



American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS): Online HIV Behavioral Survey of Men Who Have Sex with Men United States, 2014



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Introduction

Men who have sex with men (MSM) contribute to over half of the more than one million adults living with HIV in the United States[1]. Incidence estimates of HIV infection from 2008 to 2011 have shown an increase in the number of new infections among MSM [2], due to factors including high prevalence, sexual risk behaviors, and not being aware of HIV status. The National HIV Behavioral Surveillance System (NHBS), using venue-based sampling to collect risk behavior data from high-risk populations, has found continued sexual risk and drug use behaviors associated with increased HIV risk among MSM [3]. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends annual HIV testing for sexually active MSM (and more frequent for those with multiple sexual partners) [4], but 2011 NHBS data found only about 67% of HIV-negative or unknown status MSM reported an HIV test in the previous 12 months [5]. Monitoring HIV risk and testing behaviors among MSM is important in understanding epidemic trends and the impact of prevention efforts, including behavioral interventions and strategies to increase HIV testing.

An increasing number of MSM are socializing and identifying sexual partners through the internet, and recruiting MSM online offers an opportunity to supplement venue-based studies, such as NHBS, by including at-risk MSM that may not be reached through traditional means, such as bars and clubs [6]. Additionally, online HIV behavioral surveys allow for the collection of data from a large sample of MSM with broad geographic diversity. This report summarizes findings from a large online HIV behavior survey among MSM. The *American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS)* is a multi-cycle cross-sectional online HIV behavioral survey collecting self-reported data on demographic characteristics, HIV risk behaviors, HIV testing behaviors, and use of HIV prevention services among internet-using MSM in the United States and dependent territories. Participants were recruited online through banner advertisements (ads), and were consented and screened for eligibility after clicking on the ads. Men were eligible for participation if they were 18 years of age or older, U.S. residents, reported ever having oral or anal sex with a man, and able to complete the survey in English. Men who were eligible to participate in the survey completed a self-administered online survey. The survey consisted of a core questionnaire that every participant answered and 2 different subset questionnaires that participants were randomized to at the start of the survey. The core questions were comprised of the following domains: demographics, sexual behavior, HIV testing history, drug and alcohol use, acute HIV infection and other infections, and HIV prevention services exposure. The randomized question subsets were comprised of two separate modules about pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP): Subset 1 – PrEP questions used in earlier AMIS survey cycles; Subset 2-revised PrEP questions with updated terminology. Participants could decline to answer any question. Data were collected using encrypted HIPAA-compliant survey software and stored on an access-restricted secure data server. AMIS is a national research study conducted by Emory University: the procedures and materials were reviewed and approved by Emory's Institutional Review Board.

The tables in this report include data from the 2014 cycle of AMIS, collected between October 2014 and April 2015, among respondents reporting residence in the United States. For demographic categories with small cell sizes, data were collapsed or suppressed to prevent identification using the following criteria: 1) all cell sizes <5 in Table 1 were suppressed or categories were combined into smaller subgroups, 2) for all remaining tables, cell sizes in the sample number (denominator) <5 were suppressed or combined into smaller subgroups, 3) where the sample size of a subgroup with <5 in the sample could be determined based on the sample numbers in the remaining subgroups, all data were suppressed. Study questions and full categories are available in Appendix A. These data were collected as a convenience sample and may not be representative or generalizable to all MSM living in the US.

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Table 1. Characteristics of participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		N	%
Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	415	4.5
	Hispanic	1308	14.1
	White, non-Hispanic	6819	73.7
	Other or multiple races	706	7.6
Age (years)	15-24	1389	15.0
	25-29	1221	13.2
	30-39	1962	21.2
	40 or older	4676	50.6
Education	< HS diploma	156	1.7
	HS diploma or equivalent	730	7.9
	Some college or technical degree	2948	31.9
	College degree or postgraduate education	5334	57.7
Income	\$0-19999	949	10.3
	\$20000-39999	1589	17.2
	\$40000-74999	2294	24.8
	\$75000 or more	3519	38.1
Population density	Urban	6300	68.1
	Rural	2774	30.0
Self-reported HIV status	Positive	1049	11.3
	Negative	6992	75.6
	Unknown	1207	13.1
Anal sex without a condom with a male partner, past 12 month	No	2938	31.8
	Yes	6310	68.2

Percentages may not total 100% due to missing data

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***Persons of Hispanic/Latino ethnicity may be of any race**

NOTE: data may be combined or suppressed due to small cell sizes

Table 1. Characteristics of participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		N	%
Illicit substances used, past 12 months	No	6559	70.9
	Yes	2689	29.1
Total		9248	100.0

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Table 2. Sexual behaviors with male partners of participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

