











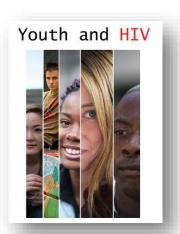
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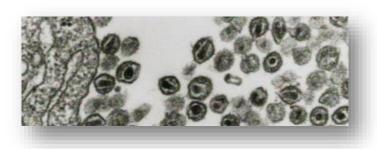
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## Pregnancy, ARV Drugs, Viral Suppression, Pregnancy Outcome









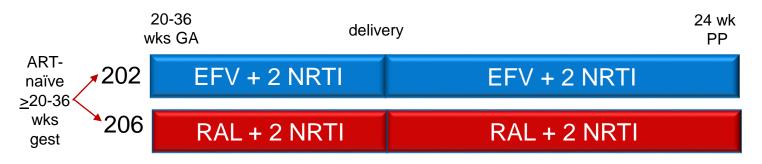


## Randomized Trial of RAL vs EFV-Based ART Started in Late Pregnancy: IMPAACT P1081



Mirochnick M et al. CROI, 2019 Seattle Abs. 39LB

Randomized trial of RAL+2NRTI vs EFV+2NRTI in 408 pregnant ART-naïve women S America, Africa, Thailand and US presenting to ANC at ≥28-36 weeks (later expanded to ≥ 20 weeks) gestation. Primary endpoint is virologic response (VL <200) at delivery.</p>



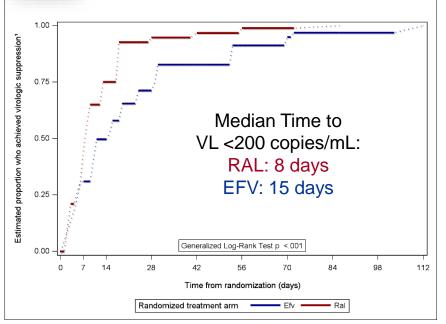
Delivery	Efavirenz	Raltegravir	P value
VL <200	84% (151/179)	94% (174/183)	<0.001
Enrolled 20 to <28 wks	97% (87/90)	96% (85/88)	NS
Enrolled 28 to <37 wks	71% (64/89)	93% (89/95)	0.05



#### More Rapid VL Decline with RAL than EFV



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- VL decline was greater in raltegravir arm than efavirenz arm at study weeks 2, 4 and 6.
- Both regimens well-tolerated; no difference AE, stillbirth, preterm.
- 1 raltegravir and 6 efavirenz infants were infected (p=0.06).

	Efavirenz	Raltegravir	P-value
VL ↓ by wk 2 and sustained to delivery	84/131 (64%)	121/132 (92%)	<0.001
VL ≥2.0 log ↓decline or <200 by wk 2	91/131 (69%)	123/132 (93%)	<0.001
VL <1,000 all time pt after wk 4	117/123 (95%)	115/120 (96%)	NS
Stayed on study drug through delivery	129/131 (98%)	131/132 (99%)	NS

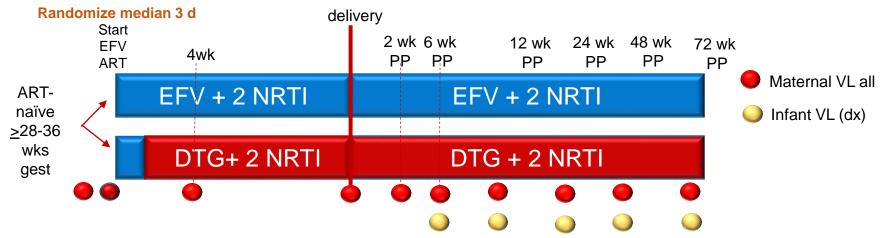


## DTG vs EFV When Starting ART in Late Pregnancy



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- Open-label randomized trial of DTG+2NRTI vs EFV+2NRTI in 268 pregnant ART-naïve women presenting to antenatal clinic at ≥28-36 weeks gestation in Kampala and Cape Town.
- Primary endpoint is virologic response (VL <50) at delivery.</li>



- Analysis at delivery (ITT): 122 DTG, 115 EFV
- Median gestation age at enrollment, 31 weeks
- No difference in baseline VL (median 4.4 log), CD4 (median 445), prior obstetric history, gestation, BMI



