncias nas áreas de saúde (malária, doenças diarreicas e vacinação); água, higiene e saneamento ambiental; educação, registro social e aconselhamento em HIV/SIDA; compra de material escolar completo para 2.500 crianças órfãs e vulneráveis; compra e distribuição de bicicletas para 39 activistas comunitários; criação de mais 9 associações de PWA; realização de formações nas áreas de liderança, gestão financeira, de projectos e de conflitos; capacitação de activistas para atendimento comunitário de crianças órfãs, lobby e advocacia, documentação, cuidados ao domicílio; angariação de fundos para as associações membros da RENSIDA; resolução de conflitos dentro das associações membros; actividades de representação, Conferência de Kampala de PWA, representação nos vários foruns nacionais e internacionais; liderança na campanha nacional de advocacia para criação e aprovação de uma lei que defenda os direitos humanos das pessoas vivendo com HIV/SIDA

LIRONGA EPARU (NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PEOPLE LIVING**NAMIBIA****WITH HIV/AIDS)**

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Year founded: 1999 **Main working languages:** English, all local Namibian languages

Geographic coverage: Fully operational support groups in all 13 regions of Namibia. Four regional offices for the association have been opened nationwide.

Funding: Local companies through the UNAIDS menu of partnership, local NGOs, HIVOS, IBIS, Global Fund, DFID

Number members: 10,000 **Number HIV-positive:** 92%

Membership profile: 9,200 women, 800 men

Leadership profile: Board of Trustees: 5 members, 2 of whom are HIV-positive; National Management Committee: 4 members, all of whom are HIV-positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: NANASO, NAP+

Key activities: Outreach programs, treatment consultations, first-ever congress for PLWHA (2002–2003), sexual and reproductive health training, Young Ambassador of Hope Project, advocacy, social support, burials and funerals, support groups meetings, leadership training, income-generation, training workshops, public speaking training, establishment of national office and two regional offices in 2003

ADOLESCENT HEALTH VANGUARD**NIGERIA**

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 G.P.O. Box 11769, Dugbe Post Office, Ibadan, Oyo State, 234 Nigeria
E-mail: mailfresh@ny.com; ahv_org@yahoo.com

Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Yoruba

Geographic coverage: Oyo, Ibadan; Osun, Ede; Ondo, Akungba

Funding: Individual fundraising

Number members: 15 **Number HIV-positive:** None

Key activities: Mobilization, seminars, outreach program for out-of-school youth

AFRIHEALTH OPTONET ASSOCIATION**NIGERIA****Contact:** Dr. Uzodinma A. Adirieje, Secretary General

Afrihealth Optonet Association, P.O. Box 4127, Oshodi, Lagos 100010, Nigeria

Tel: 234-1-4803550 **Fax:** 234-1-4520333 **E-mail:** afrihealthoptonet_ng@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1995 **Main working languages:** English, Hausa, Igbo, Yoruba**Geographic coverage:** Lagos State and Imo State**Funding:** Dues, sales of publications, levies, grants, endowments, donations**Number members:** 54 **Number HIV-positive:** 2**Membership profile:** Nonreligious**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Publication of information, education, and communication materials, including distribution of *HIV/AIDS Care: Beyond ARVs and Advocacy*; participation at the 13th ICASA and at other local opportunities; HIV/AIDS counseling and education during World AIDS Day 2003. Afrihealth Optonet Association seeks to implement its programs using research, intervention, education, information, and advocacy. The organisation focuses on the disadvantaged and most vulnerable groups in society, especially women, youth, children, and the elderly in poor urban and rural communities.

AIDS ALLIANCE IN NIGERIA***NIGERIA**<http://www.aidsallianceinnigeria.org>**Contact:** Mohammed Farouk-Auwalu, Executive Director

26 Igboere Road, Lagos Island, Nigeria

Tel: 234-803 304 6972 **Fax:** 234-2600029 **E-mail:** mohammed@aidsallianceinnigeria.org**Contact:** Mary Andondaye, Counselor

P.O. Box 728, Satellite Town, Lagos 234, Nigeria

Tel: 234-01-2600047 **Fax:** 234-01-2600029 **E-mail:** umgbeb@yahoo.co.uk; nigeria_aidsalliance@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1999 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** AAN has offices in Lagos, Abuja, and Kaduna. Nigerians benefit from radio, TV, and telephone programs**Funding:** USAID (\$400,000 at the national level; funds AIDS Online Radio/TV program through FHI), The Ford Foundation, AIDS Prevention Initiative in Nigeria (APIN), World Bank, Italian Cooperation**Number members:** 628 **Number HIV-positive:** 628**Membership profile:** More than 90% of registered members are Christian; more than 55% are women; average age of members is 34**Leadership profile:** 17 people on the project staff (10 are HIV-positive); 9 women, 8 men; average age is 27 years**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Nigerian Network of PLWHA, Civil Society Consultative Group on HIV/AIDS in Nigeria, GNP+, ANP+, Policy Project, Futures Group, USAID, FHI, Stop AIDS In Liberia, NAP+, ICW, The Refugees Community in Nigeria, Kebbi Alliance, Seal the Land, Akwalbon, Benue Network, Save the World, Onisha, All in Nigeria

Key activities: Advocacy and sensitization, microcredit for PLWHA, HIV/AIDS telephone help lines, counseling and support groups, face-to-face counseling, referral services, home-based care and support for PLWHA, media outreach, training of people living with HIV/AIDS and volunteers, research/documentation, production of newsletters and journals, radio/TV program. Compiling a comprehensive treatment guidelines handbook for health care workers and every PLWHA in Nigeria; planning a nationwide treatment advocacy campaign; live phone-in program on radio and TV called AIDS Online; pushing the visibility of PLWHA on the Global Fund CCM in Nigeria and the GIPA principals

*Information combined from three separate entries submitted to the directory.

ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF NENEWI (ADON)**NIGERIA****Contact:** Rev. N.J. Okoli Okeli, Project Coordinator

Counselling Centre, Anglican Diocese of Nnewi, Bishops Court, Nnewi, Anambra, Nigeria

Tel: 234-046-460429 **Fax:** 234-046-460429**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Nnewi, Anambra State**Funding:** USAID (\$27,000 in 2003–2004), income-generating activities**Number members:** 40**Membership profile:** women aged 12–35; Christians and Muslims**Affiliated organizations:** AIDS Alliance, Nigeria Network of PLWHA**Key activities:** Care and support for PLWHA; home-based care for PLWHA; income-generating activities; social mobilization; creating awareness in schools, churches, marketplaces, and with artisans; skill-acquisition training

ASSOCIATION FOR POSITIVE CARE (ASPOCA)**NIGERIA****Contact:** Vitalis Onwumere, President

c/o Youth Development Initiatives, No. 16 Eni Njoku Street, Off MCC Road Ikenegbu Layout, Owerri Municipal Council, Imo State (P.O. Box 82) Ama JK, Nigeria

Tel: 234-803-3330586 **E-mail:** ydi2k@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Igbo**Geographic coverage:** 27 local government areas of Imo State, southeastern Nigeria**Funding:** Youth Development Initiatives, membership dues and registration fees**Number members:** 53 members **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Men and women; most are Christians, all are age 18 or older**Leadership profile:** Six executives (president, vice president, secretary, financial secretary, treasurer, public relations officer), all HIV-positive, men and women, age 18 or older.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Youth Development Initiatives and Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS in Nigeria**Key activities:** Home-based care for members; weekly health talk at Federal Medical Centre, Owerri, Imo State; monthly meeting of support group; participation in World AIDS Day activities for 2003 and in first NACA-SACA Forum in September 2003 in Abuja**BENUE NETWORK OF PLWHA (BNPPLUS)*****NIGERIA****Contact:** Bernard G. Kaa, Project Coordinator and President

BNPPLUS, Pauline Makker Center, high level, P.M.B 102310, Makurdi, Benue, Nigeria

Tel: 234-090-513829 **Fax:** 234-044-533102**E-mail:** bernardkaa@yahoo.com; benuenet2003@yahoo.com**Contact:** Esther Ushie

c/o Engu Chris Anthony, PVW-PRT SPDC, P.O. Box 230, Warri, Delta State, Nigeria

Tel: 223-053-442485 **E-mail:** estybrown@yahoo.com.uk**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Tiv, Idoma, Igede, Hausa**Geographic coverage:** 14 support groups in 10 local government areas of Benue State**Funding:** Members, individual donations, Benue State SACA/World Bank (HAF 2002), CEDPA Lagos (NACA/CEDPA/World Bank), DFID Nigeria, AIDS Alliance in Nigeria, Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS in Nigeria**Number members:** 5,000 (1,500 active members) in 13 support groups **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Christians, Muslims; youths, men, women, orphans, vulnerable children**Leadership profile:** An executive committee headed by Bernard Kaa; executive committee of 8 members**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Some	TB screening and treatment	Some
Opportunistic infection services	Some	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Network of PLWHA in Nigeria, NAP+, Civil Society Consultative Group in Nigeria**Key activities:** Networking in the state among PLWHA groups and with other NGOs and CBOs with similar aims and objectives; advocacy, care, and support; home-based care activities; creation of an enabling environment for effective implementation of activities through 14 support groups in 10 local government areas. Prevention activities include awareness, peer education for in-school youth, education (seminars, rallies, workshops) for PLWHA, persons affected by HIV/AIDS, and community members.

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CATHOLIC WOMEN ORGANISATION**NIGERIA****Contact:** Caroline Enoche, Coordinator

Catholic Women Organisation, St. Mary's Parish Otukpo, Otukpo, Benue State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-044-662650 **Fax:** 234-044-662650**Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Otukpo Benue State**Funding:** USAID**Number members:** >100; working staff of 10**Key activities:** Vulnerable children project; Catholic women in support of HIV project activities; training in home-based care, home and school visits to orphans and caregivers; training for counselors, etc.

CENTRE FOR POSITIVE DEVELOPMENT*

NIGERIA

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Tel: 234-072220255 **Fax:** 234-072220255
E-mail: c4pd@justice.com

Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Hausa, Fulani, Tangale, Tera

Geographic coverage: Gomba State

Number members: 200–1,907

Leadership profile: 2 in the government state action committee on AIDS. Complete Ecco and Zonal leaders

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Some	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: NEPLIHAN Nigeria, ActionAIDS, state government, Ministry of Health, CISCGHAN

Key activities: Home-based care; mobilization and formation of more support groups; education for PLWHA on care and management of their condition; advocacy to prevent the spread of HIV; peer counseling, especially in schools and faith-based organizations; pretest and posttest counseling; capacity-building for PLWHA

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CHURCH OF CHRIST IN NIGERIA (COCIN)

NIGERIA

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COCIN CD Programme, P.M.B. 2127, No. 5 Moad Avenue, Jos, Plateau, Nigeria
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Main working languages: English, Hausa, other local languages

Geographic coverage: Districts

Funding: USAID (for reproductive health, HIV/AIDS, youth and adolescent reproductive health), church contributions

Number members: N/A **Number HIV-positive:** Clinic statistic 15,000

Membership profile: Christian, all ages, gender-sensitive

Leadership profile: The program addresses all ages and both sexes

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Home-based services	Few
Psychosocial support	Few		

Affiliated organizations: Crusade in Nigeria, CEDPA

Key activities: Trainings, home visits, counseling, awareness, campaign seminars, nutrition education, treatment of dioceses, advocacy visits. Community-based holistic integrated programs, service delivery in clinics, family planning, adolescent reproductive health initiative through CEDPA

CONFLUENCE AGAINST AIDS

NIGERIA

Contact: Hajia Rabiat Ajanah, Coordinator
Kosaca, Ministry of Health, Lokoja, Kogi State, Nigeria
Tel: 234-058-222122 (220480); 08034533535

Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Lokoja and Kogi State

Funding: Members and sympathetic individuals

Number members: 55 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: men and women, 13–50 years of age, Christians and Muslims

Leadership profile: Four executives (coordinator, secretary, treasurer, and publicity officer) 20–40 years of age, men and women

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Home-based care, regular monthly meetings, counseling, welfare support for members, access to antiretroviral drugs, caring for children orphaned by AIDS, transportation reimbursements, food supplements for members. We seek donations of brochures, documents, and we ask for moral and financial support

FAMILY HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES (FAHEDI)**NIGERIA**

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Tel: 080-33429051 **E-mail:** fahedife@yahoo.com
Year founded: 1990 **Main working languages:** English, Yoruba
Geographic coverage: Osun, Oyo, Onyo Amy Ekiti States
Funding: Membership contributions
Number members: 21 **Number HIV-positive:** 1

Affiliated organizations: Network on ethics, law, HIV/AIDS, prevention, care, and support (NELA)
Key activities: Our focus is on farming communities: Training workshops for peer educators in selected secondary schools; sensitization and mobilization for action on HIV/AIDS prevention, care and support; training for traditional chiefs as gateways for community action for HIV/AIDS prevention, care and support; training of community mobilizers and counselors; opening of a counseling unit and information centers on health and development issues.

FEMININE & CHILDREN CARE ORGANIZATION**NIGERIA**

Contact: Ibekwe Angela, Project Manager
9 Ozala Road, P.O. Box 9152, Onitsha, Anambra State, Nigeria
Tel: 234-046-08033380487
E-mail: fecare2010@yahoo.com
Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Igbo
Geographic coverage: Onitsha, North and South, Nkpov, Nnewi (all in Anambra state)
Funding: Churches in Onitsha
Number members: 68 **Number HIV-positive:** 62
Membership profile: all women, all ages; all religions
Leadership profile: 80% are young
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Save the World Organization, Hope Given, Help the Living (all in Onitsha)
Key activities: Voluntary counseling and testing (VCT); prevention of mother-to-child transmission (PMTCT); public education activities (community forum, tables at public events, church programs on PMTCT); educating colleagues and local constituencies in meeting presentations; in-service training on PMTCT and VCT; obtaining funding from churches to help children infected and affected by HIV/AIDS

HOPE FOR AIDS OUTREACH**NIGERIA**

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Tel: 234-80-33484595 **E-mail:** ajenifuja@hotmail.com; hope4aids@yahoo.com
Geographic coverage: Nationwide
Funding: Self-funded; technical support from international organizations such as Society for Family Health and CEDPA
Number members: 115 **Number HIV-positive:** 75
Membership profile: Christian
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Fellowship in prayer and fasting, capacity-development training, awareness-training workshops with various groups in churches throughout the nation

HOPE GIVERS ORGANIZATION**NIGERIA**

Regina Caeli R.C.M. Hospital, Akwa, Anambra, Nigeria

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Anambra State Water Corporation, Head Quarters, 62 Ifite Rd., P.M.B. 5028, Akwa, Anambra, Nigeria

E-mail: fecare2010@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Awka**Geographic coverage:** Awka, Anambra, Nigeria**Funding:** Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS; lateness and monthly dues**Number members:** 200 **Number HIV-positive:** 200**Membership profile:** agesd 13–50**Leadership profile:** Men and women aged 13–50**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Save the World Organization, 94 Awka Rd.**Key activities:** Capacity-building, counseling**HOPE INFORMATION CENTRE****NIGERIA****Contact:** Mamman Punta, Coordinator

Ministry of Land and Survey, P.M.B. 1081, Maiduguri, Borno, Nigeria

Tel: 234-76-232278 **Fax:** 234-76-231320 **E-mail:** C4pd2000@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Kanuri, Hausa, Ibo, Bura/Babur, Mungi**Geographic coverage:** Borno State**Funding:** Nil so far**Number members:** 126 **Number HIV-positive:** All (>2,000 PLWHA currently accessing antiretroviral drugs at the teaching hospital in Maiduguri)**Membership profile:** Members are mostly women, Muslims and Christians; more youths than adults, a considerable number of orphans**Leadership profile:** 6 leaders (3 women, 3 men); all are HIV-positive**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: NEPWHAN, CISCGHAN**Key activities:** Guidance and counseling, advocacy/mobilization, care and support, health education for people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS. Rapid growth is due to the large number of infected persons in the community who need assistance.**HOPE OF LIFE FOUNDATION OF PLWHA****NIGERIA****Contact:** Joesph Ibe-Egwu, President/Founder

#30 Umunevo Street, Ogui New Layout, Enugu, Enugu State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-042-259766080371345 **E-mail:** princejoellyster@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** State**Funding:** PLWHA individual self-donations**Number members:** 53 **Number HIV-positive:** 53**Membership profile:** Men and women; children and orphans; Women AIDS Collective (WACOL) and Society for Women on AIDS Nigeria (SWANN), Enugu State**Leadership profile:** 5 HIV-positive (2 men, 3 women; aged 40, 38, 35, and 25)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Creating awareness and sensitive HIV/AIDS information; radio diaries; rallies in schools; workshops/seminars in churches. Hope of Life Foundation is a support group of persons living with HIV/AIDS that offers support and microcredit for members who want to embark on economic empowerment

HOPE RESTORERS**NIGERIA**

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 YOTASCID (Youth Team In Action Supporting Community Initiated Development)
 Angwam Bajju's Palace, Zonkwa, Zango Kataf LGA, Kaduna State, Nigeria
Tel: 234-803-5964045
Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Hausa, Jju
Geographic coverage: Zango Kataf Local Government Area, Kaduna State
Funding: ActionAid Nigeria
Number members: 64
Membership profile: Men and women; Christians and Muslims
Key activities: Prevention, care and support, stigma and discrimination reduction

JUSTICE DEVELOPMENT & PEACE MOVEMENT**NIGERIA**

Contact: Obembe Clementina, Supervisor/Women Empowerment
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Tel: 234-35-240326 **Fax:** 234-35-240326 **E-mail:** jeppc@infoweb.abs.net
Year founded: 1982 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Osogbo Diocese, Osun State, Nigeria
Funding: USAID (through CEDPA Nigeria for HIV/AIDS program), MISEREOR Germany, European Union (for the last Nigerian national election)
Number members: 2,000 **Number HIV-positive:** 1,700
Membership profile: Men and women, adults and children, Christians and Muslims
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Centre for Development and Population Activities, Justice Development & Peace Movement, Catholic Diocese of Osogbo
Key activities: Politics and human rights, prison apostolate, rural development, women's empowerment, microcredit and microbusiness, preventive health, natural family planning, working with HIV/AIDS, counseling, home-based care, orphans and motherless children

KAPOP**NIGERIA**

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Tel: 234-068-320891 **Fax:** 234-068-320891
E-mail: kapop@sacnnet.com
Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Entire Kebbi, Sokoto, and Zamfara States
Funding: ActionAid Nigeria, British High Commission, Levy from members
Number members: 200 **Number HIV-positive:** All
Membership profile: Men and women; 25 years and older; Christians and Muslims
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Antiretrovirals	Many	Home-based services	Few
Psychosocial support	None		

Affiliated organizations: Kebbi State Ministry of Health
Key activities: Advocacy, enlightenment campaigns, care and support for individuals infected and affected by HIV/AIDS

LIFE CARE ORGANIZATION**NIGERIA**

Contact: Sola Rashidat, Coordinator
 c/o Prevent AIDS Society, Ile Abiye Hospital Premises, Ilawe Road, Ado Ekiti, Ekiti State, Nigeria
Tel: 234-30-251034; 234-803-3887115 **Fax:** 234-30-251034 **E-mail:** solarasheedat@yahoo.com; lifecare2004@yahoo.com
Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Ekiti community, Lokoja in Kogi State
Funding: NEPWHAN, self-funding, fundraising from philanthropic individuals
Number members: 29 **Number HIV-positive:** 26 (3 persons affected by AIDS)
Membership profile: Women and men; Muslims and Christians
Leadership profile: 5 (3 women, 2 men; aged 20-40)
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Institutional capacity-bulding, advocacy, home care, meeting to share interests, fundraising, creating awareness, preventive interventions

LIFE LINE PLUS FOUNDATION**NIGERIA**

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Ibo, English

Geographic coverage: Community Development Coordinating Council in Enugu State takes care of 212 communities in the state. It is in these communities that persons are living with HIV/AIDS. The foundation covers the entire state through its public health department.

Funding: Voluntary contributions from philanthropists and volunteer donations

Number members: 860 **Number HIV-positive:** 120

Membership profile: Membership is open to everyone regardless of age, gender, religion, etc.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Public health department, community development coordinating council of Enugu

Key activities: HIV education, counseling, home-based care, orphans and vulnerable children programs. We are the only organization in the state with PLWHA who can speak without fear of discrimination or stigma.

LIVING HOPE CARE FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS**NIGERIA**

Contact: Ibiyemi Fakande, Project Manager

Living Hope Care, P.O. Box 173, Isokun, Ilesa, Osun State 234, Nigeria

Tel: 234-80-34036491 **Fax:** 234-035-461015 **E-mail:** livinghopecareng@yahoo.com

Year founded: 1994 **Main working languages:** English, Yoruba

Geographic coverage: Ilesa in Osun State.

Funding: USAID (FHI and CEDPA) and Sidaction Paris

Number members: 2,239 **Number HIV-positive:** 1,953

Membership profile: Christians and Muslims; 10–60 years in age

Leadership profile: Board of Directors: 3 men; Project Advisory Committee: 28 (14 men, 14 women); Project Management Team: 24 (12 men, 12 women); 25–65 years in age

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Advocacy and sensitization seminars; trained 130 outreach workers and 74 counselors; established a referral mechanism between 4 health care facilities and the LIHOC; counseling center; strengthened an existing support group; adapted, produced, and distributed behavior change communication materials; aired radio program; conducted a sensitization seminar in schools and tertiary institutions; conducted a joint vocational skills acquisition session for PLWHA; held special events; conducted a baseline survey on care and support for orphans and vulnerable children; conducted a baseline survey on usage of modern family planning methods; recruited service providers; capacity-building for service providers and community health extension workers; set up a commodity seed stock; conducted sensitization, advocacy, and mobilization in the community; increased access and availability of family planning services and commodities; conducted outreach; provided youth-friendly family planning services.

LIVING HOPE ORGANIZATION**NIGERIA**

<http://www.livinghopeorg.8m.com>

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Tel: 234-88-223160 **E-mail:** livhorg@yahoo.com

Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** English, Igbo

Geographic coverage: Abia State, Nigeria

Funding: Charity from some individuals at times

Number members: 432 **Number HIV-positive:** 430

Membership profile: All ages; nonreligious

Leadership profile: President; Nurse i/c; Pharmacist; Welfare Officer; Vice President/Lab Technician; Financial Controller

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Living Hope Organization and Network of PLWHA (Nepwhan Nigeria)

Key activities: Our service is human oriented and centered. The work aim is the eradication of HIV/AIDS in our local environment and beyond through prevention and awareness programs. Members are willing (but untrained) to counsel others on HIV/AIDS. We welcome assistance in education, training, and antiretroviral therapy.

LIVING WITH HOPE FOUNDATION**NIGERIA****Contact:** Veronica Akaatenger, Coordinator

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Tel: 234-62-316680; 234-8035883214 **E-mail:** Livingwithhope-Foundation@Yahoo.com; Veetenger@Yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Hausa**Geographic coverage:** Kaduna, Katsina, and Nassarawa States**Funding:** World Bank, NEPWHAN**Number members:** 150–200 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Primarily women, mostly widows; age range, 24–50 years; men are few, age range 24–32 years;

Christians and Muslims are equally represented

Leadership profile: Coordinator, HIV+, female, 36 years; Secretary, HIV+, female 36 years; Program Manager, HIV+, male, 40 years; Treasurer, HIV+, female, 36 years; Financial Secretary, HIV+, male, 32 years**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Many
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Affiliated organizations: NEPWHAN, CISCCHAN, KADUNA SPT**Key activities:** Pretest and posttest counseling, care and support, capacity-building for members, advocacy campaigns, prevention of mother-to-child transmission, monthly support group meetings**MYOM SUPPORT GROUP****NIGERIA**

Aliade, Benue State, Nigeria

Contact: Yongo Stephen, Secretary/Coordinator

St. Vincent's Hospital, P.O. Box 41, Aliade, Benue State, Nigeria

E-mail: stephen_yongo@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1996 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Gwer East Local Government Area, Aliade**Funding:** Dues, donations, income-generating activities**Number members:** >100 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** all ages, both genders, all religions**Leadership profile:** Both genders are represented on the support group profile**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All
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Affiliated organizations: Benue Network of PLWHA and Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS in Nigeria**Key activities:** Creation of awareness, training on basic nutritional needs of PLWHA, income-generating activities, advocating for the rights of PLWHA. We welcome collaboration with any organization willing to assist us to achieve our dreams.**NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (BNPLWHA)****NIGERIA****Contact:** Bernard Kaa, President

P.M.B. 102310, Makurdi, Benue State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-044-533102 **Fax:** 234-044-533102 **E-mail:** bernardkaa@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English, local languages**Geographic coverage:** State**Funding:** World Bank (HRF) and DFID**Number members:** 5,000 in 13 support groups **Number HIV-positive:** all**Membership profile:** men and women**Leadership profile:** President is 32 years old**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many
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Affiliated organizations: Network of People Living with HIV in Nigeria (NEPWAN), and NAP+**Key activities:** Advocacy, awareness, care and support, orphan care, home-based care, capacity-building for members, formation of new support group, monthly meeting with delegates from all 13 support groups in Benue State

NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS IN NIGERIA (NEPWHAN)**NIGERIA**<http://www.nepwhan.org>**Tel:** 234-9-6710755 **E-mail:** nepwhan@nepwhan.org**Contact:** Dr. Pat Matemilola, Coordinator

2 Lafia Close (off Ilorin Street), Area 8, Garki, Abuja, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria

Tel: 234-9-2349281 **Fax:** 234-9-2345238 **E-mail:** patmatem@nepwhan.org**Year founded:** 1998 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** National**Funding:** USAID (in 2003 to attend conferences), The National AIDS Committee on AIDS, Ford Foundation**Number members:** 50,000 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** all religions, both genders, all age ranges**Leadership profile:** 12 members of the national executive, only 1 woman (other women are not open about their HIV status), all ages, all are HIV+**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All
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Affiliated organizations: Support groups for PLWHA, Civil Society Consultative Group on HIV/AIDS (CISCGHAN)**Key activities:** Training workshops; advocacy activities to mobilize PLWHA in rural areas; food supplements for PLWHA; drug supplements for opportunistic infections; establishment of a network office. Currently signing a work agreement with USAID through The POLICY Project, Family Health International, and the National Action Committee on AIDS.**NETWORK OF YOUNG PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS IN NIGERIA (NYPLHAN)****NIGERIA****Contact:** Elisha-Cliff Ishaku, National Coordinator

c/o The POLICY Project Nigeria, Plot 1165 (No. 2a), Lake Chad Crescent, Abuja, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria

Tel: 234-09-4135944 **Fax:** 234-09-4135944 **E-mail:** eli_cliff@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Throughout Nigeria**Funding:** USAID through The POLICY Project, UNICEF, UNFPA**Number members:** 17,000 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Leadership profile:** 14 representatives, 2 (the coordinator and secretary) from each geopolitical zone of Nigeria**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few
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Affiliated organizations: Organization for Positive Productivity, UNICEF, UNFPA**Key activities:** Formation of support groups of young people aged 13–25**NIGERIA COMMUNITY OF WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS****NIGERIA****Contact:** Jegede-Ekpe Okayinka, Executive Director

Counseling Centre, Nigerian Naval Hospital, Navy Town Barracks, Ojo, Lagos State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-01-7736006 **Fax:** 234-01-7736006**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Lagos State**Number members:** 50 PLWHA**Membership profile:** Women aged 14–45; Christians and Muslims**Affiliated organizations:** AIDS Alliance Nigeria, Network of PLWHA, Nigeria**Key activities:** Care and support for PLWHA; home-based care for PLWHA; income-generating activities; social mobilization; creating awareness in schools and churches, marketplaces and among artisans; skill acquisition training

OBINWANNE ASSOCIATION**NIGERIA****Contact:** Udensi Ugorji, Coordinator

No. 86 Afikpo Road, Abakaliki, Ebonyi, Nigeria

Tel: 234-043-221436**E-mail:** obinwanne_asoc@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Activities occur in 34 Local Government Areas of Ebonyi State**Funding:** USAID through SMLAS/FHI to support monthly meetings, State Action Committee on AIDS, World Bank IDA/SPT HIV Fund**Number members:** 400 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** 180 women; 220 men; age range 20–51; Christians, Muslims**Leadership profile:** Coordinator, secretary, counselors**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
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Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
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Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many
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Affiliated organizations: Network of PLWA in Nigeria, CISCGHAN**Key activities:** Monthly meetings, advocacy, sensitization, and care and support activities. We welcome all forms of assistance.**OPIATOHA KAYIN IDOMA W. ASS. OTUKPO****NIGERIA**

No. 13 Oba Street, Otukpo, Benue State, Nigeria

E-mail: opiatoha@yahoo.com**Contact:** Comfort Abu, Project Coordinator

No. 36 Idah Street, Otukpo, Benue State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-044-661611**Funding:** USAID (2000–2002), member contributions, IOA activities**Number members:** >100; a working staff of 10**Key activities:** Vulnerable children project; Opiatoha women in support of HIV project; activities and training on home-based care and psychological support for orphans and their caregivers/people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS; home and school visitation to orphans and caregivers; training for counselors, etc.**ORGANIZATION FOR POSITIVE PRODUCTIVITY****NIGERIA****Contact:** Linda Cynthia Ahor, Coordinator

c/o The POLICY Project Nigeria, Plot 1165 (No. 2a), Lake Chad Crescent, Abuja, Federal Capital Territory, 533 Garki-Abuja, Nigeria

Tel: 234-09-4135944 **E-mail:** oppnigeria@yahoo.com; oppproductivity@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Abuja**Funding:** USAID through The POLICY Project, World Bank, Gede Foundation**Number members:** 1,721 **Number HIV-positive:** 1,721**Leadership profile:** 8 representatives serve as the executives**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All
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Affiliated organizations: The POLICY Project, World Bank, NACA**Key activities:** Support group meetings, distribute food to PLWHA, home and hospital care, sensitization activities, educating PLWHA on care and management techniques, advocating on prevention of further spread of HIV/AIDS, supporting one another

PEACE HEALTH CARE ORGANIZATION**NIGERIA****Contact:** Rita Abari, Coordinator

6, Kashim Ibrahim Road, Opposite Total Filling Station, Makurdi, Benue State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-44-532892 **E-Mail:** Ritaabari@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** Tiv, English, Idoma**Geographic coverage:** Benue State, north central zone of Nigeria**Funding:** Launchings, NEPWHAN office, individual contributions**Number members:** 40 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Both genders, youths, adolescents, middle-age and old people, literate and nonliterate, mainly Christians**Leadership profile:** Six members (age 24–45 years; 5 are HIV-positive, 1 medical advisor)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: NEPWHAN, Benue Network, CISCGHAN, BENHASO, SWAAN, SACA, NACA, LACA, Catholic Diocese H.I.C.**Key activities:** Advocacy campaigns; ongoing counseling, care, and support for PLWHA; individual capacity-building; home-based care; formation of new community support groups; monthly group meetings and executive meetings**PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION OF NIGERIA (PPFN)/****NIGERIA****YOUNG ADULT REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH FORCE (YARHF) STD/HIV MANAGEMENT PROJECT**

Primary Health Care Clinic, Opposite First Bank plc, Otukpo, Benue, Benue State, 243 Nigeria

E-mail: yarh_force@eudoramail.com**Contact:** Emmanuel Egwa, Project Manager

PPFN c/o No. 3 Ofitu Street Sabongari, Otukpo, Benue, Benue State, 234, Nigeria

Tel: 234-44-662066 **E-mail:** estimmaipom@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1988 **Main working languages:** English, other local languages such as Idoma**Geographic coverage:** Otada, Otukpo-Icho, Asa (rural areas), the prison, Otukpo town, local government headquarters**Funding:** Previous funding from Pathfinder International and Liverpool Associates in Tropical Health (through DFID).