			Sexual behaviors with male partners in the past 12 months				
			No. in sample	Anal intercourse with a male partner without a condom		Anal intercourse without a condom with a male partner of discordant or unknown HIV status	
				N	%	N	%
HIV NEGATIVE OR UNKNOWN	Age (years)	15-24	1321	870	65.9	274	20.7
		25-29	1111	820	73.8	236	21.2
		30-39	1711	1281	74.9	349	20.4
		40 or older	4056	2536	62.5	680	16.8
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	Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	323	202	62.5	80	24.8
		Hispanic	1136	777	68.4	276	24.3
		Other or multiple races	637	419	65.8	130	20.4
		White, non-Hispanic	6103	4109	67.3	1053	17.3
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	Total		8199	5507	67.2	1539	18.8
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HIV POSITIVE	Age (years)	15-24	68	62	91.2	38	55.9
		25-29	110	96	87.3	65	59.1
		30-39	251	199	79.3	111	44.2
		40 or older	620	446	71.9	202	32.6
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	Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	92	69	75.0	34	37.0
		Hispanic	172	134	77.9	73	42.4
		Other or multiple races	69	54	78.3	28	40.6
		White, non-Hispanic	716	546	76.3	281	39.2
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	Total		1049	803	76.5	416	39.7

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Table 3. Substance using behaviors of participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

			<i>Substance use in the past 12 months</i>				
			<i>No. in sample</i>	<i>Used marijuana</i>		<i>Used illicit drugs other than marijuana</i>	
				<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>
HIV NEGATIVE OR UNKNOWN	Age (years)	15-24	1321	424	32.1	269	20.4
		25-29	1111	303	27.3	259	23.3
		30-39	1711	411	24.0	382	22.3
		40 or older	4056	606	14.9	533	13.1
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	Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	323	60	18.6	50	15.5
		Hispanic	1136	256	22.5	212	18.7
		Other or multiple races	637	154	24.2	130	20.4
		White, non-Hispanic	6103	1274	20.9	1051	17.2
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	Total		8199	1744	21.3	1443	17.6
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HIV POSITIVE	Age (years)	15-24	68	21	30.9	17	25.0
		25-29	110	40	36.4	34	30.9
		30-39	251	76	30.3	91	36.3
		40 or older	620	136	21.9	144	23.2
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	Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	92	24	26.1	19	20.7
		Hispanic	172	46	26.7	44	25.6
		Other or multiple races	69	22	31.9	21	30.4
		White, non-Hispanic	716	181	25.3	202	28.2
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	Total		1049	273	26.0	286	27.3

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Table 4. Sexually transmitted infection testing and hepatitis vaccination of participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

			<i>No. in sample</i>	<i>Sexually transmitted disease testing in the past 12 months</i>		<i>Ever received hepatitis vaccination</i>	
				<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>
HIV NEGATIVE OR UNKNOWN	Age (years)	15-24	1321	512	38.8	772	58.4
		25-29	1111	579	52.1	725	65.3
		30-39	1711	754	44.1	1046	61.1
		40 or older	4056	1241	30.6	2187	53.9
	Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	323	156	48.3	167	51.7
		Hispanic	1136	553	48.7	633	55.7
		Other or multiple races	637	291	45.7	396	62.2
		White, non-Hispanic	6103	2086	34.2	3534	57.9
	Total		8199	3086	37.6	4730	57.7
HIV POSITIVE	Age (years)	15-24	68	57	83.8	49	72.1
		25-29	110	94	85.5	85	77.3
		30-39	251	203	80.9	194	77.3
		40 or older	620	393	63.4	439	70.8
	Race/ethnicity*	Black, non-Hispanic	92	72	78.3	67	72.8
		Hispanic	172	129	75.0	126	73.3
		Other or multiple races	69	53	76.8	50	72.5
		White, non-Hispanic	716	493	68.9	524	73.2
	Total		1049	747	71.2	767	73.1

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Table 5. HIV testing behaviors of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		No. in sample	Ever HIV tested		HIV tested in the past 12 months	
			N	%	N	%
<i>Race/ethnicity*</i>	Black, non-Hispanic	323	287	88.9	213	65.9
	Hispanic	1136	981	86.4	706	62.1
	White, non-Hispanic	6103	5299	86.8	3454	56.6
	Other or multiple races	637	558	87.6	406	63.7
<i>Age (years)</i>	15-24	1321	892	67.5	699	52.9
	25-29	1111	997	89.7	742	66.8
	30-39	1711	1547	90.4	1037	60.6
	40 or older	4056	3689	91.0	2301	56.7
<i>Education</i>	< HS diploma	141	80	56.7	55	39.0
	HS diploma or equivalent	648	474	73.1	314	48.5
	Some college or technical degree	2539	2145	84.5	1413	55.7
	College degree or postgraduate education	4797	4372	91.1	2956	61.6
<i>Household income</i>	\$0-19999	803	647	80.6	475	59.2
	\$20000-39999	1408	1200	85.2	845	60.0
	\$40000-74999	2027	1783	88.0	1186	58.5
	\$75000 or more	3180	2867	90.2	1817	57.1
<i>Population density</i>	Urban	5530	4927	89.1	3397	61.4
	Rural	2521	2073	82.2	1296	51.4
<i>Health insurance</i>	None	734	650	88.6	436	59.4
	Private only	5757	5080	88.2	3396	59.0
	Public only	647	535	82.7	378	58.4
	Other/multiple	632	538	85.1	366	57.9

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Table 5. HIV testing behaviors of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

	<i>No. in sample</i>	<i>Ever HIV tested</i>		<i>HIV tested in the past 12 months</i>	
		<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>
<i>Total</i>	8199	7125	86.9	4779	58.3

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Table 6. Testing location of last HIV test of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

