Factors that affect country readiness: Thailand experiences

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Main points (National consultation, Dec 2010)

- Who are our target populations?
- How to access them?
- How to access the services?
- Key services
 - Outreach services
 - НСТ
 - STI services
 - Linkage to care and treatment

Concerns:

- Less condom use
- ARV priority is for treatment

Preliminary results of "Test and Treat among MSM and TG" Nov 2012 – Sep 2014



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Thai MSM/TG PrEP Substudy Objectives

• To determine the uptake of PrEP among HIV-negative MSM/TG and factors associated with PrEP acceptance

Among MSM/TG who take PrEP

- To assess adherence to PrEP and retention in PrEP programs
- To assess the proportion who continue PrEP when they are required to pay for PrEP medicine
- To compare the acceptance of PrEP, adherence to PrEP, and retention rate at community-based and facility-based sites



PrEP enrollment results (Lerdsen and Thammasat)



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