Presently we generate income by selling condoms, contraceptives, and crafts, and through donations.

Number members: 216**Membership profile:** 216 young men, 87 young women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Clinic services such as counseling on family planning, syndromic management of STIs; advocacy meetings with community leaders; workshops for community-based organizations on the basic facts about STIs, HIV/AIDS, and modes of prevention and care; training prison officers on HIV prevention and care, syndromic management, counseling; training for community birth attendants; training for out-of-school youth peer educators; supporting PLWHA and vulnerable orphans; HIV/AIDS awareness in rural areas; income-generating activities for sustainability; essay/quiz competition for adolescents; radio program**SAVE THE WORLD ORGANIZATION****NIGERIA**

94 Awka Road, Inland Town, Near Mandilas Motors, Box 9152, Onitsha, Anambra, Nigeria

Tel: 234-46-411747 **Fax:** 234-46-411747 **E-mail:** sworld2002@yahoo.com**Contact:** John Ibekwe, Project Coordinator

SAWOR, 94 Awka Road, Box 9452, Onitsha, Anambra, Nigeria

Tel: 234-8033156139 **Fax:** 234-46-411747 **E-mail:** johnibekwe@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1998 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** South-East Nigeria; 5 states including Delta State**Funding:** USAID through FHI for a meeting of PLWHA, training, and community mobilization; contributions from members**Number members:** 500–1,200 **Number HIV-positive:** 415**Membership profile:** Both genders, all ages and religions**Leadership profile:** 8 executives; 4 men, 4 women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: NEPWHAN, NAP+, ICW, GNP+, CISCGHAN**Key activities:** Advocacy sensitization, formation of other support groups for PLWHA, community mobilization, home-based care and support training, counseling

SIMPLE PRACTICAL INFORMED NETWORK (SPIN)**NIGERIA****Contact:** Mathew Babade, Coordinator

c/o Living Hope Care, Danaija House, Isokun Street, P.O. Box 173, Ilesa, Osun State, Nigeria

Tel: 234-8033946007, 234-36-461015 **E-mail:** Spinng@Yahoo.Com**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** English, Yoruba, Hausa**Geographic coverage:** Osun, Ondo, Ekiti, and Oyo States**Funding:** NEPWHAN, individuals**Number members:** 25 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** All ages represented, Christians and Muslims**Leadership profile:** Three executives (2 men, 1 woman, aged 21–45years)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: CiSCGHAN**Key activities:** Capacity-building, home-based care for people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS, counseling services, advocacy, awareness campaigns, sharing experiences to encourage members, regular support group meetings**SOCIETY FOR POSITIVE ACTION AGAINST AIDS****NIGERIA****Contact:** Dr. Femi Obatomi, Deputy National Coordinator

P.O. Box 7857, Wuse Post Office, Abuja, Nigeria

Tel: 234-08037273655 **E-mail:** femi_tomi@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1989–2002 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Abuja and Federal Capital Territory**Other funding:** Donations from members and executive committee members**Number members:** 435 **Number HIV-positive:** 435**Membership profile:** men and women, 13–50 years of age, Christians and Muslims**Leadership profile:** 5 trustees and executives, all are HIV-positive, men and women, 30–55 years in age**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Counseling, prevention of mother-to-child transmission, care and support for members, home-based care, Operation Stop the Spread (OSS), Operation Hope, distribution of food supplements and multivitamins, transportation reimbursements, monthly regular meetings for members. Many of our members (>50%) pay for ARVs at high and unsubsidized costs from RANBAZZY. We need a subsidy at rate of \$20,000 to assist them.**SOCIETY FOR WOMEN AND AIDS IN AFRICA, NIGERIA CHAPTER (SWAAN)*****NIGERIA**

SWAAN–Lagos Support Centre, 12 Apena Street, Off Cole Street, P.O. Box 1700, Ojuelegba, Surulere, Lagos, Nigeria

E-mail: Swaanigeria@Yahoo.Com**Contact:** Funmi Doherty, Project Manager

12 Apena Street, Off Cole Street, P.O. Box 1700, Ojuelegba, Surulere, Lagos, Nigeria

Tel: 234-01-5837618, 4746520 **Fax:** 234-01-5837618 **E-mail:** Funmidotj@Yahoo.Com**Year Founded:** 1989–2001 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Lagos mainland, Ojo and Ajeromi-Ifelodun Lgas in Lagos State**Funding:** USAID (through FHI)**Number members:** 200–2000 **Number HIV-positive:** Many to all**Membership profile:** men and women, teenagers and adults, Christians and Muslims**Leadership profile:** 13 members**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: None**Key activities:** Counseling services, support centers for PLWHA in three local government areas, home visits with PLWHA, quarterly meetings with collaborating health care providers to strengthen linkages and referrals, community involvement through regular outreach-worker meetings, education and awareness-raising, female condom distribution, sex workers project, in-school youth project

*Information combined from two separate entries submitted to the directory.

UNIQUE AIDS CONTROL ORGANIZATION (UACO)**NIGERIA**

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Tel: 234-9-08036011131

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2 Lafia Close, Off Ilorin Street, Area 8, Gavki, Abuja, Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria

Tel: 234-9-6709173 Fax: 234-9-4135944 E-mail: uniqueaids2002@yahoo.com

Year founded: 1999 Main working languages: English

Geographic coverage: Town

Funding: International donor agencies such as ActionAid-Nigeria, UNDP

Number members: 250 Number HIV-positive: All

Membership profile: All religions and ages, both genders

Leadership profile: Six executives, 50% gender representation

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: CICSGHAN, NEPWHAN, UN Family, other international organizations

Key activities: Grassroots HIV/AIDS intervention (the CARI Project), PLWHA monthly support group meetings, food and drug supplementation, advocacy, home-based care, educating PLWHA on care and management techniques, advocacy on further spread of HIV, mobilizing people living with HIV into various support groups, counseling, capacity-building

WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF HOPE**NIGERIA**

Contact: Lucy Auwalu, Executive Director

No. 12 Berkley Street, Onikan Lagos Island, Lagos, Nigeria

Tel: 234-1-2602385 Fax: 234-1-2601258 E-mail: womenandchildrenofhope2001@yahoo.co

Year founded: 2000 Geographic coverage: Onikan, Ajegunle, Lekki, Lagos State, Markurdi, Benue State

Funding: USAID (empowering women, youth, OVC)

Number members: 200 adults, 150 children Number HIV-positive: 200 adults, 20 children

Membership profile: All ages and religions

Leadership profile: Coordinator, secretary, treasurer, program officer, counselor (80% HIV-positive, 70% women)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: NCW+, AAN, Save the World

Key activities: Empowering and enlightenment; production of tie-dye products that highlight the red ribbon, an international symbol of solidarity in the fight against HIV/AIDS

ABOJA ET BOKKJEF S/C CTA FANN**SENEGAL**

Contact: Absa Bu

Colobane Dakar, Sénégal

Tél: 53388-00221 Fax: 53388-00221

Année fondée: 2001 Langues principales de travail: Oulof et le français

Zone géographique: Afrique de l'ouest

Financement: UNIFEM

Nombre de membres: 90 Nombre VIH+: 90

Profil d'adhésion: 25 à 60 ans, musulman, catholique

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Plusieurs
Services de soins à domicile	Aucun	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: Aboya et Bokkijef Association Mixte

Activités principales: groupe de parole

ASSOCIATION "AWA"**SENEGAL**

BP 28118 Medina 17x22, Dakar, Sénégal

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Année fondée: 1993 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Centre ville - près de la BCEAO**Financement:** USAID par l'intermédiaire du FHI pour toutes les activités de l'association sauf celles ayant trait au plaidoyer sur la réglementation et la loi en matière de prostitution**Nombre de membres:** 362 **Nombre VIH+:** 70**Profil d'adhésion:** Prostituées, femmes vulnérables de 20 à 60 ans**Profil de Leader:** 39 dont 2 PVVIH**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Aucun
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Aucun	Support psychosocial	Tous
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Organisations affiliées: TCASO - AFRICASO – COSSEN**Activités principales:** la prévention (sensibilisation, formation), la prise en charge (accompagnement médico-social, psychosocial nutritionnel), la reconversion (activités génératrices de revenus, formation professionnelle, alphabétisation), le plaidoyer, rencontre avec les autorités, sensibilisation des leaders**ASSOCIATION CLINIQUE CONSEIL/SIDA****SENEGAL**

BP 52 Centre Hospitalier Régional, Tamba Counda, 52, Sénégal

Tél: 221-981-9811217 Fax: 221-9811218

Contact: Ndongo Dione, Accompagnement Soutien Psychosocial et Réinsertion

Centre Hospitalier Régional de Tamba Counda, Tamba Counda, 52, Sénégal

Tél: 221-981-9811217 Fax: 221-981-9811444 E-mail: accsembe2003@yahoo.fr

Année fondée: 1994 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Région orientale du Sénégal, 570 Km de Dakar. La région la plus vaste, 1/3 du territoire national (ville).**Financement:** Un financement de l'ANCS pour un montant de 2.500.000 CFA**Nombre de membres:** 12 personnes dont 3 médecins de l'hôpital **Nombre VIH+:** 120**Profil d'adhésion:** Toute PVVIH qui le désire**Profil de Leader:** 80% sont des femmes âgées de 25 à 42 ans. 20% sont âgés de 21 à 55 ans**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Tous	Support psychosocial	Tous
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Organisations affiliées: RNP+**Activités principales:** 321 visites à domicile, 131 billets de transports remboursés, 400.000 CFA de médicaments distribués, 25 personnes formées en conseil VIH SIDA, 46 relais communautaires formés en IEC, 200 tests rapides mis à la disposition des centres hospitaliers**ASSOCIATION "LA PATIENCE"****SENEGAL****Contact:** Abdoulaye Mar Diafhate

Hopital de St. Louis Service Social, Saint Louis, Sénégal

Tel: 9641181

ASSOCIATION POUR LE DÉVELOPPEMENT DE L'HOMME**SENEGAL**

Honn Marigot s/o che Iba Kiang chef du quartier, Dakar, Sénégal

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Honn_Marigot s/c de Iba Niang, Chef du quartier, Dakar, Sénégal

E-mail: serignebd@yahoo.fr

Année fondée: 2000 **Langues principales de travail:** Oulof et le français**Zone géographique:** commune Honn Bel-Air**Financement:** L'ANCS - Participation de la commune Honn-bel-Air**Nombre de membres:** 55 membres **Nombre VIH+:** 55**Profil d'adhésion:** hommes et femmes âgés de 18 à 35 ans; musulmans**Organisations affiliées:** le développement et la santé**Activités principales:** organisation des balayages dans les marchés et dans les places publiques, participation aux journées mondiales

BANLIEU SUD**SENEGAL**

Mamadou Diagne Banlieu Sud, BP 7444, Dakar Medina, Dakar, Sénégal

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Contact: Mamadou Diagne

Chaudronnier moniteur relais SIDA, BP 7444 Dakar Medina, Dakar, Sénégal

Année fondée: 2002 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Hann - Moritague

Financement: Néant

Nombre de membres: 15 Nombre VIH+: Néant

Profil d'adhésion: 10, 35 ans garçons et filles – laïque

Profil de Leader: moniteur de relais au VIH SIDA 26 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Tous	Services d'infections opportunistes	Aucun
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Antirétroviraux	Aucun	Services de soins à domicile	Aucun
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Support psychosocial	Aucun		
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Organisations affiliées: Laddu Yarakh – APPEH

Activités principales: causerie de sensibilisation, session de formation, théâtre-forum, don de sang, journée de dépistage, etc.

CELLULE D'ACCOMPAGNEMENT DES PVVIH**SENEGAL**

Contact: Ibrahima Diedhiou, Accompagnement Soutien Psychosocial

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Année fondée: 2002 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Hôpital de Ndioum Département de Podor, Région de Saint-Louis, Sénégal

Financement: Alliance nationale de lutte contre le SIDA a financé une seule fois nos activités

Nombre de membres: 120 Nombre VIH+: 30 sont régulièrement suivis

Profil d'adhésion: Toutes les religions de 10 ans et plus

Profil de Leader: A cause du manque de moyen financiers surtout, ils nous est difficile d'aborder la majorité des leaders qui sont éparpillés dans les villages lointains

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu	Services d'infections opportunistes	Peu
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Antirétroviraux	Peu	Services de soins à domicile	Tous
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Support psychosocial	Tous		
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Organisations affiliées: Comité National de lutte contre le SIDA, Alliance Nationale contre le SIDA

Activités principales: conseil, groupe de parole une fois/mois, visites à domicile-soutien psychosocial, visites intra-hospitalières concertation avec d'autres, structures de prise en charge communautaire, information et sensibilisation du personnel médical, recueil, dépistage, conseil, consultation, références, formation du personnel, dépistage volontaire

CELLULE D'ACCOMPAGNEMENT ET DE SOUTIEN PVVIH**SENEGAL**

Contact: Angou Bandia, Président

Hôpital Régional, BP 321, Kalda, Sénégal

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Année fondée: 2003 Langues principales de travail: français

Zone géographique: Région de Kalda, Sénégal

Financement: ANCS/Alliance Nationale de Lutte contre le SIDA- Dakar, Sénégal

Nombre de membres: 40

Profil d'adhésion: Médecins, infirmiers, travailleurs sociaux

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Tous	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Aucun	Support psychosocial	Tous
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Activités principales: conseil, visite à domicile, don de médicaments, dépistage, groupes de parole

CELLULE D'ACCOMPAGNEMENT/SOUTIEN DES PVVIH/LOUGA**SENEGAL****Contact:** Abdoulati Dieng, Directeur du CPRS de Louga

BP 31 Louga Sénégal, Louga, Sénégal

Tél: 221-967-0380**Année fondée:** 1997 **Langues principales de travail:** français et dialectes locaux**Zone géographique:** Région de Louga**Financement:** Alliance Nationale contre le SIDA**Nombre de membres:** 142 **Nombre VIH+:** 125**Profil d'adhésion:** Beaucoup de femmes qui ont en moyenne cf. 30 ans**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: aucune**Activités principales:** activités de prévention, sensibilisation- tenue en permanence pour l'accueil, le soutien psychologique, conseils pour les post kit, annonces de résultats, appui financier aux PVVIH (transportation, actualités de médicaments), correspondance avec les structures hospitalières pour faciliter le suivi médical et biologique**CELLULE D'ACCOMPAGNEMENT/SOUTIEN DES PVVIH****SENEGAL****Contact:** Semba Badh, Coordinateur

Centre conseil Ado, BP 83, Louga, Sénégal

Tél: 221-967-13-64 **Fax:** 697-36-79**Année fondée:** 1997 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** région (3 départements)**Financement:** Agence nationale contre le SIDA**Nombre de membres:** 46 **Nombre VIH+:** 35**Profil d'adhésion:** hommes et femmes, 21-50 ans**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Support psychosocial	Plusieurs		

Organisations affiliées: ANCS**Activités principales:** prise en charge sociale, achat médicaments, charges sociales (nourriture, autres), activités détente (sorties, voyages), animation/sensibilisation, séances de sensibilisation (causeries, conférences, projection films, théâtre), annonces, conseil**CONSEIL NATIONAL DE LA JEUNESSE DU SENEGAL (CNJS)****SENEGAL****Contact:** Mohamed Habib Sarr, Charge de Mission au CNJS

BP 21791 Dakar Ponty, Dakar, Senegal

Tel: 221-Dakar-822-00-75**E-mail:** diopmalick@nomade.fr**Year founded:** relance en 1984 **Main working languages:** Français**Geographic coverage:** Etat du Senegal, ville de Dakar**Key activities:** activités d'abord forum jeunes sida, forum femmes sida, etc.**Number members HIV-positive:** plus de 500 membres**Membership profile:** moins de 35 ans**Affiliated organizations:** Association et mouvement de jeunesse**INSTITUT ISLAMIQUE POUR LE DÉVELOPPEMENT (IQRA)****SENEGAL****Contact:** Hdasse Ndiongue, Secrétaire Général

8074 Dakar-Yof, Dakar, 8074, Sénégal

Tél: -6875121-5863025**Année fondée:** 1996 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Dakar**Financement:** FNUAP, Fonds propres**Nombre de membres:** 13 **Nombre VIH+:** 3**Organisations affiliées:** Relais de Santé - Association Al Adhal - GPF**Activités principales:** IEC/Formation, encadrement, mise en œuvre des programmes

OASIS SOLIDARITE RÉSEAU NATIONAL DES PERSONNES VIVANT**SENEGAL****AVEC LE VIH/SIDA (OASIS - RNP+)****Contact:** Diethie Yacine Dieye, Organisation activiste

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Fax: -8251964 **E-mail:** network@telecomplus.sh**Année fondée:** 1994 **Langues principales de travail:** oulof, français**Zone géographique:** la capitale**Financement:** PNLS, ANCS, Solidarité SIDA, EU: FST**Nombre de membres:** une trentaine **Nombre VIH+:** 25 plus 5 affectés**Profil d'adhésion:** musulman de 25 à 50 ans**Profil du Leader:** 25-50 ans, 4-5 sont positifs, il faut être sérieux, avoir beaucoup de connaissances en matière de VIH/SIDA, 30 personnes actives, moitié hommes, moitié femmes**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Plusieurs
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: OASIS RNP+**Activités principales:** groupe de parole, visites à domicile, visites à l'hôpital, jeûne de réflexion, ligne décrite convention réponse**RÉSEAU SÉNÉGALAIS DES ACTEURS DE DÉVELOPPEMENT (RESAD)****SENEGAL****Contact:** Papa Amadou Sow, Chairman

BP 7325, Dakar, Sénégal

Tél: 221-5893474 **E-mail:** papamasow@hotmail.com**Financement:** Appui ponctuel des ONG du PNLS et des donateurs**Nombre de membres:** 92 **Nombre VIH+:** 61**Profil d'adhésion:** Masculin, 69 ans, musulman**Profil de Leader:** PVVIH depuis 1986, le premier cas dépisté positif au Sénégal**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Aucun
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs	Support psychosocial	Plusieurs

Organisations affiliées: Réseau National des PVVIH du Sénégal, Réseau Africain des PVVIH, Cellule d'accompagnement et de Prise en Charge des PVVIH de MBAO**Activités principales:** accompagnement PEC, visites à domicile, visites à l'hôpital**SURVIE SIDA (ASSOCIATION SUR LE SIDA)****SENEGAL**

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Tél: 00221-6324681 **Fax:** 00221-9613428**Année fondée:** 1997 **Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Ville commune de St. Louis**Financement:** ANCS**Nombre de membres:** 150 membres **Nombre VIH+:** 30 à 40**Profil d'adhésion:** libre**Profil de Leader:** hommes moins que les femmes**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Peu
Services de soins à domicile	Peu		

Organisations affiliées: ANCS, COSSEN

EDUVERT MEDIA FOUNDATION**SOUTH AFRICA****Contact:** Heather Egling, CEO

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Tel: 27-11-4641856 **Fax:** 27-11-4641972 **E-mail:** emf@telkomsa.net**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Afrikaans, Zulu**Geographic coverage:** We distribute media to schools in Gauteng, and all schools in KwaZulu Natal and Eastern Cape.**Funding:** Our nongovernmental organization is being finalized; when funding is available we will market a food supplement. Clinical trials are ongoing and the organization that patented the product is known around the world. We have been offered sole distribution, which means we will become self-supporting.**Number members:** 7 **Number HIV-positive:** 0**Membership profile:** men and women; a variety of ages**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Member of Treatment Action Campaign, AIDS Consortium, and Proudly South African**Key activities:** Nutrition planning, community leadership training, poverty eradication, funding, training and distribution of information resources to schools, life skills and leadership development, positive living**FREE STATE PLWHA CONSORTIUM****SOUTH AFRICA**

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Tel: 27-84-872 5739, 27-51-409 0662 **Fax:** 27-51-409 0671 **E-mail:** dsd22@socdevfs.gov.za**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** Sesotho, English**Geographic coverage:** Free State Province: all five districts, and in more than 150 towns**Funding:** Free State Department of Health, Free State Department of Social Development**Number members:** 4 Organisations: Free State Positive Women (FSPW+), Free State Positive Youth (FSPW+), Free State Association of Infected and Affected Gays and Lesbians (APAGAL-FS), and Free State Community Based Network For HIV+ People (FREEPAN+) **Number HIV-positive:** All (about 300), except for a few members of APAGAL-FS who are not**Membership profile:** Most members black; one support group for whites; mostly women; mostly Christians or Muslims.**Leadership profile:** Consortium central committee consists of 11 executive committee members and 5 district representatives ((11 women, 5 men); FREEPAN+, FSPY+, and FSPW+ committees have 7 members each; APGAL-FS committee has 15 members.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: GNP+ by FREEPAN+**Key activities:** Destigmatization programs, establishment of support groups, support group workshops and seminars, training and deployment of lay counselors from support groups with the Department of Social Development, networking for PLWHA on life skills and job creation projects**GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA****SOUTH AFRICA**<http://www.girlguides.za.org>**Tel:** 27-11-7953767 **Fax:** 27-11-7941091 **E-mail:** ruth@ggasa.org.za**Contact:** Ruth Rensburg, National Communications, Marketing and Fundraising Manager

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Tel: 27-82-3933107 **Fax:** 27-11-7941091 **E-mail:** info@ggasa.org.za**Year founded:** 1910 **Main working languages:** All South African languages, but mainly English**Geographic coverage:** South Africa**Funding:** Donor funding; income-generation through the business sector of the association; donations**Number members:** 20,000 **Number HIV-positive:** Undisclosed**Membership profile:** All women, all religions, aged 4-1/2 and up**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Not available**Key activities:** Peer education in HIV, antiviolence against women; life skills; UNAIDS Badge Curriculum. Our vision is to be seen as a leading youth organization with a membership of 250,000 girls by the year 2010. Our mission is to actively develop the full potential of all girls and women, centering on a clearly defined value system as stated in the Promise and Law. Based on its commitment to life, leadership, and outdoor skills, a progressively dynamic program is offered through which members are given every opportunity to fulfill their particular responsibilities. Potential is developed through voluntary small group participation in all communities, without restriction of color or creed.

HIVSA

SOUTH AFRICA

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Soweto, Gauteng, Bushbuck Ridge, Limpopo Province

Funding: USAID (in support of HIV/AIDS education, training, and support development), Belgium Development Corporation, Catholics Bishops Conference Fund, Orange Babies Netherlands, Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceuticals, World Camps USA, private donations and fundraising

Number members: 28 full-time employees **Number HIV-positive:** 60%

Membership profile: mainly women, about 30 years old

Leadership profile: 8 project coordinators, about 30 years old, 95% HIV-positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
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Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
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Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All
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Key activities: Developing and establishing support-group toolkit; developing the Johnson & Johnson home-based care program; community food garden training and feeding scheme; shelter for destitute HIV-positive mothers and their children; income-generation; formula milk program supporting prevention of mother-to-child transmission; HIV/AIDS education; training and support in the Limpopo Province; developing a model of summer camps for infected and affected children

SUN AND SANDALS

SOUTH AFRICA

<http://www.sunandsandals.com>

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Year founded: 1990 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Gauteng, Western and Eastern Capes, KwaZulu Natal

Funding: We raise funds through socially responsible tourism

Number members: 4 **Number HIV-positive:** None that we know of

Membership profile: 2 women, 2 men, Christian

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
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Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
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Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None
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Affiliated organizations: None

Key activities: Our organisation puts together tours to areas where people living with HIV/AIDS perform meaningful work through arts and crafts such as making paper from reeds. We charge an entrance fee to assist running the hospice.

TAKALANI NANA HOME CARE CENTRE

SOUTH AFRICA

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Polokwane 0700, South Africa

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HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
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Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All
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Key activities: Basic information on HIV/AIDS, home-based care, counseling training, orphanage

VISTA UNIVERSITY (VUDEC)**SOUTH AFRICA**

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Tel: 12-012-3524216/54 **Fax:** 12-012-3524072/3223243 **E-mail:** Zemer-M@Staff.Vista.Ac.Za**Year founded:** About 1994 **Main working languages:** English, Afrikaans**Geographic coverage:** Pretoria**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Training people on basic facts, treatment, nutrition, stress management, awareness**ZADIMENANG PROJECT****SOUTH AFRICA****Contact:** Ditsietsi Emily Monkoe, Chairperson

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Tel: 07-33330659 **Fax:** 27-058-7132007**Year founded:** 1997 **Main working languages:** South Sotho**Geographic coverage:** Eastern Free State Province, ThaboMotutsanyana District Phuthaditjhaba**Number members:** 15 **Membership profile:** HIV-positive women and men, youth, churches, etc.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: We are a support group of both infected and affected individuals.**Key activities:** Counseling, home-based care, education and awareness**SWAZILAND AIDS SUPPORT ORGANISATION****SWAZILAND****Contact:** The Coordinator

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Tel: 268-422 1640 **Fax:** 268-422 0663 **E-mail:** saso@realnet.co.sz**Year founded:** 1993 **Main working languages:** English, Siswati**Geographic coverage:** Mainly Mbabane, Manzini, Siteki, and Nhlngano**Funding:** Mac Fund, organizational sources, presentation fees, government**Number members:** 1,300**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Making presentations to organisations and companies, administering a pilot antiretroviral therapy project, supporting HIV-positive people and their families

COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY-BASED REHABILITATION TANZANIA (CCBRT) TANZANIA

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Year founded: CCBRT, 1994; HARP, 2001; Legal Aid/Orphans, 1995; Youth, 2000 **Main working languages:** Swahili, English

Geographic coverage: Dar es Salaam district, Tanzania

Funding: Christoffel Blind Mission, European Union

Number members: 350 staff; 10 General Assembly members; 5 Board members **Number HIV-positive:** Unknown; several staff members are known to be HIV-positive; we work with 1,900 HIV-positive patients

Membership profile: 80% of our staff are women

Leadership profile: General Assembly; Board, Executive Director; Program Managers. HIV status not necessarily known

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Dar es Salaam city council (i.e., regional medical office, district health authorities), 3 government hospitals, TACAIDS, NACP, Ministry of Health, primary government schools

Key activities: Pretest and posttest counseling; testing; home-based care (e.g., daily care, training, education, counseling); legal aid (custodianship, wills, land inheritance, rights of children and patients); education and prevention (for young children and adolescents); providing antiretroviral medications; support for orphans in the community, homes, and schools; other CCBRT programs include a disability hospital, community-based rehabilitation (DSM and Moshi), and a training unit; community-based rehabilitation program in Moshi, Tanzania.

COMMUNITY ADVISORY BODY

TANZANIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Swahili

Geographic coverage: Dar es Salaam

Funding: Harvard University

Number members: 15 **Number HIV-positive:** 5

Membership profile: 2 men, 13 women

Leadership profile: Chairperson, training coordinator in charge of day-to-day activities

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Muhimbili University of Health Science

Key activities: Educating community on mother-to-child transmission; counseling in Kinondoni Cluster; community education during national events; screening; training assistance. Members are research volunteers.