	Location of most recent HIV test	
	N	%
<i>Private doctor's office</i>	3290	47.2
<i>HIV counseling and testing site</i>	1004	14.4
<i>Public health clinic/community health clinic</i>	1244	17.8
<i>Street outreach program/mobile unit</i>	311	4.5
<i>Sexually transmitted disease clinic</i>	133	1.9
<i>Hospital (inpatient)</i>	184	2.6
<i>Correctional facility (jail or prison)</i>	7	0.1
<i>Emergency room</i>	41	0.6
<i>At home</i>	501	7.2

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Table 7. Participation in HIV prevention services of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		<i>Prevention services received in the past 12 months</i>						
		<i>No. in sample</i>	<i>Received free condoms</i>		<i>Participated in group discussion</i>		<i>Participated in one-on-one prevention counseling</i>	
			<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>
<i>Race/ethnicity*</i>	Black, non-Hispanic	323	179	55.4	24	7.4	78	24.1
	Hispanic	1136	663	58.4	84	7.4	225	19.8
	White, non-Hispanic	6103	2735	44.8	236	3.9	697	11.4
	Other or multiple races	637	353	55.4	36	5.7	102	16.0
<i>Age (years)</i>	15-24	1321	719	54.4	101	7.6	230	17.4
	25-29	1111	591	53.2	60	5.4	175	15.8
	30-39	1711	856	50.0	79	4.6	218	12.7
	40 or older	4056	1764	43.5	140	3.5	479	11.8
<i>Education</i>	< HS diploma	141	54	38.3	11	7.8	25	17.7
	HS diploma or equivalent	648	272	42.0	39	6.0	94	14.5
	Some college or technical degree	2539	1193	47.0	115	4.5	348	13.7
	College degree or postgraduate education	4797	2379	49.6	210	4.4	622	13.0
<i>Household income</i>	\$0-19999	803	419	52.2	51	6.4	148	18.4
	\$20000-39999	1408	708	50.3	74	5.3	217	15.4
	\$40000-74999	2027	1006	49.6	110	5.4	288	14.2
	\$75000 or more	3180	1418	44.6	108	3.4	336	10.6
<i>Population density</i>	Urban	5530	2879	52.1	270	4.9	813	14.7
	Rural	2521	967	38.4	100	4.0	267	10.6

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Table 7. Participation in HIV prevention services of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		<i>No. in sample</i>	<i>Prevention services received in the past 12 months</i>					
			<i>Received free condoms</i>		<i>Participated in group discussion</i>		<i>Participated in one-on-one prevention counseling</i>	
			<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>%</i>
<i>Health insurance</i>	None	734	350	47.7	25	3.4	97	13.2
	Private only	5757	2758	47.9	247	4.3	710	12.3
	Public only	647	335	51.8	44	6.8	133	20.6
	Other/multiple	632	288	45.6	38	6.0	99	15.7
<i>Total</i>		8199	3930	47.9	380	4.6	1102	13.4

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Table 8. Knowledge of PrEP and willingness to use PrEP of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		No. in sample	Heard of PrEP		Willing to use PrEP		Ever used PrEP	
			N	%	N	%	N	%
<i>Race/ethnicity*</i>	Black, non-Hispanic	323	202	62.5	109	33.7	13	4.0
	Hispanic	1136	662	58.3	482	42.4	46	4.0
	White, non-Hispanic	6103	3895	63.8	1897	31.1	231	3.8
	Other or multiple races	637	388	60.9	237	37.2	22	3.5
<i>Age (years)</i>	15-24	1321	664	50.3	539	40.8	23	1.7
	25-29	1111	773	69.6	423	38.1	52	4.7
	30-39	1711	1202	70.3	568	33.2	86	5.0
	40 or older	4056	2508	61.8	1195	29.5	151	3.7
<i>Education</i>	< HS diploma	141	45	31.9	57	40.4	2	1.4
	HS diploma or equivalent	648	256	39.5	268	41.4	10	1.5
	Some college or technical degree	2539	1400	55.1	957	37.7	64	2.5
	College degree or postgraduate education	4797	3413	71.1	1416	29.5	235	4.9
<i>Household income</i>	\$0-19999	803	420	52.3	323	40.2	18	2.2
	\$20000-39999	1408	804	57.1	528	37.5	52	3.7
	\$40000-74999	2027	1249	61.6	722	35.6	75	3.7
	\$75000 or more	3180	2217	69.7	914	28.7	142	4.5
<i>Population density</i>	Urban	5530	3727	67.4	1830	33.1	263	4.8
	Rural	2521	1341	53.2	838	33.2	46	1.8

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Table 8. Knowledge of PrEP and willingness to use PrEP of HIV-negative or unknown serostatus participants in an online survey of MSM, United States, American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS), 2014

		No. in sample	Heard of PrEP		Willing to use PrEP		Ever used PrEP	
			N	%	N	%	N	%
Health insurance	None	734	478	65.1	205	27.9	22	3.0
	Private only	5757	3798	66.0	1903	33.1	244	4.2
	Public only	647	338	52.2	209	32.3	19	2.9
	Other/multiple	632	335	53.0	227	35.9	22	3.5
Total		8199	5147	62.8	2725	33.2	312	3.8

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APPENDIX A

American Men's Internet Survey - 2014

Join over 10,000 men in the U.S. by taking our annual sexual health survey!