## More Rapid VL Decline with Dolutegravir than Efavirenz



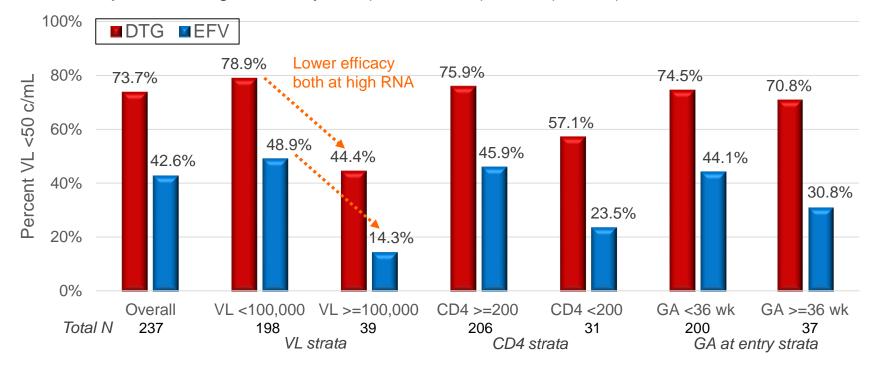
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#### Primary outcome

Time on medication before delivery, median 55 days

Delivery	Dolutegravir	Efavirenz	aRR DTG vs EFV*	P value
VL <50	73.8% (90/122)	42.6% (49/115)	1.66 (1.2, 2.1)	<0.0001
VL <1000	92.6% (113/122)	82.6% (95/115)	1.11 (1.0, 1.2)	0.0513

\*Adjusted for age, country, VL (<> 100,000), CD4 (<>200), GA at start ART

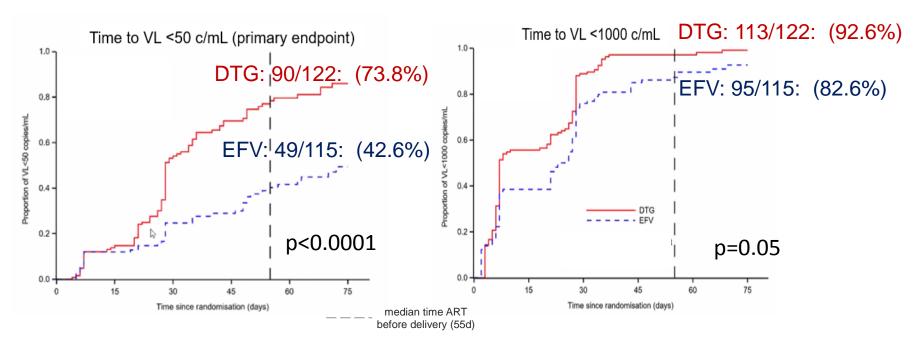




## More Rapid VL Decline with Dolutegravir than Efavirenz



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- Preterm rates similar (17% DTG, 16% EFV, similar to Botswana 18%)
- 4 stillbirths all DTG arm
- 3 infant infections at birth (thought IU infection) all DTG arm

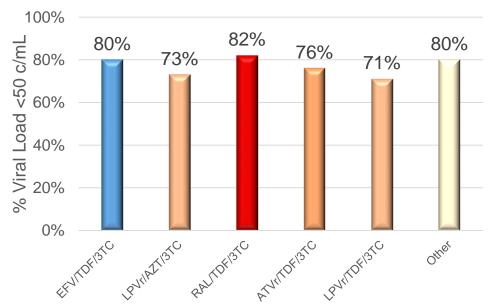


## ART Regimen and Viral Suppression in Pregnant Women, Brazil

Pascom ARP et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 760

- 8,539 pregnant women age >15 years (median 29 years); 38% ART naïve (63% RAL, 49% EFV), 42% ART >2 years.
- VL <50 c/mL 2-6 months after first prescription in pregnancy: overall 77%</li>
  - Multivariate analysis, compared to EFV ART, 36% higher odds of suppression if on RAL (aOR 1.36, 1.1-1.7) and 49% lower odds suppression if using LPV/r (aOR 0.51, 0.4-0.7)

#### **ART Regimen First Dispensed in Pregnancy**





- Other factors associated with suppression:
  - Lower baseline VL
  - Higher baseline CD4
  - Older age
  - Higher education level
  - Lower time on ART

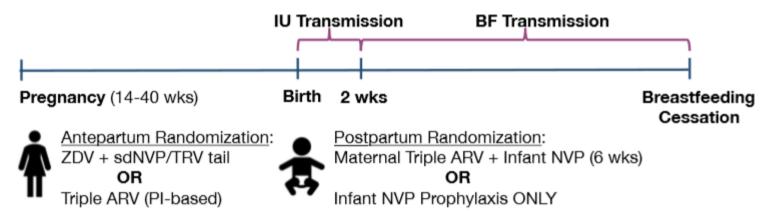
#### Maternal ARV Resistance and MTCT, PROMISE



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#### PROMISE 1077 BF Antepartum and Postpartum Schema



- Nested case-control study (1 transmitting:3 non-transmitting mother-infant pairs) to evaluate maternal/infant drug resistance (DR) and MTCT:
  - Cases: 85 transmitting mothers/infant:
    - 48 in utero/peripartum (IU)
    - 37 breastfeeding (BF)
  - Control: 254 non-transmitting mothers matched by delivery date and site