TANZANIA NATIONAL NETWORK OF PEOPLE WITH HIV/AIDS (TANEPHA)

TANZANIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Swahili

Geographic coverage: Dar es Salaam, Mwanza, Kibaha District, Kilimanjaro Region

Funding: USAID, member contributions, other individuals, faith groups, facilitation at workplaces, annual membership fees

Number members: 15,000, increasing daily **Number HIV-positive:** Many

Membership profile: 10,500 women, 4,500 men, 200 young people; all religions

Leadership profile: 12 executive committee members; 3 are HIV-positive, with a gender balance

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Network of Tanzanian Women+ (NETWO+), Tanzania Women+ (TAWOLIHA), Movement of Men Against HIV/AIDS in Tanzania (MMAAT), Association of AIDS Widows in Tanzania (AWITA), Promote HIV/AIDS in Rural Area (PHAERA)

Key activities: Facilitate the forming of a national network for HIV-positive women; form district associations in Dar es Salaam; counseling on voluntary counseling and testing programs in the workplace; awareness programs and workshops; formation of an organization of women living with HIV/AIDS in Mwanza; northern zone workshop for PLWHA; international HIV/AIDS candle lighting at Mwanza; international HIV/AIDS photographic exhibition at Museum in Dar es Saalam; HIV/AIDS education to community; workshop on advocacy for Dar es Salaam PLWHA

TANZANIA WOMAN LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (TAWOLIHA)**TANZANIA****Contact:** Mamertha Mwiza

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Tel: 255-028-0741-264850 **E-mail:** MWIZA23@yahoo.com; tawoliha2003@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2003**Main working languages:** Kiswahili, English**Number members:** 25**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: We are a branch from Tawoliha headquarters in Dar es Salaam**TANZANIA WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS****TANZANIA****Contact:** Rehema Massawe, Chairperson

P.O. Box 71627, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

E-mail: tawoliha2000@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Swahili**Geographic coverage:** Dar es Salaam, currently establishing branches in six regions**Funding:** UNICEF (2002), Tanzania Commission on AIDS**Number members:** 72 **Number HIV-positive:** 72**Leadership profile:** Steering committee (chair assistant and chair secretary, treasurer, and five elected members)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Psychosocial support	All		

Key activities: Counseling to rural community, training on technicalities of establishing a cluster, visiting patients (at home and in hospitals), education on use of condoms**TANZANIA YOUNG POSITIVE AMBASSADORS****TANZANIA****Contact:** Fitina Mohamed, Secretary General

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Tel: 255-22-0744472374 **E-mail:** jlutimba@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** Swahili and English**Geographic coverage:** Nationwide**Number members:** 34 in Dar es Salaam and almost 2,000 nationwide **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Both genders, no religious discrimination, aged 5–40 years**Leadership profile:** 12 members on steering committee (aged 15–35; 4 men, 4 women, 2 girls, 2 boys)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Networks of people living with HIV/AIDS (TANOPHA+)**Key activities:** Community education on HIV/AIDS, counseling, home-based care, peer education**AIDES MEDICALE ET CHARITE (AMC)****TOGO****Contact:** Francois Kamlin Hoetokeou, Assistant Médical - Président de AMC

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ASSOCIATION ILE DE DÉVELOPPEMENT (AIDE)**TOGO**

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Année fondée: 1990 **Langues principales de travail:** français et ewe

Zone géographique: Ville, villages, fermes

Financement: Apports ponctuels

Nombre de membres: 8

Profil d'adhésion: Promotion genre féminin, 25 à 40 ans, religion catholique, protestante, charismatique

Organisations affiliées: Association pour la santé, de la mère, du nouveau-né et de l'enfant (ASMENE)

Activités principales: prise en charge des enfants infectés et affectés dans leur famille par la prise en charge nutritionnelle, médicale, éducationnelle, juridique, plaidoyer auprès des chefs traditionnels pour la prise en charge communautaire, prévention de la transmission de la mère à l'enfant, crédit aux veuves.

ECOLE ET VIE**TOGO**

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Année fondée: 1995 **Langues principales de travail:** français

Zone géographique: Togo

Financement: Fonds de bord de l'ONU pour le moment

Nombre de membres: 200 personnes **Nombre VIH+:** 2

Profil d'adhésion: Toute personne peut adhérer, c'est-à-dire adhésion libre

Profil de Leader: 2

Organisations affiliées: Plusieurs ONGs nationales et nous sommes en discussion avec plusieurs organisations internationales

Activités principales: éducation des populations, des institutions, des pouvoirs publics pour la prise en charge communautaire et à domicile des PVVIH et les orphelins du SIDA, prise en charge des PVVIH et les orphelins du SIDA, éducation des populations pour la prévention du SIDA.

GROUPE CHRÉTIEN CONTRE LE SIDA AU TOGO**TOGO**

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Année fondée: 2001 **Langues principales de travail:** français, ewé, mina, kotokoli

Zone géographique: District numéro 5, Lomé commune et dans la préfecture de Kloto

Financement: Cotisations des membres, dons venant de certaines églises du Togo, GTZ, Optical supplies (HOLLANDE)

Nombre de membres: 35 **Nombre VIH+:** 17

Profil d'adhésion: Genre: mixte, âge: 21ans; Religion: Chrétiens de toutes les dénominations; Bénéficiaires(nos patients) : Toute personne sans distinction de race, de sexe et de religion

Profil de Leader: 5 représentants, 40% sont VIH+; Genre: Mixte; âge:25 ans

Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:

Guide d'alimentation	Aucun	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Peu
Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Antirétroviraux	Aucun
Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Tous

Organisations affiliées: GTZ, AMC

Activités principales: prévention, sensibilisation auprès des travailleurs de sexe, sensibilisation des jeunes en milieu scolaire, dans les églises, ateliers de formations et dans les marchés, cours d'alphabétisation, prise en charge psychosociale et médicale des personnes vivant avec le VIH, consultation et distribution gratuite de médicaments aux PVVIH. Toutefois la qualité de membre est réglementé par les conditions d'appartenance religieuse: être chrétien.

L'utilisation de préservatif est acceptée et vivement conseillée pour une prévention effective.

JEUNES DU MONDE VIVONS ENSEMBLE (JMVE)**TOGO****Contact:** Kodjo Akutse, Directeur exécutif

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Tél: 228-9179160 **E-mail:** jemovie@yahoo.fr; jmve1996@yahoo.fr**Langues principales de travail:** français**Zone géographique:** Lomé - Togo**Financement:** Sous, revenu des activités effectuées**Nombre de membres VIH+:** 79 personnes**Profil d'adhésion:** hommes, femmes, peut adhérer sans distinction de race ou de religion**Profil de Leader:** 1 personne**Nombre VIH+ qui ont accès aux services suivants:**

Guide d'alimentation	Plusieurs	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Plusieurs	Services de soins à domicile	Plusieurs
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Support psychosocial	Plusieurs		
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Organisations affiliées: ONG Ecole et Vie, ONG ASMENE**Activités principales:** prise en charge des personnes vivant avec le VIH/SIDA, prise en charge des orphelins et autres enfants rendus vulnérables par le VIH/SIDA**RÉSEAU D'ASSOCIATIONS DE PERSONNES VIVANT AVEC LE VIH****TOGO****AU TOGO (RAS+ TOGO)****Contact:** Kokouvi Augustin Dokla, Président

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Guide d'alimentation	Peu	Dépistage et traitement de la TB	Plusieurs
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Services d'infections opportunistes	Peu	Antirétroviraux	Peu
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Services de soins à domicile	Peu	Support psychosocial	Peu
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Activités principales: Coordination des activités des associations de personnes vivant avec le VIH au Togo. Participation à l'élaboration du projet du Togo pour le fonds mondial. Prise en charge des PVVIH à base communautaire. Activités de sensibilisation sur les lieux publics. Organisation des activités sportives pour la sensibilisation.**VIVRE MIEUX****TOGO**<http://www.berezny.com/vivremieux/>**Contact:** Guy Ahiealegbedzi, Director Vivre Mieux

BP 62, Kpalimé, Togo

Tel: 228-441-0497 **Fax:** 228-441-0851 **E-mail:** Guy7a@hotmail.com**Geographic coverage:** Plateaux Region, Togo**Number members:** 12 **Number HIV-Positive:** 0**Key activities:** Malaria medication distribution; AIDS youth group; well water and purification projects; RAS+ , Plateaux region AIDS NGO coordination**ADJUMANI COMMUNITY HIV/AIDS INITIATIVE****UGANDA****Contact:** Agness Dipio, Treasurer

Adjumani Catholic Mission, P.O. Box 6, Adjumani, Kampala, Uganda

Year founded: 1998 **Main working languages:** English and Madi**Geographic coverage:** Adjumani district in northern Uganda (six subcounties and a population of 202,940 people including refugees)**Funding:** From AORD; membership and registration fees**Number members:** 85**Membership profile:** 20 men, 65 women; Christian and Muslims**Leadership profile:** 20 men, 65 women aged 8–59 years**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
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Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All
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Key activities: Home visiting; training PLWHA in positive living; home-based care; condom distribution; HIV/AIDS awareness; relating real-life experiences of being HIV-positive; counseling; participation in World AIDS Day; drama shows in schools; health talks in postprimary schools; monthly meetings

AIDS CONTROL PROGRAMME (ACP) UGANDA POLICE

UGANDA

Contact: Ongom Lucy, Nurse

P.O. Box 7163, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-041-077519241 **Fax:** 041220261, 256-041-346690

Year founded: 1995 **Main working languages:** English, local languages

Geographic coverage: Most districts in Uganda

Funding: Uganda Government, Ministry of Health through World Health Organization

Number members: 264 **Number HIV-positive:** More women than men, and more adults than children; mostly Christians

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Sensitization, counseling, home visits, giving treatment as prescribed for opportunistic infections, condom distribution

AMATSIKO FOUNDATION OF PLWAS*

UGANDA

Contact: Monic Aingimire Monic, Filing Clerk

P.O. Box 1010, Mbarara, Kampala, Uganda

Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Luganda

Geographic coverage: District

Funding: Community-led HIV/AIDS Initiative, membership dues

Number members: 36–150* **Number HIV-positive:** 21–all*

Membership profile: 21 women, 15 men (35 adults, 1 youth); generally all born-again Christians

Leadership profile: Board has 7 members (4 women, 2 men, 1 youth); 4 are HIV-positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Some	TB screening and treatment	Some
Opportunistic infection services	Some	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Some	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Skarnpucks Church of Sweden, Jerusalem Temple Ministries of United Kingdom, TASO

Key activities: Mobilization and sensitization; home-based care; material assistance to widows and widowers; identification of orphans and vulnerable children (OVC); in-kind school support (exercise books and pencils, school lunch program for OVC, bursary for OVC); identifying guardians and foster parents; developing family/community profiles for OVC. Ambassadors of Christ School OVC Club is a microproject of Ambassadors of Christ School, started two years ago with the aim of improving the lives of orphans and other vulnerable children in the school.

*Information combined from two separate entries submitted to the directory.

APAC NATIONAL GUIDANCE EMPOWERMENT NETWORK

UGANDA

P.O. Box 1 APAC, Kampala, Uganda

Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** Lwo, English

Geographic coverage: District

Other funding sources: AIM

Number members: 1,050 **Number HIV-positive:** 1,050

Membership profile: Multisectoral

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Sensitization, publication and mobilization, drama shows. We seek access to antiretrovirals, nutrition guidance, home-based services and transportation services to access HIV-positive members in rural communities.

BAWILHA AND GREEN DOVE HIV/AIDS INITIATIVE PROJECT**UGANDA**

P.O. Box 1143, Bigyo, Bundibugyo, Uganda

Contact: Sunday Thomas, Clinical officer

P.O. Box 1148, Bundibugyo Hospital, Bundibugyo, Uganda

Tel: 0256-041-077559019**Year founded:** 1998 **Main working languages:** English, local languages**Geographic coverage:** Bundibugyo District**Funding:** Action Aid Uganda, UNICEF, Kabarole resource center, personal contributions**Number members:** 65 **Number HIV-positive:** 45**Membership profile:** male (20 adults, five children); female (30 adults, 10 children)**Leadership profile:** Leaders (6 women, 2 men, 4 youth)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Posttest club; sensitization through drama and puppet shows to combat HIV/AIDS; treating opportunistic infections in young people; home-based care for young people with HIV/AIDS; counseling services; assistance to HIV orphans; kitchen gardens for nutrition programs; education activities for young people and adolescents

BIGODI NKINGO WOMEN'S TWEZIKYE**UGANDA**

Safari Hotel, Bogodi-Nkingo Trading Center, Fort Portal, Western, Uganda

Contact: Deus Tugume, Member

c/o Bigodi Sanctuary Kibale National Park, P.O. Box 700 Kafred, Fort Portal, Uganda

Tel: 256-077997289**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** Bakyiga, English**Geographic coverage:** Bigodi Nkingo**Funding:** Buying plates for every member**Number members:** 102 **Number HIV-positive:** 34**Membership profile:** 8 women, 2 men **Leadership profile:** Men and women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Contribute to helping those who lose their people. We seek all types of support.

THE BITTER MELON THERAPY AIDS RELIEF**UGANDA**<http://www.bmtaro-coffee-banana-wilt.org.co.ug>**Contact:** Byamhange Adams, Coordinator

P.O. Box 235, Wobulenzu, Luwero, Uganda

Tel: 256-077-697129 **E-mail:** adbyamhange@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1995 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** National**Funding:** HIVOS**Number members:** 40 **Number HIV-positive:** 30**Membership profile:** 10 men, 20 women**Leadership profile:** 2 men, 7 women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: NGEN+, LUDINET

Key activities: Advocacy; lobbying and networking; prevention; care counseling; disclosure; legal advice

BULUGUYI YOUTH PROJECT

UGANDA

Contact: Wafula Pontiano, Chairman
P.O. Box 8320, Kampala, Uganda
Tel: 256-071243131

Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** Lusamia, Luganda, Japadolah, English, Swahili

Geographic coverage: 4 villages (1 parish, Muwayo), Bugiri District

Number members: 30 **Number HIV-positive:** 17

Membership profile: 19 women, 11 men (>30 years of age), 22 born-again Christians, 8 Catholics; 12 orphans

Leadership profile: 2 women on the executive committee

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Farming, fish pond development, training, seminars, counseling

BUSIA WIDOWS AND ORPHANS ASSOCIATION (BWOA)

UGANDA

Contact: Annie Namanyi, Chairperson
Box 352, Busia, Uganda
Tel: 006-077-548938

Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** English, Samia, Swahili

Geographic coverage: District

Funding: Fundraising

Number members: 1,120 **Number HIV-positive:** majority

Leadership profile: Women and youth

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Helping our servers with a merry-go-round (rotating fund); providing for orphans

BUYANJA HIV/AIDS SUPPORT INITIATIVE (BUHASI)

UGANDA

Contact: Marion Tweheyo, Chairperson/Director
P.O. Box 93, Karaguza, Kibaale District, Uganda
Tel: 256-41-077576095

Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Runyoro Rukiga

Geographic coverage: County (includes town council and beyond)

Funding: A little, once, from Irish Aid

Number members: 80 **Number HIV-positive:** 70

Membership profile: 90% are women

Leadership profile: Director, secretary, treasurer, deputy director, and three committee members; 80% are HIV-positive and all mature women

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Sensitization sessions in secondary and primary schools, plus in local communities. Planted trees for an income-generating activity; sensitized women on HIV. The organization is primarily HIV-positive widows. We need support to start bigger income-generating activities.

CHILD SUPPORT ORGANIZATION (CSO)**UGANDA**

P.O. Box 180, Kumi, Eastern, Uganda

Contact: Godfrey Omoita, Director

P.O. Box 25, Kumi, Eastern, Uganda

Year founded: 1995 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Kumi, Eastern, Uganda**Funding:** Member subscription fees, donor funds (e.g., GTZ and the local district funds)**Number members:** 47 **Number HIV-positive:** 31**Membership profile:** 30 men, 17 women (children inclusive, aged 7–50 years)**Leadership profile:** 10**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Kumi District Health Project (KDHP); Under Care**Key activities:** Identifying and supporting child-headed homes; training in life skills; income-generating activities for children; paying school fees. We support street children by resettling them whenever funds allow.**DOKOLO POST TEST CLUB FOR PHAS AND THEIR FAMILIES (DOPTEC)****UGANDA****Contact:** Geoffrey Oyom, Secretary

P.O. Box 49, Lira, Kampala, Northern Region, Uganda

Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Lwo**Geographic coverage:** County level; 5 subcounties**Funding:** Uganda AIDS Control Project (UACP, World Bank)**Number members:** 55 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** All are inclusive**Leadership profile:** 3 women, 2 men; all are HIV-positive**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Lira District Network of People Living With HIV/AIDS (LIDNET+), National Guidance and Empowerment Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS (NGEN+)**Key activities:** Mobilization of the community for UCT; educational support for orphans; material support for PLWHA, sensitization of the community; counseling and guidance; monitoring and evaluation**DYERE TEK PHAS****UGANDA****Contact:** Uhuru Santo, Coordinator

P.O. Box 818, Gulu-Uganda, Kampala, Northern, Uganda

Tel: 077602653**Year founded:** 1997 **Main working languages:** English, Lwo (Acholi)**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** Community and member contributions, well-wishers, started primary school (Norway) through NRC-HOBAT**Number members:** 757 **Number HIV-positive:** 757**Membership profile:** 52 men, 705 women; 15–67 years; all religions**Leadership profile:** 9 members on the executive council, 25–52 years of age**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Gulu district guidance and empowerment of PLWHA, ACORD, World Vision, Save the Children Denmark-Gulu**Key activities:** Sensitization on awareness of HIV/AIDS in the local community; settling school fees for orphans; tree planting; home visits; group discussion with children in primary schools; education and distribution of condoms in the community; networking with AIDS organizations and NGOs and CBOs in the district; giving life testimonies

GOOD SHEPHERD SUPPORT ACTION CENTRE (GOSSACE)

UGANDA

Contact: Vincent Wanderer, Coordinator

P.O. Box 22338, Kampala, Buganda, Uganda

Tel: 256-077-304991 **E-mail:** gossace@yahoo.com

Year founded: 1995 **Main working languages:** Luganda, English

Geographic coverage: Mukono District, Kamapala, Wakiso

Funding: Community contributions, donations, local government

Number members: 140

Membership profile: Many members are women living with HIV, aged 16–65, mostly Christians, a few Muslims

Leadership profile: Committee of 9 people (6 are HIV-positive or otherwise affected)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Mukono/Kampala District; HIV/AIDS Control Project

Key activities: Mobilizing PLWHA and sensitizing them on positive living; education and training; counseling, care, and support; AIDS exhibitions; nutrition demonstrations; orphan care and support; planning, monitoring, and evaluation; referrals

GULU DISTRICT GUIDANCE AND EMPOWERMENT NETWORK

UGANDA

Contact: Okello Aldo Odero, Secretary General

P.O. Box 818, Gulu-Uganda, Kampala, Northern Province, Uganda

Tel: 256-77-602653 **Fax:** 256-77/41-250820/334301

E-mail: ngen@info.com.co.ug

Main working languages: English, Lwo

Geographic coverage: District

Funding: Lobbying, well-wishers

Number members: 2,562 **Number HIV-positive:** 2,562

Membership profile: Men and women, aged 6 months to 72 years; all religions

Leadership profile: 9 executive members at the district level

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: GNP+, NGEN+, Dyere Tek, Lacor Hospital, World Vision, Acord

Key activities: Registering members in Gulu District who are HIV-positive from the parish, to village, to county, to district level; sensitizing them on modes of positive living, their roles, rights, and obligations; monitoring activities of nongovernmental organizations involved with PLWHA in the district; sensitizing community youth and children in school and out of school about HIV/AIDS; giving life testimonies; home-based care, lobbying for antiretrovirals from possible donors

HELPER FRIEND

UGANDA

Contact: Aloysius Kizito Nkangi, Chairman

P.O. Box 493, Mukono, Buganda, Uganda

Tel: 256-071-979068 **Fax:** 256-041-290211 **E-mail:** helperfriendorg@yahoo.co.uk

Year founded: 1999 **Main working languages:** Luganda, English

Geographic coverage: Subcounty

Funding: Community contributions, donations, local partnerships

Number members: 100 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: Mainly women, 25–60 years in age; Christians and a few Muslims

Leadership profile: 7 committee members; all are HIV-positive; 25–60 years

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Community mobilization; HIV prevention, care, and positive living education; basic counseling; orphans and vulnerable children; education and home care; collaboration and networking

HOPENET**UGANDA**

c/o Kisiizi Hospital, P.O. Box 109, Kabale, Kampala, Southwestern, Uganda

Contact: Barugahare Tito-Wamara, Chairperson

P.O. Box 37, Rukungin, Kampala, Southwestern, Uganda

Year founded: 1996 **Main working languages:** English and local languages

Geographic coverage: Province

Funding: Membership contributions

Number members: 1,000 **Number HIV-positive:** 1,000

Membership profile: 700 women, 300 men

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Kisiizi

Key activities: Holding meetings and sharing experiences. We welcome donations for all activities (access to drugs, home-based care services, orphan support and trainings, income-generating activities).

JINJA ANTI-AIDS CRUSADE**UGANDA**

Contact: James Wamimbi, Chairman

P.O. Box 2159, Jinja, Uganda

Tel: 256-077581194, 256-043-120890

Geographic coverage: District

Funding: Local district and Uganda AIDS Project under the Community Initiative HIV/AIDS Project

Number members: 25 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: 75% women

Leadership profile: 7 committee members (5 women, 2 men)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: AIDS Information Centre, Jinja

Key activities: Sensitization on HIV/AIDS; mobilization of communities for voluntary counseling and testing; home care for PLWHA; training in counseling

KABAROLE GUIDANCE AND EMPOWERMENT NETWORK OF PEOPLE**UGANDA****LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (KAGENA)**

Contact: Stephen Baguma, Coordinator

Kabarole District Health Department, P.O. Box 217, Fort Portal, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-41-075818670

Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: District

Funding: Local contributions

Number members: >5,000 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: Gender-balanced

Leadership profile: 13 representatives, all HIV-positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Mobilizing PLWHA to form networks at subcountry levels; training peer educators; public speaking; lobbying for funds

KALANGA NET +**UGANDA**

Contact: Molly Mulanza

P.O. Box 2, Kalangala, Uganda

Geographic coverage: District

Number members: 62 **Number HIV-positive:** 47

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: NGEN+

Key activities: Mobilization, sensitization, counseling, training

KAMLILI DISTRICT NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS**UGANDA****(KAMLINET+)****Contact:** Richard Bamwise, Coordinator

P.O. Box 319, Kamuli, Eastern, Uganda

E-mail: Kamphanet@yahoo.co.uk**Geographic coverage:** Kamuli District**Funding:** Membership fees, district HIV/AIDS control project**Number members:** 576 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** 355 women, 111 men, 110 youth**Leadership profile:** 11 people on the executive committee**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: National Guidance and Empowerment Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS**Key activities:** Going public with HIV/AIDS in schools and local communities; dialogue meetings of PLWHA on positive-living strategies; formation of PLWHA networks at local levels; home care visits for counseling; mobilize and sensitize the community on HIV/AIDS; sensitize the community on making wills and advocating for issues affecting PLWHA**KAMPALA AIDS FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION****UGANDA****Contact:** Masembe Daddy, HIV/AIDS Coordinator

P.O. Box 7136, Kampala/NYC, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-41-257860**E-mail:** kiirufayouthass@yahoo.com; youthmedia02@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** English, Luganda**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** Kampala City Council and the National Youth Council**Number members:** 351 **Number HIV-positive:** 54**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Antiretrovirals	None	Home-based services	Many
Psychosocial support	All		

Key activities: Training youth on AIDS awareness; functional adult literacy program; giving care to PLWHA; training peer service providers in lower and higher institutions, and in schools and universities**KAMPALA DISTRICT NETWORK (KADNET)****UGANDA**

P.O. Box 28657, Kampala, Central, Uganda

Contact: Robert Ukumu, Treasurer

P.O. Box 28057, Kampala, Uganda

E-mail: ambasof2000@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1999 **Main working languages:** English, Luganda**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** Kampala City Council, MAP Chat**Number members:** 153 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** 94 women, 54 men; 14 Muslims, 29 Catholics, 58 Anglicans**Leadership profile:** District executive composed of nine directly elected members with four men and five women (all adults and all are HIV-positive)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: KCC, National Guidance of Empowerment Network (NGEN+)**Key activities:** Opening branches in all five divisions; distributing treated mosquito nets to PLWHA; two HIV-sensitization workshops; facilitating home visits; opening accounts, developing two project proposals (HIV-related)

KAMWOKYA CHRISTIAN CARING COMMUNITY**UGANDA****Contact:** Bendaki Israel, Community Counsellor

P.O. Box 25432, Kampala, Central, Uganda

Year founded: 1994 **Main working languages:** English and Luganda**Geographic coverage:** Kampala District, Central Division**Funding:** Sciat of Ireland, Lions Aid Norway, Caritas Swiss**Number members:** 4,600 PLWHA**Membership profile:** 80% women, aged 20–45**Leadership profile:** 20 health workers (all HIV-positive); primarily women, 20–45 years in age**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Post Test Club of Kamwokya**Key activities:** Sensitizing communities through music and drama; counseling; testing blood; caring for HIV clients; caring for orphans; support for elderly; educating needy children. We provide home care for the sick, we support affected families, and we educate mothers on ways to prevent mother-to-child transmission of HIV.**KANDENET****UGANDA****Contact:** Katabazi Geoffrey, District Coordinator of PHAs

DDHS Office, P.O. Box 1, Kanungu, Kampala 485, Uganda

Tel: 485-077983541, 485-0779085541**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** Local contributions**Number members:** 278 **Number HIV-positive:** 278**Membership profile:** 108 men, 170 women**Leadership profile:** Gender-balanced**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Ngent**Key activities:** Mobilizing and sensitizing PLWHA**KAPTANA WIDOW ASSOCIATION****UGANDA**

Kapchorwa Police Station, P.O. Box 39, Kapchorwa, Uganda

Tel: 256-04551009**Contact:** Chemonges Razia, Chairperson

P.O. Box 39, Kapchorwa, Uganda

Tel: 256-04551049**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Kapchorwa**Funding:** Support from HIV-positive people and members of the association**Number members:** 15 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Leadership profile:** All live with HIV/AIDS**Key activities:** Pass information to the community; reach out; give testimonials**KAPTOYOY FARMERS ASSOCIATION ON HIV/AIDS****UGANDA****Contact:** Augustine Bukose, Secretary

Kapkoch Secondary School, P.O. Box 205, Kapchorwa, Uganda

Tel: 256-04551049**Year founded:** 1999 **Main working languages:** English, Kiswahili, Kupsabiny**Geographic coverage:** Kapchorwa Town, Kapchorwa local governments**Funding:** Self-generating income**Number members:** 13 **Number HIV-positive:** 7**Membership profile:** 7 men aged 21–55, 5 women aged 26–37**Leadership profile:** Chairperson, secretary, treasurer**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Small-scale farming (goat-keeping; beekeeping, rabbit-keeping). We accept funding assistance and desire that all people living with HIV/AIDS be treated equally.