"Sex is the Question" collects information to help researchers better understand patterns of behavior – both sexual and health promoting – among men and to help ensure prevention resources have the greatest impact for the community. Click or tap the arrow or "Next" button below to be a part of this national effort!

How old are you?

Since October 2014, did you already complete at least part of Sex is the Question?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic or Latino?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Which racial group or groups do you consider yourself to be in? Check all that apply.

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White

I prefer not to answer

Does not apply

Don't know

What zipcode do you live in?

Do you consider yourself to be male, female, or transgender?

Male

Female

Transgender

Don't know

Prefer not to answer

Have you ever had vaginal sex (penis in the vagina) or anal sex (penis in the butt) with a woman?

No

Yes

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

Have you ever had oral sex (mouth on the penis) with a man?

No

Yes

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

Have you ever had anal sex (penis in the butt) with a man?

No

Yes

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

Do you consider yourself to be:

- Homosexual or Gay
- Heterosexual or Straight
- Bisexual
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Thank you for your interest in our survey. Please note:

- 1. Your answers are confidential: we don't have any information about who you are beyond the questions you answer.**
- 2. This survey includes some personal questions. You can choose to not answer any questions that make you feel uncomfortable.**
- 3. If you agree to be in this study, you will first be screened to see if you qualify to be in the study. If you qualify, you will be given the opportunity to complete the survey.**

If you have any questions or comments you may contact the research staff at sexisthequestion@emory.edu.

Please read the information below about the study, and indicate whether you consent to participate in the study.

- I consent to participate in the survey.
- I do not consent to participate in the survey.

Thank you for your interest in our survey. Please note:

- 1. Your answers are confidential: we don't have any information about who you are beyond the questions you answer.**
- 2. This survey includes some personal questions. You can choose to not answer any questions that make you feel uncomfortable.**
- 3. If you agree to be in this study, you will first be screened to see if you qualify to be in the study. If you qualify, you will be given the opportunity to complete the survey.**

If you have any questions or comments you may contact the research staff at sexisthequestion@emory.edu.

Please read the information below about the study, and indicate whether you agree to participate in the study.

- I have read the information below. I agree to participate in this study.
- I do not agree to participate in the survey.

Section A: Demographics

What is the highest level of education you completed?

- Never attended school
- Less than high school
- Some high school
- High school diploma or GED
- Some college, Associate's Degree, or Technical Degree
- College, post graduate or professional school
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

What was your household income last year from all sources before taxes? That is, the total amount of money earned and shared by all people living in your household.

- \$0 to \$19,999 annually (\$0 to \$1667 monthly)
- \$20,000 to \$39,999 annually (\$1668 to \$3333 monthly)
- \$40,000 to \$74,999 annually (\$3334 to \$6250 monthly)
- \$75,000 or more annually (\$6251 or more monthly)
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Including yourself, how many people depend on this income?

What kind of health insurance or health care coverage do you currently have?

Health insurance--health plans people get through employment or purchased directly as well as government programs (like Medicare and Medicaid) that provide medical care or help pay medical bills.

Choose all that apply:

- A private health plan (through an employer or purchased directly)
- Medicaid or Medicare
- Some other Medical Assistance program

- TRICARE (CHAMPUS)
- Veterans Administration coverage
- Some other health care plan
- I don't currently have any health insurance
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, have you seen a doctor, nurse, or other health care provider about your own health?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

At any of those times you were seen by a doctor or health care provider, were you offered an HIV test? An HIV test checks whether someone has the virus that causes AIDS.

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Do you consider yourself to be:

- Heterosexual or "Straight"
- Homosexual or Gay
- Bisexual
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Outness

Have you ever told anyone that you are attracted to or have sex with men?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Who of the following people have you told that you are attracted to or have sex with men?

	No	Yes	Does not apply
Gay, lesbian, or bisexual friends	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Friends who are not gay, lesbian, or bisexual	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Family members	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Health care provider	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Employer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fellow employees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Marriage

Have you ever been legally married?

Yes

No

Are you currently legally married?

Yes

No

What is the gender of the partner to whom you are legally married?

Male

Female

Transgender (Male-to-Female)

Transgender (Female-to-Male)

Section B: Sexual Behavior: Female Sex Partners

The next questions are about having sex with women. For these questions, "having sex" means oral, vaginal, or anal sex. Oral sex means mouth on the vagina or penis; vaginal sex means penis in the vagina; and anal sex means penis in the anus (butt).

In the past 12 months (since [*SURVEY DATE*] of 2014), what types of sex have you had with a woman? (Check all that apply.)

Oral sex

Vaginal sex

Anal sex

I have not had any type of sex with a woman in the past 12 months

Prefer not to answer

Don't know

Section B: Sexual Behavior: Female Sex Partners

These next questions are about the last time you had oral, vaginal or anal sex with a woman.

Was the woman you had sex with that last time a main partner (someone you felt committed to above anyone else) or a casual partner (someone you didn't feel committed to or don't know very well)?

- Main sex partner
- Casual sex partner
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

When you had sex that last time, did you have either vaginal or anal sex?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

The last time you had sex with a woman, did you have either vaginal or anal sex without using a condom?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

The last time you had sex with this partner, did you know her HIV status?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer

What was her HIV status?