KATAKWI EGANGAKINOS PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS**UGANDA****(KEPLWA)****Contact:** Michael Ateria, Chairperson

c/o Integrated Development Organization, P.O. Box 44, Katakwi, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 254-41-077997876**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Ateso**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** Local support from other community-based organizations such as KIDO; subscription fees**Number members:** 60 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Nonpartisan; all ages**Leadership profile:** 60% women, 10% youth**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Kawakwi Integrated Organization and Health Needs-Uganda**Key activities:** Sensitization; income-generating activities; care and support; condom distribution; education for orphans**KICWAMBA-NTARA HIV/AIDS POST-TEST CLUB****UGANDA****Contact:** Kyokumda Asamas, Advisor

Ntara Health Center IV Subdistrict, Kamwenge District, Kampala, Western, Uganda

Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Runyankole, English**Geographic coverage:** Kamwenge District**Number members:** 26 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Men and women (>18 years old)**Leadership profile:** 7 members (5 women, 2 men)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

KPLWA**UGANDA****Contact:** Stella Amorioti, Chairperson

P.O. Box 92 KJW, Katakwi, Northeast Province, Uganda

Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Ateso, local languages**Geographic coverage:** Katakwi Town, Katakwi District**Funding:** None, apart from local contributions and a membership fee**Membership profile:** men, women, youth, adults, Catholic and Protestant**Leadership profile:** 60 (boys, women, and men)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Drama, sensitization, home visiting**LIDNET****UGANDA****Contact:** James Acar, Member

Box 49 Lira, Kampala, Northern, Uganda

Tel: 0256-041 **Fax:** 0256-041 **E-mail:** lidnet9@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1999 **Main working languages:** English, Luo**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** USAID, AIDS Integrated Model (for goat and cow-rearing, and training for public speaking)**Number members:** 250 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Both men and women, all >5 years**Leadership profile:** 7 (men and women, all HIV-positive)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: LIDNET+**Key activities:** Provision of nutritious food, income-generating activities (e.g., goat-rearing, cow-rearing, training in going public)

LIRA DISTRICT NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS**UGANDA****Contact:** Molly Okello, Coordinator

P.O. Box 49, Lira, Northern Region 0473, Uganda

E-mail: lidnet9@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1999 **Main working languages:** English, Luo**Geographic coverage:** In 28 subcounties that form the district**Funding:** USAID (for 2003 for AIDS Integrated Model District program, mobilization of PLWHA, sensitization, home-based care, income-generating activities, nutritional support, training, monitoring and evaluation), Uganda AIDS control program**Number members:** 216 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Leadership profile:** 7 representatives (3 men, 4 women), all are HIV-positive**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: National Guidance and Empowerment Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS (NGEN+)**Key activities:** Mobilization and identification of PLWHA in Lira District; sensitization of the community of Lira; home-based care, nutritional support, income-generating activities; educational support for HIV/AIDS orphans; psychosocial support program for HIV/AIDS orphans; shelter renovation program for child-headed families; posttest club; training PLWHA in positive living and going public; monitoring and evaluation**LUWERO DISTRICT NETWORK OF PLWAS (LUDINET)****UGANDA**<http://www.bmtaro-coffee-banana-wilt.co.ug>

P.O. Box 235, Wobulenzi, Wobulenzi, Luwero, Uganda

Tel: 256-077-374976 **E-mail:** adbyaruhanga@yahoo.com**Contact:** Jackson Mulindwa, Coordinator

P.O. Box 85, Bombo, Luwero, Uganda

Tel: 256-077-889495**Year founded:** 1996 **Main working languages:** Luganda, English, Swahili**Geographic coverage:** District**Number members:** 600**Leadership profile:** 100% HIV-positive, both genders**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: National Guidance and Empowerment Network of PLWHA**Key activities:** Information of networks at subnational level, sensitizing community about HIV/AIDS, building capacity of PLWHA**MADI AIDS CONTROL INITIATIVE****UGANDA**<http://www.enda.sn/africaso.org/maci.html>**Contact:** Alli Arrangel, HIV/AIDS Counsellor

P.O. Box 30156, NTINDA Valley Toad Plot 8, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-41-286712 **E-mail:** macvig@capp.ch**Year founded:** 1993 **Main working languages:** English, Madi**Geographic coverage:** Adjumani District, Northern Uganda (population of 202,940 including refugees)**Funding:** UNHCR, Médecins sans Frontières/Geneva**Number members:** 16 **Number HIV-positive:** 1**Membership profile:** Christians and Muslims**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Counseling; name visibility; creating AIDS awareness; conducting community counseling workshops; training condom distributors; distributing condoms in the community

MAYUGE PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

UGANDA

Contact: Paddy Babolana, Self Assistant Pastor
 1317 Mayuge District, Imanyiro Sub-County, Buyemba Parish, Buyemba Trading Centre, Kampala, Eastern, Uganda
Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Lusoga, English
Geographic coverage: District
Funding: Membership fees
Number members: 207 **Number HIV-positive:** 207
Membership profile: Women and men, all HIV-positive, all ages
Leadership profile: Executive committee of 7 members (3 women, 3 men, 1 youth)
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: TASO, UNASO, JDAAC, NACWOLA, GUT
Key activities: Counseling through home visits, school visits, posttest club, drama shows

MOYO AIDS HEROES ASSOCIATION

UGANDA

c/o P.O. Box 1, Moyo, Uganda
Contact: Vicky Mundrua, Treasurer
 c/o P.O. Box 33, Moyo, Uganda
Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** Madi, English
Geographic coverage: Moyo District
Funding: The DDHS office and DLG-Moyo (ACORD and ADEO nongovernmental organizations based in our district)
Number members: 78 **Number HIV-positive:** All
Membership profile: 60 women, 18 men
Leadership profile: The executive member of district HIV/AIDS committee, member of two district partnership forum on HIV/AIDS
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: ACORD (Agency for Cooperation in Research and Development), ADEO (African Development Emergency Organization)
Key activities: Counseling, sensitization, public testimonies, purchase of scholastic material, home visits, education on positive living, orphan care/support; payment of orphan school fees, education for the community on voluntary counseling and testing

MUDINET

UGANDA

Contact: Josephus Gauah Musisi, Coordinator
 P.O. Box 287, Mukono, Buganda, Uganda
Tel: 256-071-931630 **E-mail:** mudinet@yahoo.com
Year founded: 1996 **Main working languages:** Luganda, English
Geographic coverage: District
Funding: Membership contributions; assistance from the district
Number members: 620 **Number HIV-positive:** All
Leadership profile: 18
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: NGEN, MUDNASO, VNASO, VCBHCA, Mukono District HIV/AIDS Project
Key activities: Counseling and home visits; promotion of condom use; educating communities on the nature of AIDS; advocating for people with HIV/AIDS; sensitize communities on will-making; support to the needy; mobilizing people with HIV/AIDS to form groups; support income-generating activities

NACKIOLA LIRA BRANCH**UGANDA****Contact:** Angom Mildren Rose, Teacher, Secretary Nackiola Lira Branch

P.O. Box 568, Lira, Kampala, Northern Uganda

Year founded: 1996 **Main working languages:** English**Funding:** USAID, Community HIV/AIDS Initiative (CHAI) at the district level**Number members:** 200 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Young and old HIV-positive women; no age or religious restrictions**Leadership profile:** 9 women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Nackiola Lira Branch**Key activities:** Sensitizing people through drama and testimonies; care and support for HIV-positive women by giving them nutritious food; tailoring training project; training in positive living and memory project; income-generating activities (goat rearing, poultry); educational support to orphans in primary and secondary schools; renovation of child-headed households**NATIONAL COMMUNITY OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS BUSIA BRANCH****UGANDA****Contact:** Annie Anyango Namanyi, Laboratory Technician/Nacwola Secretary

P.O. Box 124, Busia, Uganda

Tel: 006-077-548938**Year founded:** 1999 **Main working languages:** English, Samia, Luganda**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** Members' fundraising activities**Number members:** 500 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Leadership profile:** All women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Ministry of Health at District Level**Key activities:** Income-generating activities**NYAPEA SAFE MOTHERHOOD AND CHILD CARE ASSOCIATION****UGANDA**

c/o Nyapea Hospital, Nebbi, North Western, 92 Raidha, Uganda

Contact: Nyitho Lennox, Nursing Assistant/Voluntary Counsellor/Vaccinator

Atyenda Health Centre II, Okoro Health Sub-District, Raidha, North Western, Uganda

Year founded: 1992 **Main working languages:** English, Lwo, Kiswahili, Luganda**Geographic coverage:** Nebbi District**Funding:** District nongovernmental organizations**Number members:** 30 **Number HIV-positive:** 18**Membership profile:** Both genders; children, adolescents, adults. All denominations are welcome.**Leadership profile:** 5 chairpersons (men and women, aged 25–60 years)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Registered with Nebbi District local government forum for nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), and the Central NGOs Forum in KLA Uganda**Key activities:** Mobilize the communities and educate them on modes of HIV transmission; register clients, posttest counseling; share experiences of PLWHA; health education for nutritional diets; treatment; train counselors who are HIV-positive on their roles and how to manage the disease; care for the sick; video shows and other media to educate local communities and 52 primary schools

PHILLY LUTAAYA INITIATIVE MASINDI BRANCH**UGANDA**

c/o Masindi Town Council, P.O. Box 192, Masindi, Kampala, Western Uganda

Contact: Bukenya Raymond, Chairperson

c/o Nyamigisa Parish, P.O. Box 16, Masindi, Kampala, Uganda

Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** English, Ruryoro, Swahili**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** None**Number members:** Not available **Number HIV-positive:** 150**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: AIDS Information Centre, The AIDS Support Organisation**Key activities:** Voluntary work in sensitizing and counseling; condom distribution in congregation with medical personnel on HIV/AIDS-related matters**PHILLY LUTAAYA INITIATIVE PROJECT (PLI)****UGANDA****Contact:** Mayanja Wilberforce, Chairperson

P.O. Box 10446, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-77-491960 **Fax:** 256-41-270022 **E-mail:** lubwamam@hotmail.com; mayanjaL@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1991 **Main working languages:** English, local languages**Geographic coverage:** 15 districts, headquarters in Kampala**Funding:** Well-wishers, churches, friends**Number members:** 125 **Number HIV-positive:** 80**Membership profile:** Both genders, aged 15–45 years; all religions**Leadership profile:** 80% of members are HIV-positive**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Education and outreach in schools, higher education institutions, and communities. We distribute facts about HIV/AIDS and give life testimonies; and we offer pretest counseling. We use television, radio, newspapers, and political gatherings for our messages.**POSITIVE PARTNERSHIP IN HIV/AIDS****UGANDA****Contact:** Dorothy Namutamba, Coordinator

P.O. Box 72966, Clock Tower, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-77-521186/556672 **E-mail:** namutambadorothy@yahoo.com; positivepartnership@africamail.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** English, Luganda, Lusamya, Lusoga, Swahili**Geographic coverage:** Kampala, Jinja, Busia, and Wakiso Districts**Funding:** Donations and memberships**Number members:** 150 **Number HIV-positive:** 120**Membership profile:** 90% women, 4–65 years in age, 90% Christian**Leadership profile:** Seven representatives, 95% HIV-positive, women, aged 30–50 years**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: SWAA Uganda, UNASO Uganda, TASO Uganda**Key activities:** Training in capacity-building; economic empowerment through income-generating activities; home-based care; counseling; school requirement supplements. We respond to and act on issues that affect women and children, both infected and affected. We are a young organisation that needs a lot of support and material donations.

POST TEST CLUB**UGANDA****Contact:** Godfrey Omoita, Chairperson

P.O. Box 180, Kumi, Eastern, Uganda

Main working languages: English, Kiswahili**Geographic coverage:** Kumi, Eastern Uganda**Funding:** Membership subscriptions, support from TASO and AIM**Number members:** 45 **Number HIV-positive:** 35**Membership profile:** 28 women, 17 men; average age 17–40 years**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: TASO, KUNEDO, AIM, District Health**Key activities:** Sensitization on adolescent reproductive diseases and positive living. We seek donations of communications materials, (e.g., posters, HIV literature) and exposure to the global networking and funding to enable activities.**RUBAGA YOUTH DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION****UGANDA**

P.O. Box 18184, Kayunga, Uganda

E-mail: ngobi-tom@yahoo.com**Contact:** Tom Maxwell Ngobi, Project Coordinator

P.O. Box 26804, Kayunga, Uganda

Tel: 256-077-505541/998577**Year founded:** 1996 **Main working languages:** Local dialects, English**Geographic coverage:** Town, city, and village**Number members:** 400**Membership profile:** Majority are women and children who have been tested**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	Opportunistic infection services	Many
Antiretrovirals	None	Home-based services	Few
Psychosocial support	Few		

Affiliated organizations: Uganda Network of AIDS Support Organization (UNASO)**Key activities:** Promotion of children's rights; adolescent reproductive health; voluntary counseling and testing; prevention of mother-to-child transmission; sustainable agriculture; microcredit schemes for PLWHA, especially youth and women; crime prevention; writing a will; functional adult literacy**RUDINET+****UGANDA****Contact:** Barugahare Wamara-tito

P.O. Box 37, Rukungiri, Kampala 0486, Uganda

Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** English, local languages**Geographic coverage:** District**Funding:** USAID, Membership fees**Number members:** 960 **Number HIV-positive:** 960**Membership profile:** 600 women, 360 men**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Supporting orphans; training PLWHA as AIDS counselors; sharing experiences; monitoring networks**RUGUEYO HIV/AIDS ORPHANS GROUP****UGANDA**

P.O. Box 1, Kanunga, Western, Uganda

Contact: Twesigye Donus, HIV Counselor

P.O. Box 1, Kanunem, Uganda

Year founded: 1996 **Main working languages:** English and Rukiga**Funding:** Membership fees and contributions**Number members:** 152 **Number HIV-positive:** 152**Membership profile:** 96 women, 56 men**Leadership profile:** 1:3 male-to-female ratio**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Kanungo Network of PLWHA**Key activities:** Caring for PLWHA; counseling; referrals for further voluntary counseling and testing; mobilizing for income

SOCADIDO

UGANDA

Contact: Christine Aguti, Coordinator KUDINET+/Assistant Communication Department, Animator
P.O. Box 640, Soroti, Uganda
Tel: 256-77821202; 256-45-61505 **E-mail:** socadido@bushnet.net

Year founded: 1988 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: 4 districts

Funding: DO DEIM, Tracare, Cafor, Water Aid, Seud Cow Aid Frudi

Number members: 2,000; all HIV-positive

Membership profile: Young and old; all religions

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Improve the well-being of people in Teso region; creating awareness of HIV/AIDS and good sanitation; giving grants in the form of seed, livestock, and transport (bicycles), bulls, ploughs; advocating for treatment for PLWHA from other organizations such as TASO

SUPPORT FOR IGA'S FOR CLIENTS MUTOLERE PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMME

UGANDA

Contact: Kabahoze Pascal, Teacher/Chairperson
P.O. Box 26, Kisoro, Western, Uganda
Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Rufumbira, English

Geographic coverage: Kisoros District, Western Uganda

Number members: 50 **Number HIV-positive:** 50

Membership profile: Women and women, 18 years and older

Leadership profile: 5 men, 5 women; 18 years and older

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Mutolere Public Health Programme

Key activities: Contribution of 1,500 Uganda shillings per month for treatment, visiting the sick at home, ongoing counseling, and health education

SUPPORT ON AIDS AND LIFE THROUGH TELEPHONE HELPING (SALT)

UGANDA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Ruranda, 3Rs

Geographic coverage: National

Funding: UNDP, Ireland

Number members: 50 **Number HIV-positive:** 50

Membership profile: 32 women, 18 men

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: National forum for PLWHA, National Community of Women Living with HIV, National Guidance Empowerment Network, AIDS Information Centre Post Test Crisis

Key activities: Online counseling; information, education, and communication; referrals; advocacy and lobbying; networking; reserve mobilization: UFATM; antiretroviral therapy; orphans and vulnerable children; voluntary counseling and testing; prevention of mother-to-child transmission; condom marketing; monitoring and evaluation

THE AIDS SUPPORT ORGANIZATION (TASO)**UGANDA**<http://www.tasouganda.org>**Contact:** Alex Coutinho, Executive Director

P.O. Box 10443, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-41-53258011 **Fax:** 256-41-541288**E-mail:** coutinhoa@tasouganda.org**Year founded:** 1987 **Main working languages:** English, most local languages**Geographic coverage:** Directly in 8 districts, indirectly in 20 districts (capacity-building)**Funding:** USAID, DFID, SIDS, EU, Danida, Ireland, CDC, ACDI/VOCA**Number members:** 83,000**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Most AIDS service organizations in Uganda**Key activities:** HIV/AIDS counseling, medical care (clinic and home); social support (food and child support, day care centers); advocacy and mobilization; capacity-building (training for AIDS workers); AIDS education in communities; monitoring and evaluation**TOGETHER AGAINST AIDS POSITIVE ASSOCIATION (TAAPA)****UGANDA****Contact:** Lillina Mworeko, Chairperson

P.O. Box 27066, Kampala, Uganda

Tel: 256-071-460320 **E-mail:** lmworeko@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Wakiso District**Funding:** Membership subscriptions, AJWS, friends, sympathizers**Number members:** 150 **Number HIV-positive:** 140**Membership profile:** All sero-positive persons or seriously affected persons**Leadership profile:** Seven leaders; all HIV-positive; 2 men, 5 women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Uganda Network of AIDS Service Organizations**Key activities:** Mobilization and sensitization of PLWHA, providing positive-living skills to PLWHA, prevention of mother-to-child transmission training for the general community; providing skills to create and manage income-generating activities; support for primary school orphans and vulnerable children (school fees and scholastic materials); ongoing counseling for PLWHA on nutrition and palliative care, supporting needy PLWHA with transport costs to access home-based care facilities, training community on "memory projects" and paralegal issues (rights and obligations)**UGANDA GIRLS GUIDES ASSOCIATION (UGGA)****UGANDA****Contact:** Elizabeth Kadama, National Executive Secretary (UGGA)

P.O. Box 696, Kampala, Central Uganda

Tel: 077920349 cell; 256872 **E-mail:** ekadama@yahoo.com; uguides@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1910 in Britain, 1914 in Uganda **Main working languages:** English, all local languages**Geographic coverage:** All 56 districts of Uganda**Funding:** UNHCR, UNICEF, annual subscription fees from members (minimal)**Number members:** 25**Membership profile:** An organization of women with community outreach to all persons over the age of 6 years; all religions**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Empowering African youth against HIV/AIDS; youth camps, picnics, and hikes; SYFA (safeguard youth from AIDS); LISESER (Life Skills Education for Self Reliance); water and sanitation; peer education; advocacy for the marginalized; girl hygiene campaigns; support and care for people infected and affected with HIV/AIDS. We seek information from other organizations concerned with HIV/AIDS issues.

UGANDA NETWORK OF YOUNG PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS

UGANDA

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 c/o NYC, P.O. Box 7136, Kampala 256, Uganda
Tel: 256-77-692931 **E-mail:** kiirufayouthass@yahoo.com; unypapositive@yahoo.ca
Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Sembabule, Kampala, Masaka, Rakai, Kalangala Gulu, Mbarara, Tororo, Soroti, Mukono Districts
Funding: Local contributions and fundraising
Number members: 104 **Number HIV-positive:** 61
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Youth Development Link, Youth Alive, all district youth councils
Key activities: Training young people on HIV/AIDS; awareness seminars; care and support for young HIV-positives; providing primary health care to infected families; counseling; training peer service providers; lobbying for the rights of those infected and affected by HIV/AIDS; strengthening positive-living ambassadors

YOUTH ALLIANCE GROUP

UGANDA

Contact: Pauline Anyayo, Chairlady
 P.O. Box 85, Bugiri, Uganda
Tel: 256-071879501
Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Lusami, Luganda, Lusoga
Geographic coverage: Buduma, Bugiri, Uganda
Funding: Fishing, farming, membership fees
Number members: 50 **Number HIV-positive:** 32
Membership profile: 35 women, 15 men, >30 years of age; 24 born-again Christians, 8 Catholics, 12 Protestants, 3 Muslims, 3 others
Leadership profile: A 5-member executive committee; 4 are HIV-positive, 3 members are women
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Farming, fishing, drama, workshop/seminars, training peers, interaction

KARA COUNSELLING—OUTREACH PROGRAMME

ZAMBIA

Contact: Chama Nusoka, Coordinator of Outreach Programme
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Tel: 260-01-227086/7 **Fax:** 260-01-227087 **E-mail:** hopekara@zamnet.zm
Year founded: 1991 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Province
Funding: KARA Counseling funds and other resources
Number members: 11 **Number HIV-positive:** 11
Membership profile: 6 men, 5 women (7 are younger than age 30)
Leadership profile: The coordinator is in charge of all affairs; almost gender-balanced
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Zambia Nations AIDS Network (ZHAN); NZP+, PLWHA support groups
Key activities: Our activities have always been to promote visibility and voices of PLWHA (carrying out outreach sessions in antenatal clinics, TB clinics, schools, churches, workplaces, and communities). Due to increased demand for talks, the program is continually expanding; in July 2003, we started peer educators training in the workplace.

LUMEZI SOCIETY FOR PLWHA**ZAMBIA****Contact:** Allan Nyirongo, Site Coordinator

Jalamakani Village, P.O. Box 530246, Lumex, Lundazi, Eastern Zambia

Tel: 26-06480327 **E-mail:** anyirongo2000@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1998 **Main working languages:** English, Tumbuka, Nyanja**Geographic coverage:** 70 villages in the catchment area of Lumezi clinic**Number members:** 200 **Number HIV-positive:** 200**Membership profile:** Both men and women; various ages, various religions**Leadership profile:** Coordinator, secretary, treasurer, and committee members, 10 representatives; 6 women, 4 men aged 28–45**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Network of Zambia PLWHA (NZP+)**Key activities:** Conduct monthly meetings for PLWHA, perform drama during important days (World AIDS Day, TB Day, etc.); public speaking for HIV/AIDS care and prevention awareness during gatherings in schools and churches; campaigns for people to take voluntary counseling and testing; psychological counseling; home visits to members**NAOG CIRCLE OF HOPE****ZAMBIA**<http://www.northmeadassembly.org.zm>

Plot 2131 Paseli Road, P.O. Box 31598, Northmead, Lusaka 100, Zambia

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P.O. Box 31522, Lusaka, Zambia

Tel: 260-95-751972**E-mail:** mnkhungulu@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Nyanja, Bemba**Geographic coverage:** Lusaka city limits**Funding:** The church, but we are looking for sponsors**Number members:** 50 **Number HIV-positive:** 30**Membership profile:** 75% women, 25% men; age range 3–50+; the group is a Christian organization based on Pentecostal Christian beliefs; we are singles, widows, and widowers**Leadership profile:** A committee of 7 (1 man, 6 women), 5 of whom are HIV-positive; age range 29–45**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Church Health Association of Zambia (CHAZ), Expanded Church Response (ECR) Zambia**Key activities:** Support group meetings; counseling; advocacy for antiretroviral and prophylaxis drugs. We were formed to break the silence about HIV/AIDS in church and to improve the quality of life for PLWHA.**NETWORK OF ZAMBIAN PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS*****ZAMBIA****Contact:** Mathews Ngona, Coordinator, or Eric Nachibanga, Counselor

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Tel: 026-01-097889496 **Fax:** 026-01-232431 **E-mail:** ericnamwe@zamnet.zm; napnzp@zamnet.zm;

ngonamathews@yahoo.co.uk

Year founded: 1996–1999* **Main working languages:** English, Tonga, Bemba, Nyanja**Geographic coverage:** District, town, state**Funding:** Fundraising ventures, income-generating activity donors; voluntary donations**Number members:** 23–5,000* **Number HIV-positive:** 19–all***Membership profile:** Women and men of all ages, 76% Christians, 14% Muslims**Leadership profile:** 35 representatives, all are HIV-positive, men and women; aged 15+**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Some
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Network of Zambian People Living with HIV/AIDS (ANZP+); Zambia National AIDS Network (ZNAN)**Key activities:** Outreach and drama in the community; voluntary counseling and testing mobilization at Chipata Clinic in Lusaka, Iteshi-Teshi District Hospital, and in Kashitu Health Centre

*Information combined from three separate entries submitted to the directory.

SOLWEZI DISTRICT SUPPORT GROUP +**ZAMBIA****Contact:** Taitas Zimba, Chairman

P.O. Box 110023, Solwezi, Northwestern 110, Zambia

Tel: 26-08-821824 **Fax:** 26-08-821650 **E-mail:** tituszimba@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 1997 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Province**Funding:** Fundraising ventures**Number members:** 38 **Number HIV-positive:** 38**Leadership profile:** Men and women on the executive committee; 25–40 years in age**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: World Vision, Catholic Church, District AIDS Task Force**Key activities:** Sensitization programs; advocacy; giving personal experiences**AIDS AFRICA TRUST****ZIMBABWE****Tel:** 263-11-761836 **Fax:** 263-91-365662**Contact:** Paul MacNulty Murima, Country Director Operations

65340 Tshabalala Ext, Tshabalala, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe

Tel: 263-9-486187 **Fax:** 263-9-486187 **E-mail:** pmurima@yahoo.co.uk**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Shona, Ndebele, Sutu, Tswana, Xhosa, French, Spanish, Bahasa/Tetum**Geographic coverage:** Greater Harare Province; greater Bulawayo Province, Chivhu District, Masvingo District, Mutare

Province in collaboration with F.A.C.T.

Funding: No major funding sources; much comes from the board of trustees and some from volunteers**Number members:** 15 **Number HIV-positive:** 15**Membership profile:** 8 men, 7 women; average age 25; Christian**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: National AIDS Counsel, AIDS Counseling Trust, Family AIDS Caring Trust, PSI**Key activities:** Research activities include the effect of HIV on marriage, the family, and clan; the role of the youth in championing an AIDS-free generation; efficacy of the church and faith-based organizations in reducing extramarital affairs, a major AIDS cause in African families. Information dissemination on what God and the Bible say about sex outside marriage; formal counseling training for church leaders; advocacy for behavior change in youth and prominent adults; advocacy for the rights of AIDS-afflicted people who are stigmatized in the workplace**RODWEL FOUNDATION - CEPHAC****ZIMBABWE**

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Tel: 263-55-40263 **Fax:** 263-55-40263 **E-mail:** rodwel@telco.co.zw**Year founded:** 1998 **Main working languages:** English, Shona**Geographic coverage:** District and province**Funding:** Program funding from DED**Number members:** 10 members **Number HIV-positive:** 5**Membership profile:** women; aged 25–48**Leadership profile:** 50% are HIV-positive; women aged 25–48**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: ZNNP+ (Zimbabwe Network for People Living Positive)**Key activities:** Psychological counseling; diet advice and nutritional counseling; complementary therapies; formulating support groups and trainings

SOUTHERN AFRICAN HIV/AIDS INFORMATION DISSEMINATION SERVICE**ZIMBABWE**<http://www.saf aids.org.zw>**Contact:** Lois Lunga, Executive Director

17 Beveridge Road, P.O. Box A509, Avondale, Harare, Zimbabwe

Tel: 263-04-336193/4 **Fax:** 263-04-336195 **E-mail:** info@saf aids.org.zw**Year founded:** 1994 **Main working languages:** English, Portuguese**Geographic coverage:** Southern Africa**Funding:** USAID **Number members:** 35**Key activities:** Information dissemination; training (media, resource centre management, information technology); newsletters, fact sheets; videos; posters; books; e-forums; drama**ZIMBABWE AIDS PREVENTION PROJECT****ZIMBABWE****Contact:** Marian Chese, Community Mobilizer, ZEPP

P.O. Box 103/103, Bottom Row Harare, Harare Central, Zimbabwe

E-mail: sustain@zappur.co.zw**Year founded:** Harare **Main working languages:** English**Number members:** 294 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** 104 men, 190 women **Leadership profile:** Aged 16–40**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: ZNNPA**Key activities:** Prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV; some are taking antiretroviral drugs; support group meetings

ASHAR ALO SOCIETY

BANGLADESH

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Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** Bangla, English
Geographic coverage: Dhaka, Chittagong, Sylhet. Currently covering 50 percent of the divisions in Bangladesh. Planning to scale up in 2 other divisions—Rajshahi and Barisal.
Funding: USAID, GIPA Project of UNDP (2002) to focus on capacity-building for PLWHA members of the organization; from CCDB, small grants for income-generating activities.
Number members: 320 (infected and affected) **Number HIV-positive:** 81
Membership profile: 47 men, 27 women, 7 children, most members Muslim, aged 20–60, children under age 8
Leadership profile: 8 leaders, 63% HIV-positive; 4 men, 4 women, aged 26–35

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Creating service demand among PLWHA through networking and promotional activities; posttest, follow-up, crisis, couple, family, and caregiver counseling; life-skills training for PLWHA for positive living; providing health services for PLWHA; advocacy among the influential, including policymakers (health ministers) for reducing stigma and discrimination; networking with various organizations for continuum of care (e.g., income-generating activities, capacity-building, leadership training, organizational management training)

COMMUNITY ADVANCEMENT AND RESEARCH INITIATIVES (CARI)

BANGLADESH

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Main working languages: English, Bangla
Geographic coverage: Dhaka, gradually expanding to include the whole country
Number members: 12

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Psychosocial support	Many		

Key activities: HIV/AIDS prevention, intervention; operation research; care, management; counseling; awareness; training

MUKTO AKASH

BANGLADESH

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Geographic coverage: Dhaka, Chittagong, Khulna
Funding: UNDP (through CARE Bangladesh)

Number members: 35 **Number HIV-positive:** All

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Skills-building and income-generating activities; adult literacy for PLWHA; drop-in center facilities; hospital referral services; peer education; treatment for opportunistic infections; advocacy; networking

AIDS CARE CHINA**CHINA**<http://www.aidscares.netsh.net>**Contact:** Thomas Tao Cai, Project Coordinator

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Tel: 86-20-3847 3175 **Fax:** 86-20-3874 2937 **E-mail:** thomas2000cn@yahoo.com; aidscarescn@hotmail.com**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** Chinese**Geographic coverage:** Guangdong and Guangxi Provinces**Funding:** UNDP small grant funding for GIPA initiative (US\$25,000 for 2003–2005)**Number members:** 103 **Number HIV-positive:** 103**Membership profile:** 79 men, 24 women, aged 3–65**Leadership profile:** 2 representatives (both HIV-positive; 1 male age 36, 1 female age 40)**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Marie Stopes International

Key activities: Supplies of generic ARV drugs to poor PLWHA; home-care project to help homeless and rural PLWHA (up to 20 PLWHA at a time); involvement with five international GIPA strategic planning workshops supported by the UNDP; care visits to PLWHA; treatment and basic knowledge to patients and their families; care and support to local PLWHA and AIDS orphans in Henan Province; deliver speeches to university students and medical professionals to raise basic awareness and reduce discrimination; publish and distribute a monthly newsbooklet (AIDS Care Bulletin) to communicable disease hospitals and other communities of PLWHA around China; Website to inform and provide counseling on HIV/AIDS (<http://www.aidscarescn.com>); created an informed and caring community for PLWHA through social events that bring these people together with their friends and families; training center in Guangzhou to provide basic computer and office-work skills to PLWHA.

MANGROVE SUPPORT GROUP (MSG)**CHINA**<http://www.chinamsg.org>**Contact:** Adam Li, Director

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Tel: 86-10-63296183 **Fax:** 86-10-63296125 **E-mail:** msg@chinamsg.org**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** Chinese**Geographic coverage:** Beijing, Xinjiang, Guangdong, Sichuan, Henan**Funding:** Ford Foundation, American Embassy, APCO Associates, UNDP, UNAIDS, AUSAID, China-UK, China Ministry of Health**Number members:** 1,000 **Number HIV-positive:** >90%**Membership profile:** 60–70% men aged 20–50, >90% live in the countryside**Leadership profile:** 6 staff in Beijing, 4 HIV-positive; 4 men, 2 women, aged 26–45**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Chinese association of STI and HIV/AIDS prevention and control

Key activities: Capacity-building; training workshops for PLWHA; magazine; Website; hotline; advocacy; publications and documentaries; hope to build a resource center to give care and support; developing local model projects and strengthening network to better recognize and respond to the needs of PLWHA and empower them with the means to support themselves, raise awareness of HIV/AIDS, and the needs and rights as individuals in their local communities; strengthen advocacy work to change social consciousness and fight discrimination

POSITIVE ART WORKSHOP

CHINA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Simplified Chinese, English
Geographic coverage: Beijing
Funding: Ford Foundation

Number members: 7 **Number HIV-positive:** 3

Membership profile: Diverse races and nationalities; 4 men, 3 women

Leadership profile: 2 project coordinators, 1 man, 1 woman; both are HIV-positive, under the age of 25. The founders have returned to their respective countries to further their education and now serve as advisors.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Small Steps in China

Key activities: Positive Art Workshop (PAW) conducts art therapy for PLWHA in a conducive environment where PLWHA can feel safe and freely express themselves through artwork (drawing, painting, sketching, writing). Exhibitions portray the inner thoughts and feelings of PLWHA, which gives the public a better understanding of PLWHA. By so doing, we raise awareness of PLWHA needs, and fight stigma and discrimination. These art pieces are then transformed into products (<http://www.paw.org.cn>) for sale, and all proceeds go back to PLWHA activities and to the participating PLWHA. PAW hopes to expand this form of therapy to other organisations beginning in 2004, and we are looking for partners.

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INDIA

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Year founded: 1983 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: State Orissa of India
Funding: Voluntary donations from public
Number members: About 300 **Number HIV-positive:** No
Key activities: Education; literary; youth advocacy; child awareness

ARPAN

INDIA

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Year founded: 1995 **Main working languages:** Punjabi, Hindi, English.
Geographic coverage: Ropar and Fatehgarh Sahib of Punjab
Funding: State and Central governments
Number members: 7 **Number HIV-positive:** 2
Key activities: Program for truckers in Nangal, project in Fatehgarh Sahib, national environmental awareness campaign, legal awareness program for women, program for rural and poor women

ASIA PACIFIC PLWHA RESOURCE CENTRE (APPRC)

INDIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Asia-Pacific region **Funding:** UNDP

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Providing support to PLWHA groups; development resource materials; advocacy strategies, etc.

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Tel: 91-33-22104912 **Fax:** 91-33-22207270**E-mail:** gautamkghosh@hotmail.com**Year founded:** 1963 **Main working languages:** Bengali, English**Geographic coverage:** Kolkata (Baranagore and Kamarhati municipalities and North Kolkata corporation wards), and Jhargram subdivision of Midanpore West district in West Bengal**Funding:** Government of West Bengal; CARE India, community resource mobilization**Number members:** Governing body of 12, plus local managing committee**Membership profile:** 9 men, 3 women, 2 SC and OBC, 12 Hindu, aged 35–70**Leadership profile:** 1 member of LMC, a male youth, participates in the decision-making process for drug abuse and STD prevention programs.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Home-based services	Many
Psychosocial support	All		

Affiliated organizations: NGO AIDS coalition, FADAA India, ICNYP**Key activities:** STI, HIV prevention and intervention programs among rural and urban slum youth, drug addicts, and commercial sex workers; community sensitization; behavior change communication initiatives; counseling and clinical services for STI, HIV/AIDS; counseling and detoxification for drug addicts; networking; advocacy; community-based DOTS covering 21 wards of Kolkata municipal corporation in West Bengal in partnership with CARE and Government of West Bengal Department of Health and Family Welfare. Recipient of national awards in 1983 for child development (individual), and in 1987 for disabled welfare.**CENTRE FOR RURAL SOCIO ECONOMIC CULTURAL EMPOWERMENT****INDIA****ACADEMY (CRESA)****Contact:** K. Amirthalingam Hindu

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Geographic coverage: Tkallupatti, Sedapatti, Peraiyur, Usilampatti, Tirumangalam block level villages in Madurai district, Tamil Nadu, India**Number members:** 7**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Formation of self-help for poor, rural women and prostitutes; social and economic development activities; training sessions on alternative income generation; contacts with local nationalised banks to seek credit and support; primary health centre for remote villagers; special care for commercial sex workers, prostitutes, and suspected HIV/AIDS cases; referral services to district government hospital.**EDUCATIONAL & RURAL DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY****INDIA****Contact:** Dr. Prem Singh Kuntal, Secretary

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EL SHADDAI RESOURCE CENTRE, HOPE FELLOWSHIP

INDIA

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Year founded: 1990 **Main working languages:** English, Manipur, Tangkhul

Geographic coverage: Manipur State

Funding: Tear Fund, Tear AUS, UNDP/UNDCP and the Government of Manipur

Number members: 21 **Number HIV+:** 8

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Home-based care, counseling, advocacy, awareness raising, community mobilization, training

FRONTLINE GROUP OF +IDUS

INDIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Manipuri/English

Geographic coverage: State

Funding: Member's Coalition

Number members: 20 **Number HIV+:** all

Membership profile: Male

Leadership profile: All male recovering IDUs who are HIV+

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Kripa Foundation Imphal

Key activities: Self-help group formation, income generation activities, leadership workshop. This is a self-help group of HIV-positive IDUs working towards income generation to get access to treatment and to support the formation of similar groups of positive spouses or widows of IDUs.

GRACE GROUP

INDIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Manipuri/English

Geographic coverage: State

Funding: Members' contributions, microcredits from the church

Number members: 20 **Number HIV+:** all

Membership profile: Spouses and widows of +IDUs

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Kripa Foundation

Key activities: Self-help group formation, counseling referral services, leadership workshop, income-generation through microcredits to gain access to treatment

GRAM BHARATI SAMITI (GBS)**INDIA****Contact:** Bhawani Shanker Kusum, Secretary and Executive Director

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Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many
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Affiliated organizations: AIDS Society of India, the national network of AIDS organisations in the country**Key activities:** For the past 12 years, GBS has been working with tribal communities traditionally involved in sex work in rural areas of the Rajasthan state. Programs and activities have focused on awareness and education, treatment of STDs/RTIs and pregnancy-related complications, home- and community-based care and support for PLWHAs through an outreach medical unit, some community support and development activities to provide safe drinking water, nonformal education for the children of the tribal sex workers, etc.**HIV-POSITIVE PEOPLE WELFARE SOCIETY****INDIA****Contact:** Mr. Karunanidhi Karunanidhi

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Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
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Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many
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Key activities: Care center, treatment for opportunistic infection, workshops, counseling, psychosocial support**HOPE FELLOWSHIP****INDIA**

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Tel: 91-385-2227138 **E-mail:** info@esrc.org.in**Geographic coverage:** Imphal East District, Imphal West District**Funding:** General Public, El Shaddai Resource Centre**Number members:** 21 **Number HIV+:** 21**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
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Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All
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Key activities: Support group meetings, family visits, medicine support

INDIA-AIDS

INDIA

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Geographic coverage: India: Delhi, Haryana, North Eastern States, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra, Rajasthan; Ukraine: Kiev, Odessa, Kharkov, Lugansk, Port Cities; Russia: Moscow, St. Petersburg.

Funding: Central and State governments, National and State AIDS Control Societies, multinational companies.

Number members: 3,000 Approx **Number HIV+:** 600

Membership profile: Mostly Hindu men

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Member of Global Health Organisation, International AIDS Society, Red Cross Society of India, and Christian Medical Association. Affiliated with Dhamtari Christian Hospital

Key activities: HIV/AIDS and other awareness programs, advocacy, prevention, management, treatment, health camps for awareness-building, provision of medical facilities in interior of India, malaria projects, treatment and palliative care of people living with HIV/AIDS, education, women and child welfare, family planning, etc.

INDIAN BUSINESS COALITION ON AIDS

INDIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Tamil, Malayalam, Marathi, Kannadam, Telugu, Bengali, Santhali, Assamese, and Hindi

Funding: No

Number members: 27 **Number HIV+:** 4

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: INP+, CPK+, PWN, TNP, ISHIMA, SAATHII, ABCOnAIDS, MacArthur Foundation, TBCA

Key activities: Workplace interventions and their standardization; evaluation of targeted interventions for eight NGOs in Punjab, Delhi, and Haryana; "Scaling up for treatment – An Indian Model," presented at the First International Treatment Preparedness Summit in Cape Town; The Tata Initiatives on AIDS and the MacArthur Fellowship 2002–2003

INDIAN NETWORK FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (INP+)

INDIA

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Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** English, Hindi, Tamil, and regional languages

Geographic coverage: State-level networks in Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Manipur and Nagaland.

Funding: USAID, UNDP funds the Asia Pacific Regional Resource Center, UNAIDS supports the Positive Speakers Bureau, UNAIDS Geneva provides funds for the Documentation of Human Rights Violations, and CDC India supports the family counseling center established at the Government Hospital for Thoracic Medicine.

Number members: Approximately 3,000 **Number HIV+:** all

Membership profile: HIV+ Indians over the age of 18. Genders, age, sexual orientation, faiths, professional and educational backgrounds all vary.

Leadership profile: 9-member Board of elected representatives, mean age 35 years, 3 are women

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: HPPWS, PWN+, CPK+, KNP+, TNP+, NMP+, GSNP+, Zindagi-Goa, RNP+, NNP+, MNP+.

Key activities: Advocacy on issues concerning PLWHA, namely GIPA, access to treatment, reducing stigma and discrimination, gender and HIV, and human rights; formation and provision of technical assistance to state-level networks of HIV-positive people; capacity-building of positive networks affiliated with INP+; establishment of positive living centers in Namakkal district, Tamil Nadu; establishment of positive speakers bureau in 5 cities; development of strategies to operationalize GIPA in India; establishment of a family counseling center at the Government Hospital for Thoracic Medicine, Chennai, Tamil Nadu; documentation of human rights violations; assistance to state-level network to devise advocacy strategies to address the issues specific to their states; building of partnerships with the government and international agencies to improve the quality of life of people living with HIV in India

KOLKATA NETWORK OF HIV POSITIVE

INDIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Bengalese

Geographic coverage: Calcutta, West Bengal

Funding: West Bengal State AIDS Prevention Society funded project for networking in five districts of West Bengal

Number members: 643, plus 35 volunteers **Number HIV+:** All

Membership profile: Low income and literacy levels; gender, age, and religion vary

Leadership profile: 11 governing body members, all HIV-positive.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: The organization focuses on improving the quality of life of its members; advocating for their rights; providing home-based care and support, voluntary counseling and testing, hospitalization, and HIV screening; free CD4 count facilities; networking with other Indian groups, NGOs, CBOs, etc; treatment of opportunistic infections, some ART.

KUTUMB UPNP+

INDIA

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Year founded: 1993 **Main working languages:** English, Hindi

Geographic coverage: Kanpur, Lucknow, Behraich, Basti

Number members: 76 **Number HIV+:** 51

Membership profile: 35 men and 16 women are positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Advocacy for expanded response on treatment services and job security, in-group care of terminally ill and orphaned children

MANIPUR NETWORK OF POSITIVE PEOPLE (MNP+)

INDIA

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Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** Manipuri, Hindi, English
Geographic coverage: Manipur State
Funding: ActionAID India, National Aids Control Society through Manipur State Aids Control Society
Number members: More than 300 **Number HIV+:** all
Membership profile: Approximately 187 men and 113 women. Hindu, Christian, and Muslim
Leadership profile: About 10, 6 male and 4 female
Key activities: Care and support for PLWHA in Manipur, advocacy

NETWORK OF MAHARASHTRA BY PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS

INDIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Marathi, Hindi, English.
Geographic coverage: State of Maharashtra. Districts of Pune, Satara, Nagpur, Solapur, Sangli, Aurangabad, Nashik, Beed, Latur, Sindhudurg, Gadchiroli, Ratnagiri, Ahmednagar, among others.
Funding: USAID, UNDP, WHO, USAIDS, FHI, AVERT, NACO, MSACS, INP+, UNAIDS
Number members: 427 **Number HIV+:** all
Membership profile: 212 women, 215 men, age 15 to 45, Hindu, Muslim, and Christian
Leadership profile: 9 representatives, 5 men and 4 women age 25-35, all positive
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: INP+
Key activities: Capacity-building of NMP+ board members and staff; skills and capacity-building of PLWHAs accessing services on all project sites; workshops on documentation and communication, sex and sexuality, participatory community assessment, visioning and strategic planning for Maharashtra, legal literacy for women, GIPA strategy development, and MIS; leadership development; the First State Level PLHA Conference in India and in Pune in August 2003; establishment of income-generation unit in 2003

NETWORK OF NAGA PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (NNP+)

INDIA

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Tel: 91-03867-2100045 **E-mail:** tricckato@mail.com
Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: 8 districts of the state
Funding: Only the Nagaland State AIDS Control Fund for the PLWHA drop-in center.
Number members: 906 **Number HIV+:** all
Membership profile: 506 women, 400 men, age 19-42
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Welfare society of people living with HIV/AIDS in the Zunheboto District
Key activities: Networking with NGOs, CBOs, and government organizations, formation of district-level network, attending and speaking at public gatherings, holding workshops on stigma and discrimination, attending UNDP (REACH) Leadership programmes

PEOPLE LIVING WITH AND AFFECTED BY HIV/AIDS TRUST**INDIA**

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Year founded: 2001 Main working languages: Tamil

Geographic coverage: South India, Theni Town, Theni District, Tamil Nadu

Funding: TNSACS, Local Fund Number members: 138

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Candle Rally for HIV/AIDS; workshop on HIV/AIDS for 200 PLWHA including affected people; treatment workshop; drop-in center for PLWHA supported by TNSACS; monthly support group meeting for positive people; positive-speakers training for PLWHA; advocacy; positive posters; awareness-building

POSITIVE ALLIANCE**INDIA**

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Year founded: 2003 Main working languages: Manipuri and English

Geographic coverage: State Funding: No

Number members: 150 Number HIV+: 95 percent are PLWHA.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Kripa Foundation Imphal

Key activities: Started as a small self-help group, the organization expanded in 2003. It works mainly for the welfare of IDUs, their spouses, widows, and children. Activities include counseling, home-based care, self-help group formation, referral services.

RNP+**INDIA**

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Year founded: 2002 Main working languages: English, Hindi

Geographic coverage: Rajasthan State Funding: Rajasthan State AIDS Control Society

Number of members: 63 Number HIV+: all

Membership profile: 39 men, 24 women, Hindu, Christian, and Muslim

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: Indian Network of Positive People

Key activities in the past year: Counseling, advocacy, sensitization, legal assistance, awareness building, training, and referrals

SALEM NETWORK OF POSITIVE PEOPLE (SNP+)**INDIA**

Contact: Ms. Sandana Devi Somesh, Coordinator

211, Rajaji Avenue, New Fairlands, Salem, Tamil Nadu, 636 016, India

Year founded: 2003 Main working languages: Tamil, English

Geographic coverage: Salem District

Funding: Project Concern International, Pathway Project funded by CDC

Number members: 52 Number HIV+: all

Membership profile: 25 women, 27 men; age 5 to 50, with 30 members age 26-30

Leadership profile: 5 women, 3 men, all positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Identify PLWHA, counselling services, home visits, referral services, support group meetings, vocational training programs, information and awareness-building, advocacy, contact with other networks, building rapport with medical labs/clinics/private and government hospitals, formation of self-help group for PLWHA

SETU (MISSION HIGHWAY)

INDIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Marathi, Hindi, Gujrati

Geographic coverage: Until 2003, Mumbai only; in December 2003, we began an extensive campaign called “Mission Highway—To fight against HIV/AIDS” covering 60 cities and 18 states. On occasion of Internatioal AIDS candlelight Memorial Day, 18 states chapters will be founded to support HIV/AIDS-infected or affected persons.

Funding: Receiving support from Project Concern International, India - PATHWAY Project being funded by CDC

Number members: 52 **Number HIV+:** all

Membership profile: 25 women, 25 men, all ages **Leadership profile:** 4 women and 4 men, all positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
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Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many
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Key activities: Awareness-raising around legal rights and VCT, work with domestic and migrant worker, Rainbow Life program

SOCIETY FOR DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH AND TRAINING (SFDRT)

INDIA

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Year founded: 1996 **Main working languages:** English, Tamil (vernacular)

Geographic coverage: Pondicherry, Chennai, Andamans

Funding: USAID, APAC/VHS, DANIDA, Government of India (state and Central), UNDP, UNAIDS

Number members: Board members, 8; staff, 48; our home care service has catered to 150 members in 2 years

Number HIV-positive: 20% of the staff; all 150 members of the home care

Membership profile: Majority members have a master’s degree and have been affiliated with SFDRT since the begining. They are aged 19–35. The majority is Christians and have an experience rate of 5.2 years/person

Leadership profile: More than 60% of the staff and the members have excellent leadership qualities and are capable of taking independent decisions, and will go out of their way to help PLWHA and their needs. They also possess skills to condemn and address stigma and discrimination within their circle of events.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
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Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All
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Affiliated organizations: We are a network of nearly 35 organisations in India.

Key activities: HIV/AIDS prevention and targeted interventions with sex workers, truckers, film industry workers, bar workers, etc.; HIV/AIDS prevention for children of sex workers; antitrafficking issues with minors in Pondicherry; care of patients with HIV/AIDS and STIs. We trust solely in home-based care and support to help PLWHA live longer. Our main drawbacks are lack of funds for care services.

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Year founded: 1998 Main working languages: English, Hindi

Geographic coverage: West Bengal, about to finalize contract for evaluation of school AIDS education program in Assam and Nagaland with UNICEF and NACO

Funding: Creation of a Support Network for People Living With HIV/AIDS in West Bengal funded by AusAID; evaluation of school HIV/AIDS awareness program in 4 districts of West Bengal funded by DFID and SHRC; best practice document supported by UNAIDS; West Bengal State AIDS Prevention and Control Society; individual donations and grants

Number members: More than 200 Number HIV+: 135

Membership profile: PLWHA need not enroll as a member in order to access services. Members are Hindu or Muslim men, women, and children.

Affiliated organizations: West Bengal State AIDS Prevention and Control Society

Key activities: Free VCT; pre- and posttest counseling; online counseling, information dissemination; PMTCT; low-cost care through outreach activities, lobbying pharmaceutical companies for ARVs, community outreach, and home-based care; creation of self-help groups, dialogue with program commissioners, community, and care providers; income-generation activities for women infected with HIV or affected by HIV in a family member; community awareness-building, physicians' orientation program

SOCIETY FOR SOCIAL WELFARE, AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT**INDIA****(SSWARD)**<http://www.geocities.com/sswardorg>

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Main working languages: English, Hindi, Telugu

Geographic coverage: Five districts of Andhra Pradesh State, plans to expand

Funding: Own funding and donations

Number members: 100

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: AIDS awareness and information services, disaster mitigation, and programs for women and children, formation of self-help groups for women, training in lace knitting, participation in meals and exhibitions, partnerships with other NGOs, The Candlelight Programme, capacity-building, counseling services, safer blood supply; in planning stages: rehabilitation centre for the children of AIDS patients, establishment of old age homes, women's employment through income-generation programmes, environmental pollution control programmes, medical and health care centres, residential schools, production and distribution of media programmes and books, establishment of a hospice, and child care center

TAMIL NADU NETWORK OF POSITIVE PEOPLE**INDIA**

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Year founded: 1995 Main working languages: Tamil

Geographic coverage: Chennai, Tamil Nadu, South India.

Funding: Tamil Nadu State AIDS Control Society

Number members: 1,500 Number HIV+: all

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Indian Network For People Living With HIV/AIDS and Global Network of Positive People

Key activities: Formation of district-level Network for Positive People, treatment and advocacy workshops, positive speaking training, care and support

TDNP+**INDIA****Contact:** Ashok Nair

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Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Advocacy, treatment, vocational training, rehabilitation of children of CSW and PLWHA**TRIVANDRUM NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (TNP)****INDIA****Contact:** AsokKumar Nair, President

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Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Foundation for Integrated Reserach in Mental Health**Key activities:** Presentation of paper on stigma and discrimination at XI International Conference in Kampala; other conferences; counseling; support medical needs; advocacy with police and medical departments; fighting stigma; public awareness; press conferences**UDAAN+****INDIA****Contact:** Vijay Nair, Vice President

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Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Antiretrovirals	All	Home-based services	All
Psychosocial support	All		

Key activities: First organization in Asia established by MSMPLHA; provide care and support to MSMPLHA, women and children, advocacy, training, HBC**VILLAGE SUSTAINER DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION****INDIA**

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Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Antiretrovirals	None	Home-based services	Many

Affiliated organizations: United Nations Association**Key activities:** AIDS awareness and education programs

VIRUDHUNAGAR DISTRICT HIV/AIDS POSITIVE PEOPLE NETWORK (VPPN+)

INDIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Tamil

Geographic coverage: District-level, match and fireworks industries, and commercial sex workers

Funding: Institute for Social Awareness and Rural Development

Number members: 110 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: 65 women, 35 men, 10 children; men aged 18–48, children to age 12; mostly Hindu, some Muslims and Christians

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	Many
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Affiliated organizations: Institute for Social Awareness and Rural Development

Key activities: Organization and encouragement of HIV-positive people; information dissemination; provision of food and clothing to those in poverty; educational support

WELFARE SOCIETY OF PLWHA IN ZUNHEBOTO (WSZDP+)

INDIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: 19 towns and numerous villages

Funding: National AIDS Control Society Fund for PLWHA Drop-in Centre; contributions and donations from affected communities and individuals

Number members: 1,665 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: 80% injecting drug users, 20% others; aged 10–38, Christian (American Baptist)

Leadership profile: 8 board members (all members are HIV-positive)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many
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Affiliated organizations: Subdivisional and range/province-level networks

Key activities: Counseling; treatment; literacy; networking with NGOs, CBOs, and governmental organizations; attending skills-building workshops conducted by U.N. agencies; public speaking to remove stigma and discrimination; advocating for GIPA at all levels

BALI PLUS SUPPORT GROUP

INDONESIA

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Geographic coverage: Denpasar, Badung, and Singaraja–Bali

Funding: Bali International Women Association

Membership profile: 60 members (40 men, 20 women), aged 17–37

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
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Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None
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Affiliated organizations: Yayasan Hatihati, Yayasan Kesehatan Bali, Yayasan Hati Kita Bali, YCUI, PMI Bali, Yayasan Gaya Dewata

Key activities: Positive Chat, skills-building, Bali Network of People Living With HIV/AIDS

MEDAN PLUS (M+)

INDONESIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Indonesian, English
Geographic coverage: Medan, North Sumatera
Funding: Medan Plus funded by Yayasan Spiritia, Yayasan Spiritia placed in our capital state, Jakarta
Number members: 16 **Number HIV-positive:** 8
Membership profile: 4 injecting drug users; 4 transsexuals
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Yayasan Spiritia (Jakarta), Yayasan Galatea (Medan), Jaringan Kesehatan Masyarakat (Medan)
Key activities: Spiritual support to PLWHA, mostly in closed meetings. We were founded because some PLWHA in Medan became bored with life, lonely, and separated from others. Thus they created a supportive community.

RUMAH CEMARA - BANDUNG PLUS SUPPORT

INDONESIA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Indonesian, English
Geographic coverage: Bandung, West Java, Indonesia, Southeast Asia
Funding: USAID (Family Health International ASA (Aksi Stop Aids), October 2003–January 2004; counseling, capacity-building, health meeting solutions), local government and donations from people who care
Number members: 25 **Number HIV-positive:** 18
Membership profile: 17 men, 8 women, aged 17–28, Muslims, Christians
Leadership profile: 3 coordinators (general coordinator, internal coordinator, external coordinator), all are HIV-positive, aged 22–26
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Closed meetings for PLWHA; capacity-building (public speaking and peer counseling training); counseling; communication; education and information; outreach program; promotion organization; health meetings. Rumah Cemara is a nonprofit rehabilitation center for drug and substance abusers. All members and staff are recovering addicts who can work with professionalism. Bandung Plus Support (BPS) provides care and support for PLWHA in Rumah Cemara and Bandung City.

SPIRITIA FOUNDATION

INDONESIA

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Year founded: 1995 **Main working languages:** Indonesian, English
Geographic coverage: 30 cities in 18 provinces of Indonesia
Funding: USAID supports 15% of the program through RRF or travel authorizations (cooperation started end of 2002), major funding from Ford Foundation, collective funding from members and other well-wishers
Number members: 11 **Number HIV-positive:** 6
Membership profile: 6 women, 5 men, aged 21–62
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Provide an opportunity for HIV-positive people in Indonesia to leave behind their feeling of isolation and directly exchange information and experiences with other HIV-positive people and with experts. Develop PLWHA skills so that their involvement can have an optimal effect and not just be tokenism. The topics include public speaking, peer support-group development, peer education, and attendance at international conferences. Since Indonesia is a huge archipelago with a variety of unique challenges, we are enhancing local networks by visiting important local stakeholders to help them develop an understanding of HIV/AIDS. We encourage the development of local PLWHA peer groups. Facilitated founding of Spiritia, the elected coordinator of the network. We strive to empower, maintain, and expand the national network and to have a strong peer network for support and advocacy.

YAYASAN KESEHATAN BALI

INDONESIA

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Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** Indonesian
Geographic coverage: Province

Funding: AusAID

Number members: 9 **Number HIV-positive:** 6

Membership profile: 2 women, 7 men, 6 HIV-positive

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Antiretrovirals	Few	Home-based services	None
Psychosocial support	Few		

CARAM ASIA BHD

MALAYSIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Malay

Geographic coverage: Bangladesh, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Sri Lanka

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: SHISUK, CARAM Cambodia, Peace Trust, Migrant Forum, Solidaritas Perempuan, Tenaganita, Nepal Institute of Development Studies, Lawyers for Human Rights and Legal Aid, ACHIEVE Inc., MRSC, MSC

Key activities: Capacity-building workshop on health education; second annual consultation meeting with the special rapporteur; domestic worker brainstorm meeting; domestic worker online campaign; CARAM steering committee meeting; financial training

KUALA LUMPUR AIDS SUPPORT SERVICES SOCIETY (KLASS SOCIETY)

MALAYSIA

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Mandarin

Geographic coverage: Kuala Lumpur and the Klang Valley

Funding: Fundraising and Ministry of Health, Malaysia

Number members: 89 **Number HIV-positive:** 46

Affiliated organizations: Malaysian AIDS Council

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Cell support group sessions for PLWHA; hospital visits; empowering PLWHA to be speakers and facilitators for workshops, IAMD, and WAD events, etc.; KLASS Helpline; member/volunteer nights, fundraising

PELANGI COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

MALAYSIA

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Year founded: 1998 **Main working languages:** English, Bahasa Malaysia, Mandarin

Geographic coverage: Clients come seeking services from throughout Malaysia

Funding: 30% of budget is covered by the Mission Centrale of the Franciscans; for the rest we rely on public donations and the help of friends.

Number members: 30 residential places **Number HIV-positive:** All

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: Pelangi, a project for homeless or rejected persons with HIV/AIDS, is the only organization of its kind in Malaysia. We have a halfway home, and hospices for men and single mothers with children. Our goal is to provide free HAART to all clients. Homeless HIV-positive drug users receive free methadone treatment. We conduct outreach work to male sex workers, hospitals, and street-based drug users. We provide material and financial help and support to poor families affected by HIV/AIDS. We are committed to the principles of harm reduction and are an active member of Asian Harm Reduction Network and Forum.

BLUE DIAMOND SOCIETY

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Nepali, English

Geographic coverage: Kathmandu Valley

Funding: USAID (FHI and PSI are providing small funds for a condom promotion program for men who have sex with men.)

Number members: 4,000 **Number HIV-positive:** We don't know for sure, but a few are open about their HIV status

Membership profile: Men, male and female sex workers, sexual minorities

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Maiti Nepal, FIAR, FHI, PSI, NFI, FWLD

Key activities: HIV/AIDS prevention; treatment education; counseling; advocacy for access to treatment; advocacy for human rights for sexual minorities

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PLWHA IN NEPAL (NAP+N)

NEPAL

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Nepali, English.

Geographic coverage: All Nepal

Funding: Financial support from UNAIDS/Nepal to organize first national workshop for PLWHA in Nepal, June 11-13, 2003

Number members: 91 **Number HIV-positive:** 91

Membership profile: Men and women (injecting drug users, men who have sex with men, trafficked women, housewives, sex workers); aged 17-41; all Nepali religions

Leadership profile: One of our members is the Advisory board member of APN+ and member of GNP+ and GFATM; another is a member of CCM/Nepal

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: PLWHA care and support, and self-help groups in Nepal

Key activities: Held a three-day national workshop for PLWHA. Our organization is a network of individual PLWHA in Nepal.

NAVA KIRAN PLUS**NEPAL****Contact:** Rajiv Kafle, Coordinator

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Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: National Network of PWAs, APN+, Social Welfare Council**Key activities:** Treatment; care and support; residence for PLWHA; housing for PLWHA; capacity-building; training; workshops; advocacy (Nava Kiran Plus Treatment access campaign); media, ACT UP Kathmandu; national PWA network, APN+; telephone hotline (4354019); home-based care. We help all those who come in contact with us through our referral network, care, support, and treatment programs.**SNEHA WOMEN AND CHILD GROUP****NEPAL****Contact:** Tshering Shrepa, Founder Member**E-mail:** snehagroup@hotmail.com**Year founded:** 2004 **Main working languages:** Nepali**Geographic coverage:** Kathmandu**Funding:** None**Number members:** 15 **Number HIV-positive:** 15**Membership profile:** Women aged 0–45**Leadership profile:** The group is led by HIV-positive women for HIV-positive women.**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: POLICY Nepal**Key activities:** We work in emotional support, awareness regarding stigma and discrimination; fundraising to provide care and support for women and children; and capacity-building for members.**VISION PLUS FOR PLWHA****NEPAL****Contact:** Manish Gurung, Coordinator

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ALLIANCE FOR BRIGHT CITIZENS (NGO)

PAKISTAN

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Year founded: 1994 **Main working languages:** Urdu, English
Geographic coverage: All of Pakistan, especially Lahore City
Funding: Member donations
Number members: 30 **Number HIV-positive:** 10
Membership profile: 25 men, 5 women, aged 25–50, 29 Muslims, 1 Christian
Leadership profile: Men and women, aged 30–50
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic treatment services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Khidmat Association

Key activities: We campaign for awareness of HIV/AIDS and STIs, especially in the youth community. We have educated people because illiteracy is one of the factors that causes the spread of HIV. All executives and members work without pay to combat HIV/AIDS and its allied problems. We educate people; we perceive that the young generation is the pillar of a nation and these pillars must be saved from fatal problems such as HIV/AIDS. If we save a youth now, it means we are saving a leader of the future. With this mission, we struggle in Pakistan.

I GAT HOPE

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** English, Melanesian Tok Pisin

Geographic coverage: Port Moresby

Funding: INP+ (New Delhi) but not access yet to the money

Number members: 20 **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: 4 men, 16 women, aged 20–40; Catholic, United Church, Seventh-Day Adventist

Leadership profile: 4 executive officers and 6 committees (2 men, 8 women)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: We are a new organization and do not have an office space and need a lot of support to strengthen us (e.g., for training). Help will be highly appreciated.

PINOY PLUS ASSOCIATION, INC.