- HIV-negative

- HIV-positive
- Indeterminate
- I prefer not to answer

Section B: Sexual Behavior: Male Sex Partners

The next questions are about having sex with men. For these questions, "having sex" means oral or anal sex. Oral sex means he put his mouth on your penis or you put your mouth on his penis. Anal sex means you put your penis in his anus (butt) or he put his penis in your anus (butt).

How old were you the first time you had oral sex (mouth on the penis) with a man?

How old were you the first time you had anal sex (penis in the butt) with a man?

Do you consider yourself to be a top, bottom, or versatile?

- Top
- Bottom
- Versatile
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, what types of sex have you had with other men?

- Only oral sex
- Only anal sex
- Both oral and anal sex
- I have not had oral or anal sex with a man in the past 12 months
- Prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, since [SURVEY DATE] of 2014, with how many different men have you had oral or anal sex?

In the past 12 months, since [SURVEY DATE] of 2014, with how many different men have you had anal sex?

In the past 12 months, since [SURVEY DATE] of 2014, with how many different men have you had oral sex?

Of the [NUMBER OF ANAL OR ORAL PARTNERS] men you had oral or anal sex with in the past 12 months, how many of them did you have anal sex with?

In the past 12 months, did you have anal sex without using a condom?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, with how many of these [NUMBER OF ANAL PARTNERS] male anal sex partners did you have anal sex without using a condom?

In the past 12 months, with how many of these [NUMBER OF ANAL PARTNERS] male anal sex partners did you have anal sex without using a condom?

Section B: Sexual Behavior: Male Sex Partners (1 Partner)

In the past 12 months, this male partner was a:

- Main partner (someone you felt committed to above anyone else)
- Casual partner (someone you didn't feel committed to or don't know very well)
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Did you know his HIV status?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer

What was his HIV status?

- HIV-negative
- HIV-positive
- Indeterminate
- I prefer not to answer

Section B: Sexual Behavior: Male Sex Partners (>1)

In the past 12 months, the [NUMBER OF ANAL OR ORAL PARTNERS] [NUMBER OF ANAL PARTNERS] [NUMBER OF ORAL PARTNERS] male partners you told us about were:

- Only main partners (you felt committed to above anyone else)
- Only casual partners (you didn't feel committed to or don't know very well)
- Both main and casual partners
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, did you have anal sex without using a condom with a man whose HIV status you did not know?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, did you have anal sex without using a condom with a man who was HIV positive?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, did you have anal sex without using a condom with a man who was HIV negative?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Section B: Sexual Behavior: Male Sex Partners (Last Sex)

In the next few screens, we're going to ask some questions about your most recent male sex partner--that is, the last guy you had sex with.

To make the questions easier to ask, we'd like you to enter in this partner's initials or a nickname that is not his real name. If you prefer to leave his initials blank, we will refer to him as "your last partner".

What are the initials of or a nickname for your last male sex partner?

When was the last time you had either oral or anal sex with [*INITIALS / NICKNAME*]?

Month:

- January
- February
- March
- April
- May
- June
- July
- August
- September
- October
- November
- December

Year:: _____

Was [*INITIALS / NICKNAME*] a main partner (someone you felt committed to above anyone else) or a casual partner (someone you didn't feel committed to or don't know very well)?

- Main sex partner

- Casual sex partner
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

That last time you had sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], did you have receptive anal sex where he put his penis in your anus (you were the bottom)?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

During that last time you had receptive anal sex, did [INITIALS / NICKNAME] use a condom?

- No
- Yes, but not the whole time
- Yes, the whole time
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

When you had sex that last time, did you have insertive anal sex where you put your penis in his anus (you were the top)?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

During insertive anal sex that last time, did you use a condom?

- No
- Yes, but not the whole time
- Yes, the whole time
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

The last time you had sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], did you know his HIV status?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer

What was [*INITIALS / NICKNAME*]'s HIV status?

- HIV-negative
- HIV-positive
- Indeterminate
- I prefer not to answer

Group C

What was [INITIALS / NICKNAME]'s age?

- 19 years or younger
- 20 to 24 years
- 25 to 29 years
- 30 to 34 years
- 35 to 39 years
- 40 to 44 years
- 45 to 49 years
- 50 to 54 years
- 55 to 59 years
- 60 to 64 years
- 65 to 69 years
- 70 to 74 years
- 75 to 79 years
- 80 years or older
- Don't know
- Prefer not to answer

Was [INITIALS / NICKNAME] younger than you, older than you, or the same age as you?

- Younger
- Older
- Same age
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Which of the following best describes [INITIALS / NICKNAME]'s ethnic background?

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American

- Hispanic or Latino
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- White
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Did you have sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME] one time ('one night stand'), or more than one time?

- One time
- More than one time
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

How long have you been having a sexual relationship with [INITIALS / NICKNAME]?

∴ _____

- Days
- Months
- Years

Do you expect to have sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME] again?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

As far as you know, during the time you were having a sexual relationship with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], did he have sex with other people?

Would you say he:

- Definitely did not
- Probably did not
- Probably did
- Definitely did
- I prefer not to answer

Don't know

During the time you were having a sexual relationship with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], did you have sex with other people?

No

Yes

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

Where did you first meet [INITIALS / NICKNAME]?