PHILIPPINES

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Year founded: 1994 **Main working languages:** English, Filipino

Geographic coverage: Philippines

Funding: Philippine National AIDS Council for specific activities such as World AIDS Day and Candlelight Memorial; from the Asia Pacific Network of PLWHA for small projects; from the Philippine NGO Support Program through the International AIDS Alliance

Number members: 200 **Number HIV-positive:** 200 (fewer than 100 are active) Some members have already passed on, but we keep their membership forms and information to follow up with children orphaned by HIV/AIDS.

Membership profile: More men than women; aged 17–50; some Muslims, rest are mostly Christians

Leadership profile: Officers are all HIV-positive; men and women; only 2 are on the board of advisors

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: Philippines National AIDS Council, GNP+, APN+, other partner international and national NGOs and governmental organizations

Key activities: PINOY PLUS is a sole organization of PLWHA in the Philippines. PINOY is a colloquial term for a Filipino. The word denotes some form of nationalism and evokes a feeling of bonding together, acceptance, and belonging to a specific group. The prime motive is to organize PLWHA, and to have one voice and access to available services. We have transformed and developed gradually, from being beneficiaries of services to proactive participants in information, education, and communication campaigns; advocacy; fundraising; networking; and providing care and support services to peers. We provide PLWHA the opportunity to share experience and resources and strengthen each other through planned activities.

POSITIVE ACTION FOUNDATION PHILIPPINES, INC.

PHILIPPINES

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Year founded: 1998 **Main working languages:** English, Filipino

Geographic coverage: NCR, National

Funding: PNAC (Program Accelerated Funds), Ford Foundation/APNEDA-PASASALAMSI/CMTNE, SIDA-SIDACOM, Solidarite SIDA

Number members: 130 **Number HIV-positive:** 100

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Antiretrovirals	Few	Home-based services	All
Psychosocial support	All		

Affiliated organizations: Philippine National AIDS Council

Key activities: Capability/skills-building; community health education; trainers for the workplace; advocacy campaign: Positive Lives Caravan 2003; photo exhibit of PLWHA (San Fernando, La Union, Bakwo City, Nagyam Valley, Nueva Yizlaya, Iwo-Ilo, Akanaga City, Daraga, Albay, National Capital Region)

ASIA PACIFIC NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS

THAILAND

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Main working languages: English **Geographic coverage:** Asia-Pacific Region linking national PHA groups

Funding: POLICY Project

Number members: Unlimited to PLWHA in Asia-Pacific region **Number HIV+:** All

Leadership profile: 25 countries represented

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Member of GNP+, APCASO

Key activities: Capacity-building, stigma and discrimination research in four countries in Asia-Pacific; documenting human rights violations; advocacy on human rights and discrimination; building on UNAIDS-funded research work by APN+; treatment access; capacity-building within APN+, including the development of clear and workable governance structure; and strengthening the role of the secretariat by seeking funds for a full-time coordinator and defining the role of the secretariat

CENTER FOR PERSONS AND FAMILIES AFFECTED BY AIDS (CPA)

THAILAND

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Main working languages: Thai, English

Geographic coverage: Greater Bangkok; income-generation: throughout Thailand

Funding: On a limited project basis from UN agencies and Thailand Ministry of Public Health; on a more sustainable basis, financial and in-kind support through fundraising from the private sector, including hotels, retailers, etc.

Number members: 185 (+400) **Number HIV+:** 185 (+400)

Membership profile: Average age, 25–35; gender: 49% women, 51% men; religion: Buddhist/Muslim; income level: 25% without regular source of income, average level of income ~US\$75/month

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Thailand Business Coalition on AIDS (TBCA), Thailand NGO Coalition on AIDS(TNCA), Thai Network of Positive People (TNP+), many informal and formal support groups throughout Thailand

Key activities: Establishment of legally registered foundation for the center; increase in health services provided to HIV-positive people to include inpatient and outpatient support in selected hospitals in the Bangkok area; increase in number of PLWHA undergoing health care and income-generation training. Health-care support consists of emergency funds; home visits; group and individual psychosocial counseling; and inpatient and outpatient support in hospitals. All health care volunteers have formal training in collaboration with Médecins sans Frontières. The center strives to complement existing or lacking nonmedical health care services to ensure comprehensive treatment schemes for HIV-positive people. Income-generation support: vocational training in collaboration with private sector, and financial and ongoing occupational support, including education funds.

PWHA-NET

THAILAND

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Year founded: 1998 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Global

Funding: Ireland AID

Number members: >1,000 **Number HIV-positive:** Unknown

Key activities: Global e-mail forum for PLWHA

BRIGHT FUTURES

VIETNAM

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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Vietnamese

Geographic coverage: Hanoi City, Viet Nam

Funding: USAID (via the POLICY Project in Viet Nam to support an English class with 8 lessons/month) and from the Hanoi International Women's Club to open a coffee shop

Number members: 13 **Number HIV-positive:** 10

Membership profile: 20–25 years old

Leadership profile: 1 group leader, male, 26 years old

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: None

Key activities: Counseling; advocacy; capacity-building; networking

HOA PHUONG DO GROUP

VIETNAM

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** Vietnamese

Geographic coverage: Hai Phong City, Viet Nam

Funding: None

Number members: 8 **Number HIV-positive:** 8

Membership profile: All women, aged 23–30, all infected by husbands (injecting drug users)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Counseling

CROATIAN ASSOCIATION FOR HIV (HUHIV/CAHIV)

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Year founded: 1999 **Main working languages:** Croatian

Geographic coverage: Republic of Croatia
Funding: Ministry of Health, City of Zagreb, MSD
Number members: 50 **Number HIV-positive:** 40

Leadership profile: Executive Board of 5 members and the Supervisor's Board of 3 members. The Executive Board is in charge of running the NGO and the Supervisor's Board authorizes financial spending. Four of the 8 leaders are HIV-positive.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Distribution of medications for patients in other parts of Croatia; seminar for experts working with children and 10 panel discussions on HIV/AIDS for students and high school pupils; seminar with Children's Hospital in Zagreb; peer-education project for high school students; three-year-old education campaign (magazines, publications, panel discussions). On January 2, 2004, CAHIV opened a center that provides psychosocial support for PLWHA and voluntary counseling and testing services.

CONVICTUS EESTI

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** Estonian, Russian, English

Geographic coverage: Estonia
Funding: Family Health International, Convictus Sweden
Number members: 20

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Work in the Estonian prisons, including support groups, outreach, adaption and distribution of informational materials

KOZ KARASH

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Geographic coverage: Bishkek City
Funding: UNDP
Number members: 5 **Number HIV-positive:** 5

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Key activities: Creation of self-help groups for people living with HIV/AIDS

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Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
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Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
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Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	All
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Affiliated organizations: Sister groups in neighboring countries (e.g., "ESPO" Estonia, "LPG" Lithuania)**Key activities:** Opening a "daughter" NGO, a drop-in center; starting a new activity of support to incarcerated PLWHA. We were the first AIDS NGO in Latvia, and the only NGO in Latvia openly uniting PLWHA.**LITHUANIAN POSITIVE GROUP****LITHUANIA****Contact:** Ramunas Ragalinskas

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Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	All
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Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	All
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Key activities: Organization of self-support groups for PLWHA; gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgenders; sex workers**ARKHANGELSK REGIONAL BRANCH OF RUSSIAN RED CROSS****RUSSIA**

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E-mail: loki-pr@yandex.ru**Year founded:** 1867 (Russian Red Cross) **Main working languages:** English, Norwegian**Geographic coverage:** Arkhangelsk, Northwest of Russia**Funding:** Task Force Fund, Norwegian Red Cross**HIV-positive members with access to:**

TB screening and treatment	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Key activities: Peer education, seminars, events, etc.**MUNICIPAL ADOLESCENT CENTER OF MEDICO-SOCIAL ADAPTATION "UNIX"****RUSSIA**

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Tel: 7-3852-516-508**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** Russian**Geographic coverage:** Barnaul City**Funding:** Municipal budget, sponsors, international humanitarian organizations (UNICEF, UNFPA)**Number members:** 9 **Number HIV-positive:** None**Membership profile:** Doctors, volunteers (2 men, 7 women; 20–45 years old), Christians**Affiliated organizations:** 5 affiliates in city districts**Key activities:** Doctors' consultations with young people on prevention of HIV/AIDS; treatment; promotion of healthy lifestyles; psychological assistance; promotion of volunteer work among young people. Municipal Adolescent Center of Medico-Social Adaptation ("UNIX") works in the sphere of HIV/AIDS prevention among young people and to promote healthy lifestyles. The center spreads important information about health and HIV prevention. Specialists and volunteers organize public activities and conduct consultative training and advising activities for young people in the city of Barnaul.

ALEXO**SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO**

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Geographic coverage: Serbia and Montenegro

Funding: From our own pockets (about \$2,000)

Number members: 130 **Number HIV-positive:** 90

Leadership profile: 3 representatives, 100% HIV-positive, 35–45 years in age

HIV-positive members with access to:

TB screening and treatment	All	Opportunistic infection services	All
Antiretrovirals	All	Home-based services	Few
Psychosocial support	Many		

Affiliated organizations: Youth of JAZAS, UNAIDS

Key activities: Psychosocial support for PLWHA; collecting money for reagents and test kits to monitor antiretroviral therapy

SAFE PULSE OF YOUTH**SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO**

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Serbian, English

Geographic coverage: Central Serbia and Vojvodina, mostly in Belgrade, Novi Sad, and Nis

Funding: UNICEF, Canadian International Development Agency, Swedish International Development Agency

Number members: 30 **Number HIV-positive:** 4–6

Membership profile: Aged 15 to 40; equal numbers of men and women; mostly students, secondary school children, physicians, psychologists, workers; some members of vulnerable groups and PLWHA; mostly atheist, but some Orthodox and Protestant Christians

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	None

Affiliated organizations: JAZAS, The Youth of JAZAS, HIV/AIDS, Medecine du Monde, YUMSIC

Key activities: Health educational interventions for HIV and STIs among lesbian, gay, and transgender population (funded and supported by UNICEF); voluntary confidential counseling and testing for HIV (funded and supported by UNICEF); Right to Know, a television program (funded and supported by UNICEF); support to the PLWHA (in collaboration with other NGOs)

ALL-UKRAINIAN NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV**UKRAINE**

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Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** Ukrainian, English, Russian.

Geographic coverage: 14 regions of Ukraine: Kyiv, Cherkasy, Chernigiv, Donetsk, Kharkiv, Kherson, Kryvyi Rig, Lviv, Mykolaiv, Odesa, Pavlograd, Poltava, Simferopol, Znamenka

Funding: USAID; from International HIV/AIDS Alliance (USAID-funded program) \$50,000 (2001–2003) for a nonmedical care project for PLWHA in Odesa, treatment adherence program in Kyiv, and community center in Poltava. From Counterpart Alliance for Partnership (USAID-funded program) \$2,000 (2001–2002) for development of a PLWHA network by means of establishing self-support groups), Netherlands Organization for International Development Cooperation, UNICEF, UN Office in Ukraine, International Renaissance Foundation, Kyiv City Center of Social Services for Youth

Number members: 200+ **Number HIV-positive:** 90%

Key activities: All-Ukrainian requiem event on International AIDS Memorial Day in 21 cities and towns of Ukraine; maintenance of treatment and support for PLWHA and for elimination of negative consequences of HIV/AIDS epidemics; four advisory centers for PLWHA work in four Ukrainian regions, with financial support from the Open Society Institute; provide social and consultative services, and support the activities of self-help group for PLWHA in 12 regions of Ukraine

GRUPO DE MUJERES DE LA ARGENTINA**ARGENTINA****FORO DE VIH MUJERES Y FAMILIA**<http://www.grupodemujeres.org.ar>**Contacto:** Martha Miravete Cicero, Presidenta

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RED DE PVVS ZONA SUROESTE LA MATANZA**ARGENTINA**

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CARE BARBADOS

BARBADOS

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Year founded: 1983 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: Barbados
Funding: fish, barbeque, crafts
Number members: 45 **Number HIV-positive:** 42
Membership profile: Aged 16–63
Leadership profile: 3
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
Opportunistic infection services	None	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Workshops, seminars (local and abroad), outreach program to the community

ALLIANCE AGAINST AIDS

BELIZE

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Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish
Geographic coverage: Belize District
Funding: HIVOS, UNICEF, British High Commission, U.S. Ambassador’s fund, local private donors, foreign donors
Number members: 40 **Number HIV-positive:** 20
Leadership profile: 1 woman coordinates “Positive Lives”
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: National AIDS Commission, CRN, REDCA
Key activities: Helpline and services to PLWHA, pretest and posttest counseling, education, referrals

INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY OF WOMEN

BOLIVIA

LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (ICW)–BOLIVIA

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Year founded: 2000 **Main working languages:** Spanish, English
Funding: Volunteer, members’ contributions
Number members: 60 **Number HIV-positive:** 60
Membership profile: Women living with HIV from Bolivia, aged 15–64, mostly Christian (Catholic and Protestant)
Leadership profile: 3 leaders (Santa Cruz, La Paz, Cochabamba); all are women living with HIV, 25–35 years of age
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	None
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Advocacy for rights and access to ARVs, skills-building, workshops, promotion of integral support and care, promotion of sexual and reproductive health for women living with HIV

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Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	unos pocos	Antirretrovirales:	ninguno
Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos		

Organizaciones afiliadas: Red La+, ONG Instituto para el Desarrollo Humano de Bolivia (IDH)**Actividades principales:** talleres de líderes de PVVS, foros nacionales de PVVS, apoyo e información, búsqueda de fondos, ayuda psicológica y atención medica**MOVIMENTO LIVRE****BRAZIL**<http://www.movimentolivre.org.br>**Contato:** Renato do Rio, Diretor Financeiro

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Tel: 48-3025-1670 **Fax:** 48-3025-1670 **E-Mail:** renato@movimentolivre.org.br; contato@movimentolivre.org.br**Ano de fundação:** 1993 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Espanhol**Cobertura geográfica:** Estado de Santa Catarina, cidade de Florianópolis**Fontes de recursos:** USAID, (US\$500 através da Pathfinder, para participar na segunda conferência internacional de pessoas vivendo com VIH/SIDA em Kamapala) Ministério da Saúde do Brasil, UNESCO**Número de associados:** Cerca de 15 **Número de associados HIV+:** 4**Perfil da liderança:** Nosso presidente Elvio S. Bornhausen é presidente do fórum catarinense da ONG/AIDS de Santa Catarina, que tem uma forte relação com o governo brasileiro.**Associados HIV+ com acesso a:**

Aconselhamento nutricional	Poucos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Poucos
Serviços de infecções oportunistas	Poucos	Anti-retrovirais	Muitos
Serviços domiciliares	Poucos	Apoio psicossocial	Poucos

Organizações Filiadas: Instituto ARCOIRIE, ADEH NOSTRO MUNDO**Principais atividades:** Projeto Aderência ao Tratamento VIH/SIDA; Projeto Inclusão Digital, em conjunto com CODI e CINSUL; Seminário contra exploração sexual e emigração de mulheres; Encaminhamento de várias pessoas para voltar a estudar**OBRAF ORGANIZAÇÃO BRASILEIRA DE APOIO FILANTRÓPICO****BRAZIL****Contato:** Sergio de Abreu Santos, Presidente

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Aconselhamento nutricional	Nenhum	Exames e tratamento para TB	Nenhum
Serviços de infecções oportunistas	Muitos	Anti-retrovirais	Todos
Apoio psicossocial	Poucos		

Principais atividades: Casa de Apoio para mulheres e crianças HIV+

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Ano de fundação: 2000 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português

Cobertura geográfica: Atuação em Porto Alegre, municípios do interior do Estado e várias localidades do país

Fontes de recursos: Está sendo mantida por seus próprios associados (também vivendo com HIV/AIDS), doações e vendas de produtos artesanais confeccionados pelos usuários, USAID (mas não atualmente)

Número de associados: 4 e 3 voluntários **Número de associados HIV+:** 6

Perfil dos associados: Idades entre 20 e 55 anos. Três homens e quatro mulheres compõem o colegiado e voluntariado. O número médio de usuários é em torno de 300 pessoas/mês, predominantemente do sexo feminino, idade 25-50 anos. Os usuários são também portadores de HIV, familiares e amigos.

Perfil da liderança: Todos os participantes são portadores de VIH, à exceção de um voluntário.

Associados HIV+ com acesso a:

Aconselhamento nutricional	Todos	Exames e tratamento para TB	Todos
Serviços de infecções oportunistas	Todos	Anti-retrovirais	Todos
Serviços domiciliares	Nenhum	Apoio psicossocial	Muitos

Organizações filiadas: Fórum de ONGS AIDS do Rio Grande do Sul

Principais atividades: Prevenção à AIDS no local de trabalho. Projeto “Cidadã PositHIVa” (capacitação para mulheres vivendo com HIV/AIDS em todo o Brasil); Comitê Nacional de Vacinas – Representação; Assento junto à Comissão Estadual de Saúde e Comissão Municipal de Saúde de Porto Alegre (Presidência); Capacitação em prevenção às DST/AIDS nos serviços penitenciários; Atendimento e encaminhamento jurídico para pessoas vivendo com HIV/AIDS; marketing social de preservativos (DKT do Brasil/USAID) – recebemos subsídios da USAID por 3 meses; esta atividade sustentou e manteve o aluguel da sede da ONG.

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Ano de fundação: 1995 **Principais idiomas de trabalho:** Português, Espanhol

Cobertura geográfica: Cidade do Rio de Janeiro e região metropolitana

Fontes de recursos: Programa Nacional de DST/AIDS; Secretaria Estadual de Saúde do RJ; Secretaria Municipal de Saúde da Prefeitura da Cidade do Rio de Janeiro; Ajuda da Igreja da Noruega – Ain; Instituto de Saúde da Mulher do Pacífico; Pessoas físicas

Número de associados: 650 pessoas com HIV/AIDS cadastradas

Principais atividades: Treinamento do Projeto Synergy na Cidade do México em 2003, prevenção e assistência para mulheres com HIV/AIDS e sua rede de relações sociais; Projeto “Mulher Pozythiva”; prevenção e assistência para usuários de drogas e sua rede de relações sociais; Projeto Redução de Danos na Linha; Prevenção e assistência para homens heterossexuais com HIV/AIDS e sua rede de relações sociais; Projeto “Homem também se cuida!”; Prevenção e assistência para portadores de doenças mentais do Instituto Municipal de Assistência a Saúde Nise da Silveira; Prevenção de DST/AIDS para a população em geral; Prevenção de gravidez indesejada para adolescentes; Assistência jurídica gratuita para pessoas com HIV/AIDS e sua rede de relações sociais; Projeto “É DE LEI!”

AGRUPACIÓN DE PERSONAS VIVIENDO CON VIH/SIDA "NUEVA AURA"**CHILE****Contacto:** Pedro Sánchez, Presidente Agrupación

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También hay mujeres entre 23 y 50 años, con enseñanza secundaria incompleta o sin ella, y madres de familia

Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**Consejos sobre nutrición:** ninguno **Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:** todos**Antirretrovirales:** todos **Apoyo psico-social:** todos**Organizaciones afiliadas:** "Nueva Aura" forma parte del "Centro de Participación Ciudadana en Prevención de VIH/SIDA", de Antofagasta. Realiza un trabajo en conjunto para la prevención y sensibilización en VIH/SIDA con las otras agrupaciones pertenecientes al Centro, logrando de este modo llegar a la población de hombres que tienen sexo con hombres (homo y bisexual, junto a la población transgénera), trabajadoras sexuales, minorías sexuales lésbicas, mujeres dueñas de casa y sobre todo jóvenes entre 14 y 22 años de Antofagasta**Actividades principales:** Lanzamiento VI Campaña Comunicacional de Prevención de VIH/SIDA en la ciudad de Antofagasta. Acto masivo conmemoración día 1º de diciembre. Jornada de prevención y sensibilización de VIH/SIDA para jóvenes entre 15 y 17 años**AGRUPACIÓN SALUD Y VIDA****CHILE****Contacto:** Juan Emilio Garces Espinoza, Coordinador Relaciones Públicas**Tel:** 64-421-671 **E-mail:** saludyvida@hotmail.com**Año de fundación:** 2001 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español**Alcance geográfico:** provincia de Osorno**Fuentes de recursos:** colecta anual**Número de miembros:** 22 socios, 5 activos **número de VIH+:** 3**Perfil de los miembros:** hombres, mujeres, homosexuales, entre 20 y 45 años, católicos, evangélicos y ateos**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:****Consejos sobre nutrición:** muchos **Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** muchos**Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:** todos **Antirretrovirales:** todos**Servicios a domicilio:** unos pocos **Apoyo psico-social:** unos pocos**Organizaciones afiliadas:** VIVOPOSITIVO**Actividades principales:** conferencia sobre VIH/SIDA en la provincia, trabajos asociativos con el servicio de salud destinados a la prevención y el autocuidado.**AXIONHUMANA****CHILE**<http://www.vihsida.cl>**Contacto:** Eduardo Valenzuela Rojas, Representante y administrador de sitio web

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Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Servicios a domicilio:	ninguno	Apoyo psico-social:	muchos

Organizaciones afiliadas: ASOSIDA (Asamblea de ONGs), Redlat+, GNP+**Actividades principales:** talleres laborales para personas seropositivas, talleres de sensibilización y prevención del VIH/SIDA para centros de padres y apoderados de colegios municipalizados de la Región Metropolitana de Santiago, talleres de DD.HH. para personas seropositivas, talleres de prevención y defensa de los DD.HH. de los trabajadores seropositivos de la Central Autónoma de Trabajadores de Chile**NUEVA ESPERANZA****CHILE****Contacto:** Victor Osualdo Campillay Caro

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Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	unos pocos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	unos pocos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos

Actividades principales: entrega de información a las demás organizaciones que conforman la red nacional, trabajo de empoderamiento a nuestra parte de la agrupación, participación en el quinto encuentro sobre el VIH/SIDA**ORGANIZACIÓN JUNTOS POR LA VIDA****CHILE****Contacto:** Juan Luis Castillo Rojas, Presidente

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Consejos sobre nutrición:	todos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Servicios a domicilio:	ninguno	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos

Actividades principales: actividades de prevención, como charlas en colegios, institutos técnicos y universidad, talleres de prevención en campamentos de verano para más de 200 jóvenes, actividades de convocatoria masiva dentro de la comunidad para la Vigilia Mundial y para el Día Mundial del SIDA. Trabajos en asociación con el Ministerio de Salud y sus departamentos en la promoción de la VI Campaña Nacional de Prevención de VIH/SIDA en discotecas, balnearios, pubs, etc. con entrega de preservativos e información a la comunidad en general. Participación en la organización de la II Conferencia Nacional Descentralizada VIH/SIDA/ETS, realizada en la Segunda Región de Chile. Proyectos para mejorar la calidad de vida de nuestros amigos. Grupo de apoyo entre pares. Colaboración en otras actividades diversas dentro de la comunidad en general, proyecto para lograr atención odontológica integral para todas las PVVS de nuestra ciudad.

VIVO POSITIVO**CHILE**<http://www.vivopositivo.org>

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fvidal@vivopositivo.org

Year founded: 1997 **Main working languages:** Spanish

Geographic coverage: National

Funding: Ford Foundation, WAF, and others

Number members: 38 organizations (1,300 members) **Number HIV-positive:** 80%

Membership profile: 35% women

Leadership profile: Directorate composed of 5 persons (4 men, 1 woman; all HIV-positive), selected by the 38 community-based groups

Affiliated organizations: 38 community-based groups nationally (National Network)

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	All
Psychosocial support	Many		

Key activities: Investigation of discrimination against PLWHA at the national level; workshop on citizen rights; investigation of women's sexual and reproductive rights at the national level; workshop on sexual and reproductive rights with women in different regions of Chile; AIDS law citizen control; adherence workshop; sexuality workshop

ASOCIACIÓN AMIGOS POSITIVOS**COLOMBIA**

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Año de fundación: 2002 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español

Alcance geográfico: Departamento de Bolivar

Número de miembros: 115 **Número de VIH+:** 115

Perfil de los miembros: hombres y mujeres entre 12 y 60 años, niños de hasta 13 años

Perfil del liderazgo: junta directiva de 6 miembros; edades entre 30 y 60 años; todos VIH+

Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	todos
Servicios a domicilio:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	todos

Organizaciones afiliadas: Red Colombiana de Personas Viviendo con VIH o con SIDA

Actividades principales: apoyo, asesoría legal, consejería, capacitación a la comunidad

ASOCIACIÓN DE AMIGOS SIRVIENDO Y ORIENTANDO EN VIH (ASOVIH)**COLOMBIA**

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Año de fundación: 2003 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés

Alcance geográfico: Bogotá

Fuentes de recursos: recursos propios de los fundadores

Número de miembros: 18 **Número de VIH+:** 8

Perfil de los miembros: hombres gay, HSH, Trabajadoras sexuales, de 18 a 45 años, varias religiones

Perfil del liderazgo: 15 representantes (hombres y mujeres), entre 18 y 45 años, 5% positivos

Organizaciones afiliadas: Hospital de Usaquen E.S.E.

Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	muchos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	unos pocos
Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos	Apoyo psico-social:	muchos

Actividades principales: programas y talleres de prevención con énfasis en las ETS/VIH/SIDA, mediante la orientación, sensibilización y asistencia a personas seropositivas, población de alto riesgo y población en general (colegios, escuelas, comunidad, grupos, etc.) jornadas de salud, foros, actividades de integración hombres gay/HSH/trabajadoras sexuales, talleres empresariales

COMITÉ INTERSECTORIAL DE PROMOCIÓN Y PREVENCIÓN DE ETS Y SIDA COLOMBIA

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Año de fundación: 2003 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español
Alcance geográfico: Ciudad de Palmira
Fuentes de recursos: del Estado
Número de miembros: 20 **Número de VIH+:** 10
Perfil de los miembros: 7 mujeres, 13 hombres, entre 20 y 45 años, católicos
Perfil del liderazgo: 5 representantes, solo 1 positivo (20%)
Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	unos pocos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	unos pocos	Antirretrovirales:	unos pocos
Servicios a domicilio:	ninguno	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos

Organizaciones afiliadas: Secretaría de Salud Municipal
Actividades principales: diagnóstico, apoyo y medicación

FUNDACION "ARENOSA VIVE" (FUNDARVI) COLOMBIA

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Año de fundación: 2001 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español
Alcance geográfico: Región Costa Caribe, zona norte del país
Fuentes de recursos: otras ONGs
Número de miembros: 10 **Número de VIH+:** todos
Perfil de los miembros: 2 mujeres, 8 hombres, entre 28 y 43 años, todos cristianos
Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	muchos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Servicios a domicilio:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	muchos

Organizaciones afiliadas: Fundación en acción, Bogotá
Actividades principales: talleres: "Formando veedores de la salud", "Herramientas de internet", "Prevención del VIH/SIDA"

FUNDACIÓN CASA GAMI COLOMBIA

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Año de fundación: 1997 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español
Alcance geográfico: Región de Suroccidente Colombiano
Fuentes de recursos: talleres de prevención de VIH/SIDA, actividades lúdicas de recaudación de fondos
Número de miembros: equipo de trabajo 7, beneficiados 400 **Número de VIH+:** 5 del equipo de trabajo
Perfil de los miembros: 6 mujeres entre 23 y 45 años, católicas, 1 hombre entre 35 y 40 años, católico
Perfil del liderazgo: 5 representantes, 3 positivas, todas mujeres, 2 profesionales, entre 23 y 45 años
Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	unos pocos
Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos	Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos

Actividades principales: apoyo psicosocial a personas que viven con VIH/SIDA, proyecto disminución de la transmisión madre-hijo del VIH/SIDA, I Encuentro Nacional de Mujeres Positivas, Asesoramiento en seguridad social a personas que viven con VIH/SIDA y pacientes con otras enfermedades crónicas, grupo de autoapoyo de personas que viven con VIH/SIDA, Plan padrinos, Banco de medicamentos

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Tel: 057-4-2656667 **Fax:** 057-4-3510551 **E-mail:** gustavocampillo@hotmail.com; positivos@epm.net.co**Year founded:** 1990 **Main working languages:** Spanish**Geographic coverage:** Towns, cities, throughout the country**Funding:** Conferences and contracts with government**Number members:** 2,500; **Membership profile:** 10% female, 90% male, primarily gay and 20 to 30 years old**Leadership profile:** 30 to 40 persons, mostly gay, positive men**HIV-positive members with access to:****Nutrition guidance** All**TB screening and treatment** All**Opportunistic infection services** All**Antiretrovirals** All**Home-based services** All**Psychosocial support** All**Affiliated organizations:** RECOLUIH (Colombia Network for PLWHA), REDLAT; Antioquia One's Federation, Antioquia Volunteers Association**Key activities:** Defense of human rights, advocacy for access to medicine, support groups, health services, advocacy, family support, counseling, education of health personnel and the community

FUNDACIÓN VIVIR MEJOR Y SALUD**COLOMBIA**<http://www.telesat.com.co/f-vivirmejor>**Contacto:** Guiomar Castro, Directora General

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Tel: 98-877-22 40 **E-mail:** gilta@latiinmail.com**Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español**Alcance geográfico:** Municipio de Neiva y todo el Departamento del Huila**Fuentes de recursos:** contribuciones voluntarias**Número de miembros:** 30 niños y 15 adultos **Número de VIH+:** 20**Perfil de los miembros:** hombres y mujeres, entre 8 días y 40 años**Perfil del liderazgo:** profesionales con espíritu de trabajo social**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:****Consejos sobre nutrición:** todos **Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** unos pocos**Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:** muchos **Antirretrovirales:** unos pocos**Servicios a domicilio:** todos **Apoyo psico-social:** todos**Actividades principales:** seminario de integración a nivel departamental "Hoy nacen esperanzas" para dar capacitación sobre adherencia y psicología a los pacientes y sus familias; apertura de la casa hogar para niños con VIH, huérfanos de SIDA y madres con VIH; celebración del aniversario de la organización y celebración del día del niño**PANACEA E.U.****COLOMBIA****Contacto:** José Francisco Fernández Escalona, Médico General

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Alcance geográfico: Latinoamérica (20 países)**Actividades principales:** derechos humanos, mayor acceso a tratamientos, consejería, acupuntura, estigma y discriminación

ASOCIACIÓN COSTARRICENSE DE PERSONAS QUE VIVEN CON VIH/SIDA**COSTA RICA**

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Año de fundación: 1997 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés**Alcance geográfico:** área metropolitana, San José, Heredia, Cartago y Alajuela. Se proyecta la colaboración hacia Puntarenas, área de puerto y Limón.**Fuentes de recursos:** Fondo Global, recursos de los asociados**Número de miembros:** 140 **Número de VIH+:** 138**Perfil de los miembros:** hombres y mujeres en edad productiva**Perfil del liderazgo:** junta directiva con siete miembros (hombres y mujeres) y grupo de apoyo en áreas funcionales (cinco hombres y una mujer): capacitación, proyección, administración, económica, atención-apoyo y mujeres.**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:****Consejos sobre nutrición:** todos **Antirretrovirales:** todos**Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** todos **Servicios a domicilio:** todos**Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:** todos **Apoyo psico-social:** todos**Organizaciones afiliadas:** Red de ONGs que trabajan en el SIDA**Actividades principales:** proyecto de pares en hospitales y clínicas del SIDA, formación y fortalecimiento de grupos de autoapoyo, trabajo de pares en hogares para PVVS, promoción de la reinserción social mediante el empleo digno, encuentro nacional de PVVS, talleres de capacitación y sensibilización, prevención secundaria**ASOCIACIÓN COSTARRICENSE DE PERSONAS VIVIENDO CON VIH/SIDA****COSTA RICA****(ASOVIHSIDA)****Contacto:** Luis Leiva, Presidente

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Año de fundación: 1997 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés**Alcance geográfico:** Ciudad capital del país y Ciudad capital de provincia (Puntarenas)**Fuentes de recursos:** actividades para recaudar donaciones y proyectos.**Número de miembros:** 140 **Número de VIH+:** 135**Perfil de los miembros:** hombres y mujeres adultos, de 18 años en adelante, con diversidad de orientaciones sexuales y creencias religiosas.**Perfil del liderazgo:** 20 líderes, hombres y mujeres entre 20 y 50 años**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:****Consejos sobre nutrición:** todos **Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** todos**Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:** todos **Antirretrovirales:** todos**Servicios a domicilio:** unos pocos **Apoyo psico-social:** unos pocos**Organizaciones afiliadas:** ninguna**Actividades principales:** elaboración de un plan estratégico, capacitaciones en adherencia al tratamiento ARV, desarrollo de un proyecto de pares, IV Encuentro Nacional de PVVS, representación en redes nacionales e internacionales, apoyo al crecimiento integral de los socios**ASOCIACIÓN ROTARIA 3H LUCHA CONTRA EL VIH/SIDA****COSTA RICA**<http://www.arcosida.com>**Contacto:** Marcela Lizano Gutiérrez, Directora Ejecutiva

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Año de fundación: 1999 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés**Alcance geográfico:** nacional**Actividades principales:** talleres de prevención de VIH/SIDA**Fuentes de recursos:** actividades propias de recaudación de fondos**Número de miembros:** 4 asalariados, 15 voluntarios, 3,448 personas en todo el país capacitadas para replicar la información recibida **Número de VIH+:** ninguno, pero trabajamos con personas que sí tienen VIH.**Perfil de los miembros:** 3 mujeres de personal fijo de planta, edad promedia 30 años, 1 colaborador pensionado, voluntarios mayores de 50 años, la mayoría católicos y pensionados**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:****Consejos sobre nutrición:** todos **Antirretrovirales:** todos**Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** todos **Servicios a domicilio:** unos pocos**Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:** todos **Apoyo psico-social:** todos**Perfil del liderazgo:** Las personas VIH + que colaboran con nosotros son en su mayoría varones entre 30 y 40 años y muy dinámicos. Representan a sus asociaciones en diversas actividades dentro y fuera del país. Son grandes activistas y luchadores por sus derechos.

DE GRUPOS TRIUNFADORAS AL VIH/SIDA SILOE

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Año de fundación: 1999 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español

Alcance geográfico: Toda el área del Pacífico Central de Costa Rica. Se incluyen amigos y grupos afectados por VIH de todo el territorio nacional y de todo el mundo.

Fuentes de recursos: actualmente ninguna, apoyo de familiares y amigos de triunfadores del VIH/SIDA

Número de miembros: 25 **Número de VIH+:** 12

Perfil de los miembros: la mayoría hombres entre 18 y 50 años, protestantes y católicos

Perfil del liderazgo: todos los miembros del grupo son líderes potenciales

Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	unos poco	Servicios a domicilio:	ninguno
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos

Organizaciones afiliadas: ninguna

Actividades principales: encuentros de PVVS, capacitaciones y actividades recreativas durante todo el año, vigiliyas y lunadas algunos meses, procesos de transformación social, sexual, cultural y espiritual, fomento del desarrollo de habilidades en los seropositivos para mejorar su empleabilidad, desarrollo de una finca modelo tipo Kibutz que proporcione abrigo, sustento y atención profesionalizada a triunfadores que viven con el VIH/SIDA

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Año de fundación: 2000 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés

Alcance geográfico: provincia

Número de miembros: 15 **Número de VIH+:** 12

Perfil de los miembros: hombres 13, mujeres 2, católicos, entre 25 y 45 años

Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos	Servicios a domicilio:	muchos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	muchos

Organizaciones afiliadas: LACCASO, REDLAC+, Red Cubana de PVVIH/SIDA

Actividades principales: prevención, asesoramiento, atención de salud, autoayuda, DD.HH.

ONE RESPE**DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**

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Año de fundación: 1990 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español y criollo

Alcance geográfico: Barrios de Los Platanitos y Los Pérez en Gurabo (Santiago) y Bella Vista, Haina en Santo Domingo

Fuentes de recursos: Christian Aid, UK

Número de miembros: 31 **Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**

Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	unos pocos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	unos pocos
Servicios a domicilio:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	muchos

Actividades principales: visitas domiciliarias, acompañamiento, grupos de inmigrantes, promotores de salud, grupos de nueva masculinidad, trabajo con jóvenes y profesionales, DD.HH., discriminación y prejuicio, talleres de concienciación y sensibilización

(REDOVIH)<http://www.redovih.net.do>**Contacto:** Oscar Valdez, Administrador

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Tel: 1809-886-4140; 1809-472-6973 **Fax:** 1809-472-6973 o 75 **E-mail:** valdezo@hotmail.com; redovih@codetel.net.do**Año de fundación:** 1997 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés.**Alcance geográfico:** nacional**Fuentes de recursos:** USAID (de 1999 a 2003, diferentes sumas de 20.000 US\$ en adelante para actividades de educación, prevención, activismo, administración, línea de auxilio, etc.), agencias de las Naciones Unidas (UNV, PNUD, UNICEF, ONUSIDA), Promundo-caritas y actividades para generar fondos de la institución.**Número de miembros:** unos 3.500 **Número de VIH+:** 98%**Perfil de los miembros:** todos los sexos, niñas, adolescentes, adultos (jóvenes, edad media y ancianos) y de cualquier religión aunque predominan los católicos**Perfil del liderazgo:** unos 15 coordinadores de grupos de ayuda mutua, mujeres, el 85% positivas y todas entre 30 y 40 años**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**

Consejos sobre nutrición:	todos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Servicios a domicilio:	muchos	Apoyo psico-social:	todos

Actividades principales: apoyo emocional, asesoramiento, especialmente para transmisión vertical (embarazadas), asistencia legal, educación, teatro para prevención de VIH, etc.**APASHA****ECUADOR**

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Shyris N 42-125 y Tomás de Berlanga, Edificio Orion Apt. 1 B, Quito, Pichincha, 17, Ecuador

Tel: 593-2-246-8746 **Fax:** 593-2-255-4693 **E-mail:** rjjimenez@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2002 **Main working languages:** Spanish, English.**Geographic coverage:** Quito, Pichincha Province**Funding:** Kimirina, International Alliance's local partner; Diplomatic Relief, a local association of representatives of foreign countries**Number members:** 11 **Number HIV-positive:** 11**Membership profile:** Volunteers, all professionals, age 22-49, men, mostly Catholic**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Key activities: HIV/AIDS advocacy; access to treatment and information for PLWHA; production of information for people who come to public hospitals; advice to the media on HIV/AIDS-related topics**ASOCIACIÓN GENTE NUEVA****GUATEMALA****Contacto:** Hugo Rolando Valladares Morales, Director

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Tel: 502-253-9150 **Fax:** 502-253-9150 **E-mail:** gnueva@itelgua.com.gt**Año de fundación:** 1997 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español**Alcance geográfico:** Ciudad Capital, Puerto Barrios (Dpto. Izabal)**Fuentes de recursos:** Ministerio de Salud Pública de Guatemala, TROCAIRE**Número de miembros:** 20 **Número de VIH+:** 16**Perfil de los miembros:** 8 mujeres y 12 hombres, entre 17 y 55 años, 18 católicos y cristianos**Perfil del liderazgo:** junta directiva de 7 personas, el 90% son positivos, 6 hombres y 1 mujer, entre 24 y 55 años**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**

Consejos sobre nutrición:	todos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	todos
Servicios a domicilio:	todos	Apoyo psico-social:	todos

Organizaciones afiliadas: ONUSIDA**Actividades principales:** Prevención en ITS/VIH/SIDA, atención personalizada de personas viviendo con VIH/SIDA (labor de pares), compra y distribución de medicamentos antirretrovirales, clínicas médicas en Ciudad Guatemala y Ciudad Puerto Barrios, clínica dental, clínica psicológica, tareas educativas (charlas, talleres, capacitación), albergue para PVVS del interior del país, jornadas odontológicas en el interior del país, información, educación y comunicación en poblaciones móviles y trabajadoras comerciales del sexo en Puerto Barrios

RED NACIONAL DE PERSONAS QUE VIVEN CON VIH/SIDA

GUATEMALA

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Año de fundación: 2003 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** inglés, español
Alcance geográfico: nacional
Actividades principales: conformación de la red, demanda al gobierno de Guatemala por falta de acceso a medicamentos
Fuentes de recursos: ONGs internacionales
Número de miembros: 90 **Número de VIH+:** 98%
Perfil de los miembros: hombres y mujeres, homosexuales, lesbianas, algunos católicos, otros no practican ninguna religión
Perfil del liderazgo: 6 representantes, todos seropositivos, entre 20 y 35 años, hombres, mujeres y homosexuales
Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	unos pocos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	unos pocos	Antirretrovirales:	unos pocos
Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos

Organizaciones afiliadas: ninguna

GUYANESE YOUTH NETWORK + (GYN+)

GUYANA

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English
Geographic coverage: We operate in the main infected regions, although our work is national in scope.
Funding: Self-funded though fundraising activities
Number members: 25 **Number HIV-positive:** 12
Membership profile: 11 men, 14 women, age range 14–38
Leadership profile: The executive committee has 40% HIV-infected individuals who have self-disclosed; the other 60% are not comfortable disclosing their status; gender balanced, age range 21–32
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: Not yet affiliated
Key activities: An information kit for young people living with HIV/AIDS and for youth affected by drug-related illnesses funded by the U.S. Ambassador to Guyana through the Ambassador’s Fund for HIV/AIDS. Our mission is to advocate for nondiscriminative services to improve the quality of life of children and young people living with HIV/AIDS and those affected by drug-related illnesses. Our motto is Live to Learn: Learn to Live. Our services are designed to provide empowerment for improved social functioning.

ASSOCIATION SOLIDA RITE NATIONALE

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Year founded: 15 Janvier, 1993 **Main working languages:** français, creole
Key activities: Plaidoyer pour l'accès aus traitements ARV et pour une legislation pour proteger les droits des personne vivent avec le VIH/SIDA
Funding: Catholic Relief Services, UNICEF
Number members: 675 **Number HIV-positive:** 530
Membership profile: 19 á 50 ans la plupart catholique et le reste protestant et le

GIPA NETWORK + HAITI**HAITI**

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Delmas 30 #43, Rue Codada, Port-au-Prince, Delmas, Haiti

Year founded: 2001 **Main working languages:** français**Geographic coverage:** North and South-West**Funding:** CRN+ and members of the organization**Number members:** 215 **Number HIV-positive:** 198**Membership profile:** Men, women, children, Catholic, Protestant**Affiliated organizations:** GIPA, CRN+**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	None	TB screening and treatment	None
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Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
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Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All
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Key activities: Counseling, information, advocacy, sensitization; need funds to work throughout Haiti; want to have a hospital for PLWHA**ASOCIACIÓN NACIONAL DE PERSONAS VIVIENDO CON VIH/SIDA****HONDURAS****EN HONDURAS (ASONAPVSI DAH)**

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Tel: 504-443-45-27; 504-557-17-64 **Fax:** 504-557-17-64 **E-mail:** anally1@hotmail.com; asonapvsidah@yahoo.com**Año de fundación:** 2000 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español**Alcance geográfico:** San Pedro Sula en Cortes, Puerto Cortes en Cortes, La Ceiba y Tela en Atlantida, Trujillo en Colón, Choluteca y El Triunfo en Choluteca, Danli en Danli, Juticalpa en Olancho, Siguatepeque en Siguatepeque, Comayagua en Comayagua, Tegualpa D.C. en Francisco Morazan.**Actividades principales:** 28 grupos de autoapoyo, capacitaciones con coordinadores de grupo de autoapoyo en nutrición, elaboración de proyectos, organización institucional, género, adherencia a ARV, atención integral, atención domiciliaria, DD.HH. y VIH/SIDA, participación en el MCP del Fondo Global en Honduras, voluntariado en los hospitales y acompañamiento a personas en consulta, procesos de incidencia política, asesoramiento, etc.**Fuentes de recursos:** USAID (en el año 2003, importe 75.059 lps. para un proyecto de respuesta rápida para visitar los grupos de autoapoyo y realizar un censo de estos grupos y de sus miembros para fortalecer la asociación), Fondo Global, Christian Aid, FONCA/ICCO, Cruz Roja Americana, GTZ, Proyecto Hope**Número de miembros:** unos 1,047 **Número de VIH+:** todos**Perfil de los miembros:** hombres y mujeres, PVVS, desde 5 años en adelante, religiones predominantes católica y evangélica, nivel escolar mínimo de primaria completa y secundaria; algunos analfabetos y pocos con educación universitaria**Perfil del liderazgo:** junta directiva de 11 miembros, todos VIH +, ambos sexos, entre 25 y 60 años**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**

Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	muchos
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Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
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Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos	Apoyo psico-social:	unos pocos
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Organizaciones afiliadas: Grupos de auto apoyo**COMUNIDAD GAY SAMPEDRANA****HONDURAS**<http://www.hondurasgay.com/cgs>**Contact:** Fredy Mauricio Triminio Zavala, Coordinador del grupo de auto apoyo "Imágenes positivas"

San Pedro Sula, Cortes, 2024, Honduras

Tel: 504-553-4362 **Fax:** 504-553-4362 **E-mail:** imagenespositivasgtbl@yahoo.com; holstenhn@yahoo.com; triminio03@hotmail.com**Año de fundación:** 2003 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español**Alcance geográfico:** San Pedro Sula**Fuentes de recursos:** USAID (unos 250.000 US\$ durante los últimos 11 años para programas educativos y preventivos)**Número de miembros:** 19 PVVS **Número de VIH+:** 19 PVVS**Perfil de los miembros:** La mayoría son gay, transgéneros, bisexuales, y lesbianas entre 19 y 45 años, la mayoría católica**Perfil del liderazgo:** Un coordinador de 30 años, hombre y VIH+ y un subcoordinador de 25 años, hombre y VIH+**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**

Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
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Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	unos pocos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
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Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos	Apoyo psico-social:	ninguno
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Organizaciones afiliadas: Care Internacional, Médicos sin fronteras y Médicos del mundo**Actividades principales:** visitas domiciliarias, acompañamiento al enfermo, consejerías, talleres educativos, kioscos, regalar condones

FRENTE NACIONAL DE PERSONAS AFECTADAS POR EL VIH/SIDA**MEXICO**<http://www.frenpavih.org.mx>

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E-mail: mendez@frenpavih.org.mx**Año de fundación:** 1996 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español**Alcance geográfico:** nacional**Número de miembros:** 18 integrantes del Consejo directivo nacional, 64 representantes estatales titulares, representantes suplentes y miembros de los grupos de autoapoyo estatales **Número de VIH+:** todos**Perfil de los miembros:** adultos, jóvenes, niños, heterosexuales, homosexuales, bisexuales, lesbianas y transgéneros, entre ellos padres de familia, amas de casa, profesionales, técnicos, estudiantes, empleados, desempleados, personas privadas de su libertad, personas de la tercera edad, indígenas, campesinos, etc. Diversidad racial, política, ideológica, económica y cultural.**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:****Consejos sobre nutrición:** muchos **Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** muchos**Servicios de prevención/tratamiento:** unos pocos **Antirretrovirales:** todos**Servicios a domicilio:** unos pocos **Apoyo psico-social:** unos pocos**Actividades principales:** cabildeo legislativo para lograr el acceso universal a medicamentos antirretrovirales, participación en un proyecto para reducir el estigma y discriminación en México coordinado por el Instituto Nacional de Salud Pública, reuniones periódicas con autoridades de la salud para mejorar la calidad de la atención médica, talleres de adherencia al tratamiento con un enfoque multidisciplinario que incluye personal de salud (médicos, enfermeras, psicólogos, etc.) y PVVS**GRUPO "SIEMPRE AMIGOS"****MEXICO**

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Tel: 52-783-832-5686 **E-mail:** premzia@prodigy.net.mx**Año de fundación:** 2001 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español, inglés y maya**Alcance geográfico:** Chetumal, zona Rio Hondoy, frontera con Belice**Actividades principales:** prevención, apoyo a PVVS y sus familias, formación de grupos de autoayuda**Fuentes de recursos:** donaciones y apoyo al programa INSP de poblaciones móviles**Número de miembros:** 10**Perfil de los miembros:** hombres y mujeres de más de 30 años y católicos, pero la organización es laica y no lucrativa**RED MEXICANA DE PERSONAS QUE VIVEN CON VIH/SIDA****MEXICO****Contact:** Anuar Luna Cadena, Executive Director

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Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities in the past year: Advocacy with the MOH, empowerment of women and PLWHA, leadership development**GÉNESIS PANAMÁ+****PANAMA****Contacto:** Javier Rozette, Secretario de Relaciones Internacionales

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Tel: 507-673-5904 **E-mail:** pach029@tutopia.com**Año de fundación:** 2003 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español e inglés**Alcance geográfico:** Ciudad de Panamá**Fuentes de recursos:** ninguna**Número de miembros:** 15 **Número de VIH+:** 15**Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:**

Consejos sobre nutrición:	todos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	todos	Antirretrovirales:	todos
Servicios a domicilio:	todos	Apoyo psico-social:	todos

Actividades principales: participación en las Conferencias de París y Uganda, capacitación sobre prevención, acompañamiento a PVVS**ALIANZA EN ACCION +****PERU****Tel:** 01-9716-4774 **E-mail:** alianzaaccion@yahoo.es**Contacto:** Omar Andia, Secretario

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Consejos sobre nutrición:	muchos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	todos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	unos pocos	Antirretrovirales:	unos pocos
Servicios a domicilio:	unos pocos	Apoyo psico-social:	muchos

Organizaciones afiliadas: grupos de ayuda mutua como el Grupo Ecuménico Rosa Blanca**Actividades principales:** talleres ocupacionales (manualidades), participación en el Día Mundial de la Lucha contra el SIDA

ASOCIACIÓN SOLAS Y UNIDAS

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Año de fundación: 1999 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español
Alcance geográfico: Ciudad de Lima y Provincia del Callao
Fuentes de recursos: The Global Fund for Women, The Global Fund for Children, American Jewish World Service, The Presbyterian Church, The Mama Cash Foundation, The World Programme Foods, Embajada de Canadá en Perú, aportes locales individuales
Número de miembros: 15, beneficiarios unos 1.000 **Número de VIH+:** todos
Perfil de los miembros: mujeres, entre 19 y 40 años, católicas, con educación secundaria y superior, zonas urbanas-marginales, madres viudas y amas de casa, con 2 hijos de media, sin tratamientos antiretrovirales
Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:
Consejos sobre nutrición: todos **Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** ninguno
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas: unos pocos **Antirretrovirales:** ninguno
Servicios a domicilio: ninguno **Apoyo psico-social:** ninguno
Organizaciones afiliadas: Coordinadora Peruana de Personas viviendo con VIH/SIDA, Colectivo por la Vida, Grupo Temático de las Naciones Unidas, Coordinadora Multisectorial Nacional, MLCM+Movimiento Lati
Actividades principales: capacitación en salud sexual y reproductiva, género y liderazgo para mujeres que viven con VIH/SIDA, promoción y formación ocupacional para mujeres que viven con VIH/SIDA en situación de pobreza, educación y entretenimiento para niños y niñas afectadas por VIH/SIDA, defensa de la causa y vigilancia en VIH/SIDA a través de redes comunitarias y de la sociedad civil, apoyo nutricional para personas de escasos recursos que viven con VIH/SIDA

COORDINADORA PERUANA DE PERSONAS VIVIENDO CON VIH Y SIDA

PERU

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 Domingo Cueto 335 3er Piso Lince, Lima, 14 Peru
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Year founded: 2003 **Main working languages:** Spanish, English
Geographic coverage: National
Funding: USAID (through The POLICY Project for leadership workshops, and scholarships to attend PLWHA conferences), UNFPA, GTZ
Number members: Nearly 500 **Number HIV-positive:** 500
HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: Strategic planning, leadership workshop, directory of PWA organizations

GAM RENACER

PERU

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 Lima, 01, Perú
Teléfono: 051-01-568-9525 **E-mail:** gamrenacer_hndm@yahoo.es
Año de fundación: ~ 1992 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español
Alcance geográfico: ciudad de Lima
Fuentes de recursos: donaciones de voluntarios
Número de miembros: 6 directivos y 60 participantes **Número de VIH+:** todos
Perfil de los miembros: hombres y mujeres católicos
Perfil del liderazgo: hombres y mujeres
Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:
Consejos sobre nutrición: unos pocos **Detección y tratamiento de la TB:** muchos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas: unos pocos **Antirretrovirales:** unos pocos
Servicios a domicilio: ninguno **Apoyo psico-social:** unos pocos
Organizaciones afiliadas: Alianza en acción
Actividades principales: charlas médicas y asesoramiento

ACCIÓN SOLIDARIA**VENEZUELA**<http://www.acsol.org>

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Caracas, Dto. Federal, 1040 Venezuela

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E-mail: reygan@attglobal.net

Year founded: 1995 **Main working languages:** Spanish, English, some French

Geographic coverage: Nationally

Funding: Individuals and Venezuelan private foundations and companies, fundraising events, UNICEF, Canadian Embassy, local UNAIDS office

Number members: 9 full-time staff **Number HIV-positive:** 4 men, 1 woman

Membership profile: 4 women, 5 men full-time, (all men are gay), 30–48 years of age, all Venezuelan

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	All	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Red MetSIDA, a network of HIV/AIDS NGOs, and Red POB, a reproductive health NGO

Key activities: Prevention training for HIV/AIDS peer educators, HIV prevention for MSM, capacity-building for 17 Venezuelan NGOs, business response to HIV/AIDS based on the CDC program, national HIV/AIDS prevention hotline (1,500 calls a year), weekly support groups, VCT at our own laboratory with pretest and posttest counseling, medical and psychosocial services for PLWHA at Acción Solidaria's Care and Prevention Center (since 2001, more than 400 people served per year), nutrition and psychological counseling, laboratory medicine bank, ARVs, opportunistic infection services, summer camp for HIV-positive children aged 7–13 and their kin (40 children last year), advocacy (member of coalition of NGOs for the right to health and life) to press government agencies to provide treatment for hepatitis, leukemia, hemophilia, cancer, transplants, and HIV/AIDS

SOCIEDAD WILLS WILDE**VENEZUELA**

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Tel: 58-274-271-0438 **Fax:** 58-274-271-0220 **E-mail:** saguzman@cantv.net; swwilde@cantv.net

Año de fundación: 1995 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** español, inglés

Alcance geográfico: Estado de Mérida

Fuentes de recursos: USAID (7.000 US\$ en el año 2003 para ejecutar un proyecto de incidencia política en VIH/SIDA con HSH), donaciones privadas y subvenciones de los gobiernos locales

Número de miembros: 12 trabajadores, 84 instructores en VIH/SIDA

Perfil de los miembros: entre 18 y 35 años, hombres y mujeres, católicos, homosexuales y heterosexuales

Organizaciones afiliadas: Liga Merideña de Lucha contra el SIDA

Miembros VIH+ con acceso a:

Consejos sobre nutrición:	unos pocos	Detección y tratamiento de la TB:	muchos
Servicios de infecciones oportunistas:	muchos	Antirretrovirales:	muchos
Servicios a domicilio:	ninguno	Apoyo psico-social:	mucho

Actividades principales: formación de instructores en VIH/SIDA, educación de adolescentes de las escuelas del Estado de Mérida en materia de VIH/SIDA, fomento de prácticas sexuales más seguras en hombres que tienen relaciones sexuales con otros hombres, incidencia política en VIH/SIDA con HSH, servicio de información y asesoramiento en VIH/SIDA por teléfono, e-mail y página Web, capacitación laboral para mujeres trabajadoras sexuales, distribución gratuita de condones

ACT UP PARIS

<http://www.actupparis.org>

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Year founded: 1987 **Main working languages:** French

Geographic coverage: France and internationally

Key activities: Lobbying, services, expertise, advocacy, and publications

Funding: Not available

AIDS EMPOWERMENT AND TREATMENT INTERNATIONAL (AIDSETI)*

<http://www.aidseti.org>

1775 T Street, NW, Washington DC 20009 USA

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P.O. Box 27143, Washington, DC 20038 USA

Tel: 202-518-0402 **Fax:** 202-518-5202

E-mail: rvaurs@aidseti.org; asall@aidseti.org

Year founded: 1999 **Main working languages:** English, French, Spanish

Geographic coverage: Sub-Saharan Africa and Caribbean

Funding: Individual contributions, a few foundations

Number members: 22 APLWHAs (about 50,000 patients) **Number HIV-positive:** about 30,000–40,000

Membership profile: No age and gender selection for patients at stages III/IV of the AIDS disease

Leadership profile: A majority of board members are HIV-positive, women, and live in the South

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Some	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Some	Antiretrovirals	Some
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: AidsFonds, Pharmaccess, Aid for AIDS

Key activities: Support to network of 22 PLWHA associations, antiretroviral therapy for 239 patients; seminars and field visits, fundraising, networking, attending conferences, developing an association-based care and treatment-ADCT model in 22 organizations of a network working in 12 countries, fighting for recognition of the key role to be played by PLWHA in scaling-up access, management of adequate AIDS treatments

*Information combined from two separate entries submitted to the directory.

ATCNET IN NEW YORK

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Year founded: 1992 **Main working languages:** English, French

Geographic coverage: Database covers the South with a priority for African initiatives

Funding: USAID (once, but more than 10 years ago in support of economic development planning and reform), private contributions

Number members: 72 **Number HIV-positive:** Probably more than half

Membership profile: Men and women; most age 20–30, all religions

Leadership profile: 1 woman, 1 man

Affiliated organizations: ATCnet/GDX

Key activities: Advocacy for health and HIV/AIDS in Africa, planning for a database of caregivers and local NGO initiatives in Africa, planning a fundraising initiative to encourage microinitiatives in the informal sector, planning a database for accounting and accountability for funds raised for HIV issues in Africa and southern United States. ATCnet New York is a northern organization with a 100% commitment to the South. The primary issue is to expand knowledge of what Africans (and others in the South) are doing with almost no resources and building on that to create ways to support these informal initiatives in their efforts.

CARIBBEAN PEOPLE INTERNATIONAL COLLECTIVE INC.<http://www.aidswalkcaribbean.org>**Contact:** Truda Hickman, Secretary

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Tel: 718-467-3777 **Fax:** 718-467-3733 **E-mail:** cpicincny@aol.com**Year founded:** 1995 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish**Geographic coverage:** New York City (Queens, Brooklyn, Bronx), first of 24 NGOs in Guyana**Funding:** Fundraisers, foundations, donations**Number members:** 100 active members, 100 nonactive members **Number HIV-positive:** 10; the NGO in Guyana has 30 HIV-positive persons**Membership profile:** 60% women, 40% men, 20–60 years old**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	None	Psychosocial support	Few

Key activities: AIDS Walk Caribbean; three health awareness fairs; scholarship awards program; Caribbean youth summit on HIV and AIDS; testing and counseling. Caribbean People International Collective, Inc. (CPIC) is a nonprofit organization founded by Dawn Stewart in 1995 in Brooklyn, New York. The mission is to promote healthy lifestyles among persons of Caribbean descent by fostering an atmosphere in which all those involved may benefit from knowledge, access to testing, counseling, educational practices, and life skills. Above all, the organization upholds the principle that all persons are created for a purpose regardless of physical appearance and human weaknesses.

CHRIST'S HOPE INTERNATIONAL (USA)<http://www.ChristsHope.org>**Contact:** Stephan Erkelens, President and National Director

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Tel: 877-544-0914 **E-mail:** info@ChristsHopeUSA.org; sierragu@yahoo.com**Year founded:** 2003 **Main working languages:** English**Geographic coverage:** Namibia, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Democratic Republic of Congo**Funding:** Foundations, corporations, churches, individuals**Number members:** 60 **Number HIV-positive:** 0

Key activities: Christian faith-based organization; Care and Compassion Program serving those infected with HIV/AIDS; manage homes for abandoned and orphaned children; large-scale sexual purity/abstinence program taught in public schools; large-scale volunteer mobilization from USA, Germany, Netherlands, England, and Belgium.