Work

School

House party

Mobile app (such as Grindr, Jackd, or Scruff)

Internet

Bar/Club

Circuit party or rave

Public sex environment (such as a bathhouse, sex club, sex resort, cruising area, private sex party, or adult bookstore)

Place of worship (such as a church, synagogue, mosque)

Other: _____

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

In the past 12 months, have you exchanged things like money or drugs for sex? Check all that apply.

No

Yes, I gave a sex partner things like drugs or money for sex

Yes, a sex partner gave me things like drugs or money for sex

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

In the past 12 months, how often have you gone to a place where gay men hangout, meet or socialize? These could include bars, clubs, social organizations, parks, gay businesses, bookstores, sex clubs, etc.

- More than once a day
- Once a day
- More than once a week
- Once a week
- More than once a month
- Once a month
- Less than once a month
- Never
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, how often have you used the internet to meet or socialize with gay men? This includes visiting social network websites (such as Facebook or Myspace), websites directed towards gay men (such as Manhunt or Gay.com), dating websites, or the use of mobile social applications (such as Foursquare or Grindr).

- More than once a day
- Once a day
- More than once a week
- Once a week
- More than once a month
- Once a month
- Less than once a month
- Never
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

How satisfied are you with your current sex life?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Unsure
- Dissatisfied
- Very Dissatisfied
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

Section C: Substance Use: Injection Drug Use

The next screens are about injection drug use. This means injecting drugs yourself or having someone who isn't a health care provider inject you.

Have you ever in your life shot up or injected any drugs other than those prescribed for you? By shooting up, we mean anytime you might have used drugs with a needle, either by mainlining, skin popping, or muscling.

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, on average, how often did you inject?

- More than once a day
- Once a day
- More than once a week
- Once a week
- More than once a month
- Once a month
- Less than once a month
- Never
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Which drug do you inject most often?

- Speedball - Heroin and cocaine together
- Heroin, by itself
- Cocaine, by itself
- Crack
- Crystal, meth, tina, crank, ice
- Something else (Specify)
- I prefer not to answer

() Don't know

Section C: Substance Use: Non-Injection Drug Use

The next questions are about drugs that you may have used but did not inject.

In the past 12 months, have you used any non-injection drugs (drugs you did not inject), other than those prescribed for you.

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, which drugs did you use? (Check all that apply.)

- Marijuana
- Powdered cocaine (smoked or snorted)
- Poppers (amyl nitrate)
- X or Ecstasy
- Painkillers (Oxycontin, Vicodin, Percocet)
- Downers (Valium, Ativan, Xanax)
- Crystal meth (tina, crank, ice)
- Hallucinogens (LSD, mushrooms)
- Special K (ketamine)
- GHB
- Crack cocaine
- Other drug: _____
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Drug use frequency

In the past 12 months, how often did you use [*NON-INJECTION DRUG*]?

- More than once a day
- Once a day
- More than once a week
- Once a week
- More than once a month
- Once a month
- Less than once a month
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Alcohol and Drugs at last sex

Before or during the last time you had sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], did you use:

- Alcohol
- Drugs
- Both alcohol and drugs
- Neither one
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

For the next questions, a drink of alcohol is a 12 oz beer, a 5 oz glass of wine, or a 1.5 oz. shot of liquor. A 40 oz beer would count as 3 drinks. A cocktail with 2 shots would count as 2 drinks.

Before or during sex the last time you had sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], how many alcoholic drinks did you have?

The last time you had sex with [INITIALS / NICKNAME], which drugs did you use? Check all that apply.

- Other drug: _____
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Have you ever been tested for HIV? An HIV test checks whether someone has the virus that causes AIDS.

- No
- Yes

- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 2 years, that is since [SURVEY DATE] of 2013, how many times have you been tested for HIV?

When did you have your most recent HIV test?

Month:

- January
- February
- March
- April
- May
- June
- July
- August
- September
- October
- November
- December
- Don't know
- Prefer not to answer

Year:: _____

Have you had an HIV test in the past 12 months (since [SURVEY DATE] of 2014)?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

When you got tested in [MONTH / YEAR OF HIV TEST], where did you get tested?

- Private doctor's office
- HIV counseling and testing site
- Public health clinic/community health clinic
- Street outreach program/mobile unit
- Sexually transmitted disease clinic
- Hospital (inpatient)
- Correctional facility (jail or prison)
- Emergency room
- At home
- Other
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Section D: At-home HIV Testing

A home HIV test is one that you can use to test yourself for HIV at home or another private location.

Have you ever heard about home HIV tests?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer

Have you ever used a home HIV test?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer

In the past 12 months, how many times have you tested yourself with a rapid home HIV test?

Are you interested in receiving a free home HIV test kit?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

In the past 12 months, which of these home HIV tests have you used? Check all that apply.

Home Access HIV- Test System (where you prick your finger, collect a blood sample on a card, and mail that card to a lab for testing)

Oraquick In-Home HIV Test (where you collect your own oral fluid sample by swabbing your mouth, use the testing device yourself, and read the test results within 20 minutes)

Other rapid HIV test (please specify):

-
- Don't know
 - I prefer not to answer

You mentioned you used [*HOME HIV TEST*] to test yourself for HIV. Where did you get the home HIV test(s)? Check all that apply.