FOUNDATION FOR INTEGRATIVE AIDS RESEARCH (FIAR)<http://www.aidsinfonyc.org/fiar>**Contact:** George Carter, Director

62 Sterling Place, Suite 2, Brooklyn, New York 11217 USA

Tel: 718-622-0212 **Fax:** 718-622-4292 **E-mail:** fiar@verizon.net**Year founded:** 2001 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish, French, Nepali**Geographic coverage:** Global**Funding:** Private contributions, foundation support**Number members:** Not yet a membership organization **Number HIV-positive:** See community/scientific advisory board (C/SAB). Many on executive board and C/SAB are HIV-positive**Membership profile:** Membership will commence in late 2003/early 2004.

Leadership profile: 2 members of executive board are HIV-positive (1 man, 1 woman). FIAR is about to commence a membership drive; FIAR welcomes support, input, advice, ideas, and monetary contributions from people regardless of sexual orientation, gender, age, physical condition, etc. FIAR works because of community support and involvement. FIAR does not accept contributions from the pharmaceutical or nutraceutical industries in order to avoid conflicts of interest.

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	Few

Affiliated organizations: aidsinfonyc, Mt. Sinai Medical Center, Gandepam

Key activities: National Institutes of Health-sponsored grants to study milk thistle (*Silybum marianum*) in individuals with HIV/hepatitis C coinfection with Mt. Sinai Medical Center in New York City; to study safety and preliminary efficacy of interventions used in the traditional indigenous medicinal system of Tamil Nadu, India, known as Siddha medicine; preliminary evaluation of Chinese herbal treatment to evaluate potential to extend time on a structured treatment interruption. FIAR is dedicated to the evaluation of nontraditional interventions to manage HIV and chronic hepatitis diseases.

FUNDACIÓN CIMME

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Año de fundación: 1994 **Principales idiomas de trabajo:** árabe, español, francés, inglés, ruso

Alcance geográfico: internacional, con sede en Sevilla

Fuentes de recursos: propios, Ayuntamiento de Sevilla, Junta de Andalucía, Plan Nacional del SIDA (Ministerio de Sanidad), Unión Europea.

Número de miembros: 5 miembros fundadores **Número de VIH+:** Ninguno

Perfil de los miembros: hombres y mujeres, de varias religiones, españoles, franceses, nicaraguenses y marroquíes

Actividades principales: atención sanitaria y orientación en materia de salud, en varios idiomas, formación e información sobre salud e interculturalidad, formación e información sobre VIH/SIDA, actividades de prevención, asistencia a colectivos especiales, como prostitución, servir de puente entre las entidades que trabajan en el campo de las migraciones y las que trabajan en el campo del VIH/SIDA, en general

GLOBAL NETWORK OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS (GNP+)

<http://www.gnpplus.net>

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Year founded: 1993 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish, French

Geographic coverage: Global

Funding: Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Positive Action, support and small grants from several organizations

Number members: >1,000 **Number HIV-positive:** 90%

Leadership profile: Board of 12, all HIV-positive; general balance in gender

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Few	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Few	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few		
Psychosocial support	Few		

Affiliated organizations: ICW

Key activities: 11th International Conference for People Living with HIV/AIDS, Kampala, Uganda; Positive Development, Global Fund, ITAC

HEALTH GAP (GLOBAL ACCESS PROJECT)

<http://www.healthgap.org>

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Year founded: 1998 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: United States (listserv worldwide)

Funding: Progressive foundation grants, donations

Number members: 19 **Number HIV-positive:** 5

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	All	Antiretrovirals	All
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: MSF, CPtech, Essential Information, Church Worldwide Service, African Services Network, ACTUP NY/Philadelphia/East Bay, Africa Action

Key activities: Initiated presidential AIDS response; lobbying for global funds; Coca-Cola campaign

(<http://www.treat-your-workers.org>); lobbying for generic access at worldwide organization meetings; solidarity support for TNP+ and Treatment Action Campaign; initiated 2004 Stop Global AIDS platform (<http://www.healthgap.org>)

ICW, INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY OF WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS<http://www.icw.org>**Contact:** Alice Welbourn, Chair of the Board of Trustees

Unit 6, Canonbury Yard, 190a New North Road, London, N1 7BJ

Tel: 44 -20-77040606; **Fax:** 44-20-77048070; **Email:** info@icw.org**Year Founded:** 1992 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish, French**Geographic coverage:** Global – members in over 100 countries**Number members:** 4000 named members; about 10,000 members through affiliated networks; **Number HIV-positive:** All members are HIV-positive women. ICW is developing new categories of affiliation including: carers, organizations, friends of ICW**Main Affiliates:** GNP+, World YWCA, World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS), Ecumenical Advocacy Alliance (EAA), Amnesty International, IPPF**Membership Profile:** Membership is open to all HIV-positive women worldwide**Leadership Profile:** Global Board of trustees, over 75% HIV-positive women**Key Activities:** Promoting the visions and priorities of HIV-positive women internationally, through workshops, conferences, publications and advocacy work, specifically on gender equity, access to care and treatment, and GIPA. Convening Agency, UNAIDS Global Coalition on Women and AIDS treatment arm. Co-organizer of International AIDS Conference 2004.**INTERNATIONAL AIDS EMPOWERMENT**<http://www.internationalaids.org>**Contact:** Skip Rosenthal, Director

International AIDS Empowerment, 10525 Vista del Sol, Suite 130, El Paso, Texas 79925 USA

Tel: 915-590-2118 **Fax:** 915-590-2127 **E-mail:** skiprosenthal@usa.com**Year founded:** 1997 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish**Geographic coverage:** Primarily along the United States-Mexico border; providing additional assistance to organizations and individuals in Nigeria, Ethiopia, Peru and interior Mexico**Funding:** U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, National AIDS Fund, Elton John AIDS Foundation, Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS, Altria, Creme de la Do International, Until There Is A Cure Foundation, Pfizer Foundation, Bristol Meyers Squibb, Roche, Abbott, and as a collaborator in grants from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Health Resource Services Administration**Number members:** 372 **Number HIV-positive:** 323**Membership profile:** 79% Hispanic, 6% African-American, Asian-American, Native American, 15% caucasian; 64% men, 35% women, 1% transgender**Leadership profile:** All staff and management are currently HIV-positive. IAE employs 2 people full-time and 8 people part-time. Three employees are women, seven are men; the chairman of our board is a woman, affected, nurse practitioner and a specialist in pediatric AIDS, and a nun**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	All
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: A peer-staffed treatment education program for HIV-positive individuals and their families; monthly mutual support meetings for educational and social activities; an AIDS advocacy organization composed of HIV-infected and affected persons; emergency financial assistance program for PLWHA and their families; targeted intensive prevention services (a highly effective prevention program targeted to HIV-positive individuals); a three-site collaborative food pantry program providing nutritionally balanced groceries for PLWHA and their families; speakers' bureau that provides AIDS education and awareness for regional school districts, community organizations, and religious groups; a monthly newsletter published collaboratively by Positive Vision (Visión Positiva) and the Robert Delgado Treatment Advocacy Center; a program that recycles unused medications and medical supplies from individual donors in the United States to PLWHA in developing countries, principally in Mexico along the U.S. border; collaborator in a primary prevention study of Latino men who have sex with men who travel the Rio Grande corridor between Santa Fe, New Mexico (USA), and Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua (Mexico); HIV counseling and testing; planning for HIV services on the Texas/Mexico border**INTERNATIONAL GAY AND LESBIAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION**<http://www.iglhrc.org>**Contact:** Dusty Araujo, Asylum Program Coordinator

1375 Sutter #222, San Francisco, California 94109 USA

Tel: 415-561-0633 **E-mail:** iglhrc@iglhrc.org**Geographic coverage:** Worldwide**Funding:** Individual donors and private foundations**Number members:** Not a membership organization **Number HIV-positive:** Unknown**Membership profile:** We serve all people regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity, HIV status, immigration status, income, language, or ethnicity**Leadership profile:** A staff of 10 people, none is HIV-positive or out about being HIV-positive; age range 30–35; 5 women, 3 men**Key activities:** In the field of HIV/AIDS work, access to treatment and asylum based on sexual orientation, gender identity, and HIV status

INTERNATIONAL RELIEF TEAMS<http://www.IRTeams.org>

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Year founded: 1988 **Main working languages:** English

Geographic coverage: Western Cape, South Africa; in the process of developing a program in Honduras

Funding: USAID; 1999–2001 (\$40,000), 2001–2003 (\$40,000) for ocean freight reimbursement. Also, recently awarded an International Food Relief Partnership (IFRP) grant to address the nutritional needs of HIV-positive women and their dependents, and from a variety of foundations and private donors

Number members: 6 employees, average about 2,600 new HIV-positive mothers/month **Number HIV-positive:** All

Membership profile: All women

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Few
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Few
Home-based services	Few	Psychosocial support	All

Affiliated organizations: Mothers 2 Mothers 2 Be

Key activities: Peer mentoring programs for HIV-positive mothers

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PEOPLE WITH AIDS (NAPWA)<http://www.napwa.org>

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Year founded: 1983

Geographic coverage: National and international activities

Number members: 3,000 **Number HIV-positive:** 90%

HIV-positive members with access to:

Nutrition guidance	Many	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Key activities: Advocacy, mobilization of nationwide movement of PLWHA by engaging, training, energizing, and supporting positive leaders to shape HIV/AIDS policy, to sustain vital services and community support, and to raise public awareness. NAPWA advocates for and participates actively within the worldwide movement of PLWHA and creates stronger partnerships with global PLWHA organizations through the work done by its International Affairs Department. NAPWA is committed to developing meaningful involvement and leadership among PLWHA through the Leadership Development Initiative. This work includes conferences and training sessions, including the Leadership Training Institute, Helping Communities Build Leadership, the Ryan White National Youth Conference on HIV and AIDS, and Staying Alive, the national conference for PLWHA. NAPWA produces National HIV Testing Day each year on June 27 to send the message from PLWHA to “take the test; take control.” NAPWA sponsors AIDSWatch, the year’s largest Washington, D.C., AIDS advocacy days each spring, which brings hundreds of people infected with HIV and their supporters to meet with members of Congress.

PEOPLE’S HEALTH MOVEMENT (PHM)*<http://www.phmovement.org> (and <http://www.HTM-journal.info>)

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Year founded: 2002 **Main working languages:** English, French, Spanish

Geographic coverage: Geneva-based support group for PHM International (NGOs from 96 countries)

Funding: World Council of Churches for activities of PHM International at the World Health Assembly; other sources of funding are contributions from individual members in Switzerland and France

Number members: 15 **Number HIV-positive:** Undisclosed

Membership profile: All religions represented

Affiliated organizations: Member of network of several thousand NGOs (Asia, Africa, Latin America) in PHM

Key activities: Advocacy and support for the international People’s Health Movement; participation in World Social Forum with the WHO 3x5 team; production of an online trilingual journal (<http://www.HTM-journal.info>); research programs on HIV with African-based institutions and African NGOs; campaign for safe injection and safe health care; advocacy for 3x5; advocacy for TB treatment for PLWHA; information sharing from Africa by, from, and about PLWHA and people with disabilities (polio, neuromuscular diseases, other)

*Information for this entry submitted by Geneva-based support branch for PHM.

PLANET POZ<http://www.planetpoz.org>**Contact:** Wm. Steve Garrett, Executive Director

5300 Eubank Boulevard, NE, 9-D, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87111 USA

Tel: 505-298-2644 **Fax:** 505-298-2644 **E-mail:** Tagg24@spinn.net**Year founded:** 2000 **Main working languages:** English, Spanish, Dutch**Geographic coverage:** New Mexico, Africa, Europe, North America**Funding:** PLWHA support, scholarships**Number members:** 30–100 **Number HIV-positive:** All**Membership profile:** Native American, Dutch, Anglo, African American, Hispanic, Brazilian**Leadership profile:** Seven members hold positions of leadership, all are HIV-positive, aged 25–57, 50% men, 50% women**HIV-positive members with access to:**

Nutrition guidance	All	TB screening and treatment	Many
Opportunistic infection services	Many	Antiretrovirals	Many
Home-based services	Many	Psychosocial support	Many

Affiliated organizations: GNP+**Key activities:** We are a diverse group of volunteers working with limited funding for the fight to end stigma and discrimination, and gain the right to access to treatment for all. We are here for all people infected and affected by HIV/AIDS.**PLAYBACK THEATER (NYC)**<http://www.playbacknyc.org>**Contact:** Paul McIsaac, Director

25 Central Park West, New York, New York 10023 USA

Tel: 212-2621290 **E-mail:** paulmcisaac@rcn.com**Geographic coverage:** New York area, plans for Soweto and Durban, South Africa**Number members:** 12**Key activities:** Creating new theater groups in South Africa and cooperating with groups of PLWHA

GIPA and Stigma Reduction

Organizations

The Global Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS (GNP+) is a global network for and by people with HIV/AIDS. The central secretariat of the network is based in Amsterdam, The Netherlands, and has a board of 12 members representing the various international regions.

The overall aim of GNP+ is to work to improve the quality of life of people living with HIV/AIDS. This is achieved by helping to build the capacity of people with HIV/AIDS on the global, regional, and national levels.

The overall program of the network is to create, organize, and support a base for the global network by: 1) lobbying for inclusion of people living with HIV/AIDS and for the interests of people living with HIV/AIDS; 2) linking people and organizations through global and regional communication and conferences; and 3) sharing through capacity building at regional- and country-level focal points.

To learn more about GNP+, visit <http://www.gnpplus.net>.

The International Community of Women Living with HIV/AIDS (ICW)

ICW is the only global network run by and for HIV-positive women and young women. ICW's vision is a world where all HIV-positive women: 1) Have respected and meaningful involvement at all political levels—local, national, regional and international—where decisions that affect their lives are being made; 2) Have full access to care and treatment; and 3) Enjoy full rights, particularly sexual, reproductive, legal, financial, and general health rights, irrespective of our culture, age, religion, sexuality, social or economic status, and race. ICW has an international board of trustees and members on all continents.

To learn more about ICW, visit <http://www.icw.org>. ICW's ethical guidelines for involvement of HIV-positive women in socioeconomic research are available via the home page or by e-mail from info@icw.org. If you do not have Internet access, please write:

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United Kingdom
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<http://www.icw.org>.

Nutrition and Wellness

Books and Manuals

Information Series for HIV-Positive People: Nutrition. NAM. London, 2002.

This book outlines how to eat if one is HIV-positive. It describes the kinds of foods good for staying well, despite changes in metabolism due to antiretroviral medication, and how to maximize absorption of medication. It also gives advice on how to prevent weight loss and food-borne infections. Available online at <http://www.aidsmap.com/publications/infoseries/nutrition.pdf>. Or write:

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Lincoln House
1 Brixton Road
London SW9 6DE
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Tel: +44 (0) 20 7840 0050, Fax: +44 (0) 20 7735 5351
E-mail: info@nam.org.uk

Living Well with HIV/AIDS: A Manual on Nutritional Care and Support for People Living with HIV/AIDS. Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and the World Health Organization. Rome, 2002.

This manual provides home care agents and local service providers with practical recommendations for a healthy and well balanced diet for people living with HIV/AIDS. It deals with common complications that people living with HIV/AIDS experience at different stages of infection, and provides solutions that emphasize local food resources and home-based care and support. Available online at <http://www.fao.org/DOCREP/005/Y4168E/Y4168E00.HTM>. Or write to: FAO Headquarters, Viale delle Terme di Caracalla, 00100 Rome, Italy, Telephone: (+39) 06 570 54243, Fax: (+39) 06 570 56167, E-mail: FAO-HQ@fao.org

"Integrating Nutrition Therapy into Medical Management of Human Immunodeficiency Virus," *Clinical Infectious Diseases*. 2002. 36(2): 135-224.

This article examines general nutritional management, evaluation, and intervention for wasting, insulin resistance, fat redistribution, dyslipidemia, lactic acidosis, food safety, and bone abnormalities for people living with HIV. Available online at <http://www.journals.uchicago.edu/CID/journal/contents/v35nS2.html>. Or write:

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Journals Division,
P.O. Box 37005
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HIV/AIDS: A Guide for Nutrition, Care and Support. Academy for Educational Development. Washington, D.C. 2001. Divided into six issue-driven modules, the information in this guide focuses on dietary and care practices for adults during different stages of HIV. It gives suggestions for household and community members coping with HIV infection. This book includes recommendations for improving the nutrition of HIV-positive children. *Aussi en français*. Available online at http://www.aed.org/health/health_publications.html. Or write to:

Food and Nutrition Technical Assistance
(FANTA) Project
Academy for Educational Development
1825 Connecticut Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20009-5721
Tel: (202) 884-8000, Fax: (202) 884-8432
E-mail: fanta@aed.org

Herbs, Supplements and HIV. Project Inform. July 2003.

A comprehensive and detailed listing of vitamins and herbal medications and their impact on HIV, this document also reviews interactions with antiretroviral medications. *También en español*. Available online at <http://www.projinf.org/fs/herbs.html>. Or write to:

Project Inform
205 13th Street, #2001
San Francisco, CA 94103
Tel: (415) 558-8669, Fax: (415) 558-0684
E-mail: web@projectinform.org

Nutrition and HIV/AIDS: A Training Manual. Regional Centre for Quality of Health Care in Uganda, Food and Nutrition Technical Assistance Project, and the LINKAGES Project of the Academy for Educational Development. Kampala. 2003. This manual focuses on improving the quality of training in nutrition and HIV/AIDS. It provides concrete tools for instructors, including technical content, presentations, practical exercises, and handout materials that can be used for planning and facilitating courses and lectures. Available online at <http://www.fantaproject.org/focus/preservice.shtml>. Or write to:

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A Positive Woman's Survival Kit (en español):

http://www.icw.org/tiki-download_file.php?fileId=1 or visit the ICW homepage at <http://www.icw.org> and follow the publications link in the left-hand navigation bar. Kiswahili, Russian, Portuguese, English, and French versions are available on request. ICW is also seeking funding for Urdu, Hindi, and Arabic translations.

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Synergy HIV/AIDS Resource Center
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Washington, DC 20005-3519
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Tel: (202) 842-2939, Fax: (202) 842-3832
E-mail: SynergyInfo@s-3.com

Nutrition and HIV/AIDS: Nutrition Policy Paper No. 20. Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, ACC/SCN. 2001.

Responding to the Needs of Children Orphaned by HIV/AIDS. U.S. Agency for International Development. Prepared by Susan Hunter and John Williamson. June 1998.

Successful Community Nutrition Programming: Lessons from Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda. Academy for Educational Development, LINKAGES. June 2002

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Take Charge of Your Food: Tips for High-Risk Americans to Avoid Food Poisoning. American Dietetic Association and CONAGRA Foundation. September 2002. Simple, user-friendly information sheet on food safety. *También en español*. Available online at <http://www.projinf.org/fs/foodsafety2.html>

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Tel: (415) 558-8669, Fax: (415) 558-0684
E-mail: web@projectinform.org

Recommendation for the Nutrient Requirements for HIV-Infected Persons in Resource-Limited Settings. Food and Nutrition Technical Assistance Project (USAID). December 4, 2003. Available online at http://www.fantaproject.org/downloads/pdfs/HIV_recs2003.pdf

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(FANTA) Project
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Une Alimentation Équilibrée au Cours de la Journée, AIDES (No date). This document provides simple, accessible information on daily eating. En français. Available through the "Bien être" section at <http://www.aides.org>

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Websites

Aidsmap at <http://www.aidsmap.com>
The Body at <http://www.thebody.com/index.shtml>
Project Inform (in English and español) at <http://www.projinf.org>
Comité des Yvelines d'Éducation pour la Santé (en français)
http://www.cyes.info/themes/nutrition/nutrition_presentation.php
HIV InSite at <http://www.hivinsite.ucsf.edu>
Fundamind at <http://www.fundamind.org.ar/revista/2001-03/nutricion.asp> (en español)
Sidaweb at <http://www.sidaweb.com/nutrition.htm> (en français)

HIV Treatment Education

Unlike some areas of HIV/AIDS, treatment education and access issues are constantly changing. This means that the best information tends to be the most current. Thus, the best resources are Web-based sites. This can be a problem in many resource-poor settings as access to the Internet is problematic. The following resources are an attempt to provide both Internet and regular addresses for several organizations that provide treatment education and advocacy materials.

NAM

NAM is a community-based information provider based in the United Kingdom, whose sole aim is to combat the AIDS epidemic through accurate, accessible, and up-to-date information.

NAM's publications have become one of the principal sources of AIDS and HIV information in the United Kingdom and Europe over the past ten years.

NAM produces extensive information on treatments, both in book form and as a searchable database. NAM also has a range of publications on organizations, as well as an online international resources database, searchable in six languages. There is also a searchable database of HIV clinics in the United Kingdom.

For information on any aspect of NAM's work, visit <http://www.aidsmap.com> or email NAM at info@nam.org.uk.

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"HIV & AIDS Treatment in Practice" is an e-mail newsletter for doctors, nurses, health care workers, and community treatment advocates working in limited-resource settings.

The newsletter is published twice every month by NAM, the UK-based HIV information charity behind <http://www.aidsmap.com>.

Global Treatment Action Campaign (GTAC)

GTAC is a global network for communication and organization toward access to essential medications for HIV and other diseases. Around the world, the campaigns vary. The core issues remain the same: exorbitant drug prices, crippling debt, and a lack of sustainable public health strategies to meet the needs of those most affected by the AIDS epidemic, including women, children, and the poor. Global Treatment Action Campaign is committed to working on these issues by creating and supporting partnerships between first- and third-world activist groups, and providing action tools and updates on current campaigns around the world.

The GTAC Website has resources and tools, including position papers and reports. For position papers on a range of issues from the HealthGAP Coalition and reports on access to treatment, visit <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org/content/tools>; for Websites, visit <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org/content/tools/sites.html>; and for online resources, visit <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org/content/tools/listservs.htm>.

There are three e-mail listservs currently being used by GTAC. For grassroots media guide and information on how to generate editorials, go to <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org/content/tools/media.html>. For posters and signs, go to <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org/content/tools/art.htm>, where downloadable Adobe Acrobat PDF files of black and white artwork can be reproduced for posters, signs, and palmcards.

Link to <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org> to join the HealthGAP e-mail discussion list; to subscribe, send an e-mail to listproc@critpath.org with the following message in the body of the e-mail: subscribe healthgap [your first name] [your last name]. The subject line of the message should be left blank.

To organize a treatment access campaign where you live, contact salynch@globaltreatmentaccess.org or jdavids@critpath.org. Access materials at <http://www.globaltreatmentaccess.org>, <http://www.healthgap.org>, and <http://www.tac.org.za>.

For further information, contact the HealthGAP office:

511 East 5th Street, #4
New York, NY 10009
Tel: (212) 674-9598, Fax: (212) 208-4533

The Body (<http://www.thebody.com>)

The Body is one of the most comprehensive HIV-education tools available. The Body carries information provided by agreement with more than 50 of North America's top organizations dealing with HIV/AIDS. It also has tools and information on HIV basics, prevention, treatment, quality of life, clinical trials, policy, and activism. The Body's mission is to: 1) Use the Web to lower barriers between patients and clinicians; 2) Demystify HIV/AIDS and its treatment; 3) Improve patients' quality of life; and 4) Foster community through human connection.

HIVInSite

HIV InSite is developed by the Center for HIV Information [<http://chi.ucsf.edu>] at the University of California San Francisco (UCSF), one of the world's leading health sciences institutions. Within UCSF, HIVInSite is produced in collaboration with the San Francisco Veterans Affairs Medical Center [<http://www.sf.med.va.gov>], the Positive Health Program [<http://php.ucsf.edu>] at San Francisco General Hospital and the Center for AIDS Prevention Studies [<http://www.caps.ucsf.edu>], components of the University's AIDS Research Institute [<http://ari.ucsf.edu>].

Launched in March 1997, HIVInSite's mission is to be a source for comprehensive, in-depth HIV/AIDS information and knowledge. The site has an extensive collection of original material, including the *HIV InSite Knowledge Base* [<http://hivinsite.ucsf.edu/InSite?page=KB>], a complete textbook with extensive references and related links organized by topic. Unlike many commercially oriented sites, HIVInSite's policy is to link to the best of the Web; thousands of links to external Websites are incorporated into the site's original content. It is the policy of HIVInSite to allow free, anonymous access to all of the site's content.

General queries may be sent to info@hivinsite.ucsf.edu, or write:

HIV InSite
UCSF Center for HIV Information (CHI)
4150 Clement Street, Building 16
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San Francisco, CA 94121
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Additional materials on treatment are available from:

The International HIV/AIDS Alliance
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United Kingdom
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E-mail: mail@aidsalliance.org
<http://www.aidsalliance.org>

World Health Organization
Avenue Appia 20
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland
Tel: + 41 22 791 21 11, Fax: + 41 22 791 3111
Telex: 415 416, Telegraph: UNISANTE GENEVA
E-mail: inf@who.int
<http://www.who.int/en>

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Facilitators' Guide for Needs Assessment on Access to HIV/AIDS Related Treatment: A Resource to Support the Development of a Practical Toolkit for NGOs, CBOs and PLHA groups. International HIV/AIDS Alliance.

“Care and Treatment to Extend the Working Lives of HIV-Positive Employees: Calculating the Benefits to Business.” *South African Journal of Science*. Sydney Rosen, Jonathon L. Simon, Donald M. Thea, and Jeffrey R. Vincent. July 2002.

Safe and Effective Use of Antiretroviral Treatments in Adults with Particular Reference to Resource Limited Settings. World Health Organization. Dr. Paula Munderi, Dr. Eric van Praag, and Dr. Stefano Vella. 2000.

Handbook on Access to HIV/AIDS-related Treatment. Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, World Health Organization, and International HIV/AIDS Alliance. Carolyn Green, Dr. Mandeep Dhaliwal, Sarah Lee, Dr. Vinh Kim Nguyen, Hillary Curtis, and Georgina Stock. May 2003.

Improving Access to Anti-Retroviral Treatment in Cambodia. International HIV/AIDS Alliance and Khmer HIV/AIDS NGO Alliance. Dr. Mandeep Dhaliwal and Dr. Tom Ellman. September 2003.

Mobilising NGOs, CBOs, and PLHA Groups for Improving Access to HIV/AIDS-Related Treatment - A Handbook of Information, Tools and Other Resources. International HIV/AIDS Alliance, World Health Organization, and Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS. Carolyn Green, Dr. Mandeep Dhaliwal, Sarah Lee, Dr. Vinh Kim Nguyen, Hillary Curtis, and Georgina Stock. June 2002.

Partnerships: Resource Mobilization and Capacity Building

To order materials from the International HIV/AIDS Alliance, visit <http://www.aidsalliance.org>. Click on “Publications and Resources” at the top of the page, and then on “Ordering Alliance publications” on the left.

ICW is developing a list of information, advocacy, and training materials produced by HIV-positive women worldwide and has partnered with academics as part of its participatory research in Zimbabwe and Thailand. To view its Zimbabwe Report entitled “Positive Women: Voices and Choices,” visit <http://www.icw.org/icw/files/VoicesChoices.pdf>.

ICW will soon produce a set of ICW position papers for HIV-positive women and girls. The first five will be on: access to care and treatment; decision-making; gender equity/poverty; human rights; and young women and girls.

The Synergy Project, in collaboration with the **National Association of People with AIDS-USA** (<http://www.napwa.org>) and the **Network of African People Living with HIV/AIDS (NAP+)** (<http://www.naprap.org>), designed a leadership skills training curriculum for PLWHA networks to strengthen capacity for resource mobilization and partner collaboration in support of expanded responses to HIV/AIDS. The curriculum focuses on approaches for:

- Promoting solidarity and mutual support among NAP+ country and regional networks
- Internal and external communications with partners
- Coordination and collaboration with donors/stakeholders
- Conflict-management skills
- Succession planning and sustained peer support for incoming leaders

This curriculum was delivered at the 2002 NAP+ Regional Delegates Meeting, and the 2003 GNP+ International Conference for People Living with HIV/AIDS, with support from the U.S. Agency for International Development.

For further information about the Leadership Skills Training curriculum and related training materials, contact: Shirl Smith, Senior Technical Specialist, Training and Capacity Development, The Synergy Project (ssmith2@s-3.com). Copies of PowerPoint Presentations from the 2002 Synergy/NAP+ Leadership Skills Training may be found at: http://www.synergyaids.com/TCD_Unit/NAP_Plus_2002_English.dwt.

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Building Partnerships: Sustaining and expanding community action on HIV/AIDS. International HIV/AIDS Alliance. March 2002.

Men in HIV/AIDS Partnership (Provincial Consultative Workshops, May-July 2003). POLICY Project.

Micro Finance and HIV/AIDS: Summary Report on Partnership-Building Projects. United Nations Development Program. 2001.

Partnership with the Media: Working with the Media for HIV/AIDS Prevention. Family Health International AIDSCAP Project.

Partnership Work: The Health Service – Community Interface for the Prevention, Care, and Treatment of HIV/AIDS. World Health Organization. 2003.

The AIDS Epidemic: A Strategic Simulation Building Public-Private Partnership. Booz Allen Hamilton Inc. and Global Business Coalition on HIV/AIDS. December 2003.

Toolkit “Pathways To Partnerships.” International HIV/AIDS Alliance.

OTHER RESOURCES

HIV/AIDS in the Workplace

The UK Consortium on AIDS and International Development has produced a guide for NGOs managing HIV/AIDS in the workplace. It is available at <http://www.aidsconsortium.org.uk/Workplace%20Policy/workplaceintro.htm>. A printed copy can be requested by e-mailing the Consortium Secretariat at info@aidconsortium.org.uk.



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