- Bought Online
- From a pharmacy
- From a friend
- From a sex partner
- From my doctor's office
- From an HIV counseling and testing site
- From a Health Department
- From another research study
- Other location or person (Specify (do not include someone's name)):

I prefer not to answer

HIV Status

What was the result of your most recent HIV test?

- Negative
- Positive
- Never obtained results
- Indeterminate
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Before your test in [MONTH / YEAR OF HIV TEST], did you ever test positive for HIV?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Was your test in [MONTH / YEAR OF HIV TEST] your first positive test?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

When did you first test positive?

Month:

- January
- February
- March
- April
- May
- June
- July

- August
- September
- October
- November
- December

Year:: _____

Are you currently taking antiretroviral medicines to treat your HIV infection?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

What is the main reason you are not currently taking any antiretroviral medicines?

- Not currently going to a health care provider for my HIV infection
- CD4 count and viral load are good
- Don't have money or insurance for antiretroviral medicines
- Don't want to take antiretroviral medicines
- Other
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Serosorting

Which of the following strategies have you used in the past 12 months specifically to reduce your risk of getting HIV? Check all that apply.

- I only had sex with HIV negative men
- I avoided having sex with HIV positive men or men whose HIV status I did not know
- I used condoms for anal sex for all my partners
- I used condoms for anal sex if my partner was HIV positive or if I didn't know his status
- I was a top for all my partners
- I was a top if my partner was HIV positive or if I didn't know his status
- I only had oral sex or masturbated my partner if he was HIV positive or I didn't know his status
- I did not have anal sex
- None of the above

Which of the following strategies have you used in the past 12 months specifically to reduce the possibility of giving HIV to someone else? Check all that apply.

- I only had sex with HIV positive men
- I avoided having sex with HIV negative men or men whose HIV status I did not know
- I used condoms for anal sex for all my partners
- I used condoms for anal sex if my partner was HIV negative or if I didn't know his status
- I was a bottom for all my partners
- I was a bottom if my partner was HIV negative or if I didn't know his status
- I did not have anal sex
- None of the above

PrEP Module 1

Researchers are studying whether antiretroviral medicines could possibly be taken to prevent HIV.

Researchers are studying whether anti-HIV medicine (also called antiretrovirals)--a pill-- could possibly be taken to prevent HIV infection.

Before today, have you ever heard of people who do not have HIV taking antiretroviral medicines or anti-HIV medicines, a pill, to keep from getting HIV?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months (since [SURVEY DATE] of 2013), have you given your antiretroviral medicines to a sex partner who was HIV-negative because you thought it might keep them from getting HIV?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, have you taken anti-HIV medicines after sex because you thought it would keep you from getting HIV?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, have you taken anti-HIV medicines before sex because you thought it would keep you from getting HIV?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer

Don't know

Did you get any of the anti-HIV medicines you took from the following people or places?

	No	Yes	Prefer not to answer	Don't know
Doctor or other health care provider	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sex partner, friend, relative, or acquaintance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some other place	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Would you be willing to take anti-HIV medicines every day to lower your chances of getting HIV?

No

Yes

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

PrEP Module 2 (from thailand survey)

Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) is taking an antiretroviral pill, also called Truvada, every day for months or years to reduce a persons chance of getting HIV.

Before today, have you ever heard of people who do not have HIV taking PrEP, the antiretroviral medicine taken every day for months or years to reduce the risk of getting HIV?

- No
- Yes

In the past 12 months, have you had a discussion with a health care provider about taking PrEP?

- No
- Yes
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

In the past 12 months, when you discussed taking PrEP with a health care provider, did you receive the medicine or a prescription for the medicine?

- No
- Yes
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

In the past 12 months, have you taken PrEP to reduce the risk of getting HIV? Please remember that PrEP is the taking of pills every day for at least 2 months. Do not include times when you may have taken antiretroviral medicine for only a few days at a time.

- No
- Yes
- Don't know
- Prefer not to answer

Would you be willing to take anti-HIV medicines every day to lower your chances of getting HIV?

No

Yes

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

PEP

Post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) is taking antiretroviral pills for 28 days after a person has had a single high-risk exposure to HIV.

In the past 12 months, have you taken PEP to reduce the risk of getting HIV?

- No
- Yes
- Don't know
- I prefer not to answer

Acute Infection

Now we would like to ask you a few questions about your understanding of HIV infection.

Do you think that after a person is infected with HIV, they can show symptoms within a month of being infected?

- No
- Yes
- Don't know

How long after the exposure to infection do you think these symptoms occur?

- 1 Day
- 3 Days
- 1 Week
- 2-4 Weeks
- Don't know

How long do you think these symptoms last?

- 1 Day
- 3 Days
- 1 Week
- 2-4 Weeks
- Longer than 4 weeks
- Don't know

About what percent of people who are infected with HIV show symptoms shortly after they are infected?

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Which of the following do you think are symptoms people have shortly after HIV infection?

- Fever
- Fatigue (feeling tired)

Muscle or joint soreness

Headache

Excessive thirst

Frequent urination

Weight loss

Sweaty hands or feet

Don't know

Have you ever had any disease symptoms and worried that you had recently (in the prior month) become infected with HIV?

No

Yes

Viral STI Diagnoses

Has a doctor, nurse or other health care provider ever told you that you had any of the following? Check all that apply.

- Hepatitis
- Genital herpes
- Genital warts
- Human papillomavirus or HPV
- None of the above
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

What type or types of hepatitis have you had? Check all that apply.

- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis C
- Other
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

There are vaccines or shots that can prevent some types of hepatitis. Have you ever had a hepatitis vaccine?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

What type or types of hepatitis vaccine have you had?

- Hepatitis A vaccine
- Hepatitis B vaccine
- Both Hepatitis A and B vaccine
- I prefer not to answer

() Don't know

Bacterial STI Diagnoses

In the past 12 months (since [SURVEY DATE] or 2013), has a doctor, nurse or other health care provider told you that you had any of the following? Check all that apply.

Gonorrhea

Chlamydia

Syphilis

None of the above

I prefer not to answer

Don't know

Bacterial STI Testing

Even though a doctor, nurse, or other health care provider did not tell you that you had Gonorrhea, in the past 12 months (since [SURVEY DATE] of 2013) were you tested for Gonorrhea?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Even though a doctor, nurse, or other health care provider did not tell you that you had chlamydia, in the past 12 months (since [SURVEY DATE] of 2013) were you tested for chlamydia?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Even though a doctor, nurse, or other health care provider did not tell you that you had syphilis, in the past 12 months (since [SURVEY DATE] of 2013) were you tested for syphilis?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

HPV

A vaccine to prevent human papillomavirus (HPV) infection is available and is called the HPV shot, cervical cancer vaccine, GARDASIL®, or CERVARIX®. Have you ever received the HPV vaccine?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

How old were you when you received your first dose of the HPV vaccine?

Section F. Assessment of Prevention Activities

In the past 12 months, have you gotten any free condoms, not counting those given to you by a friend, relative, or sex partner?

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, have you had a one-on-one conversation with an outreach worker, counselor, or prevention program worker about ways to prevent HIV? Don't count the times where you had a conversation as part of an HIV test.

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

In the past 12 months, have you been a participant in any organized session(s) involving a small group of people to discuss ways to prevent HIV? Don't include discussions you had with a group of friends.

- No
- Yes
- I prefer not to know
- Don't know

Your or your partner's viral load	()	()	()	()	()	()
Taking HIV medicines daily to reduce the chance of being HIV infected (e.g., pre-exposure prophylaxis, PrEP)	()	()	()	()	()	()
Taking HIV medicines after sex to reduce the chance of being HIV infected (e.g., post-exposure prophylaxis, nPEP)	()	()	()	()	()	()
Which sexual roles or positions (i.e., insertive/top or receptive/bottom) you would engage in based on your HIV status or your partner's HIV status	()	()	()	()	()	()
Which sexual activities (i.e., oral and anal intercourse) you would engage in based on your HIV status or your partner's HIV status	()	()	()	()	()	()
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Questions requested by CDC Prevention for 2013

How sure are you that you could get an HIV test within the next 3-6 months if you wanted to?

- Very sure I could not
- Somewhat sure I could not
- Slightly sure I could
- Somewhat sure I could
- Very sure I could
- I prefer not to answer
- Refuse to answer

How likely is it that you will get an HIV test within the next 3-6 months?

- Very unlikely
- Somewhat unlikely
- Slightly likely
- Somewhat likely
- Very likely
- I'd prefer not to answer
- Refuse to answer

Most gay men I know get tested for HIV at least every 3-6 months

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

Prevention Campaigns

In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?

Let's stop HIV together.™

Let's stop HIV together:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

On a scale of 0 to 5, where 0 means "not very effective" and 5 means "very effective", how effective do you think this slogan or message is?

- 0 (Not Effective)
- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 (Very Effective)

In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?

PROTEST

Protest:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

On a scale of 0 to 5, where 0 means "not very effective" and 5 means "very effective", how effective do you think this slogan or message is?

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In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?



ACT Against AIDS:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

On a scale of 0 to 5, where 0 means "not very effective" and 5 means "very effective", how effective do you think this slogan or message is?

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- 5 (Very Effective)

In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?



Greater than AIDS:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

On a scale of 0 to 5, where 0 means "not very effective" and 5 means "very effective", how effective do you think this slogan or message is?

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In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?

Start Talking. Stop HIV.

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- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

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In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?

**testing makes us
STRONGER**

Testing Makes us Stronger:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often

- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

On a scale of 0 to 5, where 0 means "not very effective" and 5 means "very effective", how effective do you think this slogan or message is?

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Reasons:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

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- 1
- 2
- 3

- 4
- 5 (Very Effective)

In the past 12 months, how often did you see or hear the following slogans or messages?



HIV Treatment Works:

- Never
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often
- Very Often
- I prefer not to answer
- Don't know

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As far as you know, did you participate in the "Sex is the Question" Survey between December 2013 and May 2014?

Yes

No

I'm not sure

For this national study, we are recruiting a large number of men like you. Can you tell us the name of social networking website where we could reach other men like you who might like to complete this survey?

Future Contact

The PRISM Health team conducts many research projects at Emory University. Would you like to be contacted for potential participation in our future projects?

Yes

No

Please provide the email address you would like for us to use to contact you for future studies.

Survey End

Thank you for taking our survey! Your response is very important to us!

If you have any questions or comments, you may contact study staff at sexisthequestion@emory.edu.

To get more information about HIV, please visit: www.cdc.gov/hiv

Otherwise, you can close your browser.