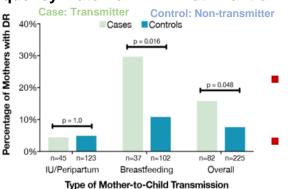
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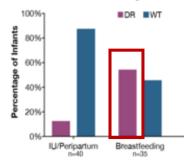
#### Frequency maternal HIV DR at infant dx



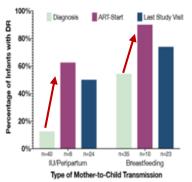
Covariate (Reference)	OR (95% CI)	p-value
Plasma Viral Load (<4log c/mL)	2.40 (1.38-4.22)	0.002
DR Genotype (WT Genotype)	2.35 (1.01-5.37)	0.043
Antepartum Triple ARV (None, Late Presenter)	0.24 (0.09-0.67)	0.006
Antepartum ZDV-monotherapy (None, Late Presenter)	0.48 (0.17-1.31)	0.148
Complete antepartum treatment comparison for PROMISE trial: Fowler et al. N Engl J Med 2016	375:1726-37.	

- Maternal DR in transmitters at infant dx was associated with MTCT during BF but not IU/peripartum.
- After adjusting for HIV RNA, maternal DR was significantly associated with ↑ MTCT.

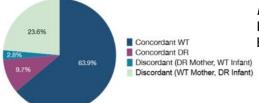
#### Infant DR at diagnosis



#### **Emergence of Infant DR During BF**



Concordance DR in mother and infant at infant dx (N=72)



Median time dx and ART start IU/IP: 6 wk (range 5-23)

BF: 10 wk (range 1-24)

Median time dx and last visit IU/IP: 14 wks (range 1-204) BF: 48 wks (range 1-92)

- DR in infant at diagnosis was higher in infants diagnosed BF vs IU/IP.
- Comparing DR at diagnosis, ART start and last visit, DR emerged over time (exposure of infant to maternal ART via BM or infant NVP. prophylaxis or ART failure infant?).
- In those with DR, finding WT in mother and DR in infant at infant dx most common (suggesting DR arising de novo in infant).

## Maternal HIV RNA After Delivery is Correlated with Infected Infant Pre-Treatment HIV RNA



Sakol-Mosethl M et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.797

- Data from 40 mother-infant pairs from the Early Infant Treatment Study enrolled at <7 days from delivery (median 2 d).</li>
- All infants received sdNVP at birth and AZT BID per MOH protocol until HIV dx, when changed to ART.
- Maternal RNA done at infant enrollment (median 2 d PP); infant RNA at baseline prior to ART.
- Higher maternal RNA correlated with higher pre-treatment infant RNA.
- Lowest infant RNA values in those exposed IU to DTG.

ART exposure in utero	Median Duration of in- utero ART exposure (weeks) / [range]	Median Maternal HIV RNA (copies/ml) / [range]	Median Infant HIV RNA (copies/ml) / [range]	Correlation* r-value / p-value			
No ART exposure (n=17) 42%	NA	64,072 [547,491512]	31,708 [<40, >10000000]	0.41 / 0.11			
EFV-based ART (n=10) 25%	14 [1, 39]	10,259 [67, 144729]	1749 [1005, 1111950]	0.42 / 0.23			
DTG-based ART (n=11) 27.5%	11 [1, 29]	56 [<40, 85697]	310[79, 389270]	0.88 / <0.001			
LPV/r-based ART (n=2) $5\%$	NA"	29,085 [23912, 34257]	80,430 [17244, 143616]	NA"			
Total (n=40)	2.5 [0, 40]	24,789 [<40, 491512]	11,335 [<40, >10000000]	0.63 / <0.001			
* by Spearman's correla	by Spearman's correlation , # not applicable because of small sample size (n=2).						



## HBV Viremia and Adverse Infant Outcome in Women with HIV/HBV Coinfection



Bhattacharya D et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 41

- Retrospective testing maternal samples from HPTN 046 (extended infant NVP for prevention postnatal transmission, 2007-2010) for HBV viral load at L/D.
- Of 2016 women, 88 (4.4%) had HBV/HIV coinfection; evaluated association of high HBV VL with infant outcomes.

Outcome	HIV Alone (N=1953)	HIV/HBV (N=78) HBV <10 <sup>6</sup> IU/mL	HIV/HBV (N=10) HBV >10 <sup>6</sup> IU/mL	P value HBV >10 <sup>6</sup> vs HIV
LBW	194 (10%)	5 (6%)	3 (30%)	0.04
Birth defect	83 (4%)	2 (3%)	0	NS
HIV infection	71 (4%)	0	2 (20%)	0.01
Infant death	75 (4%)	0	0	NS
HIV/LBW	254 (13%)	5 (6%)	4 (40%)	0.02

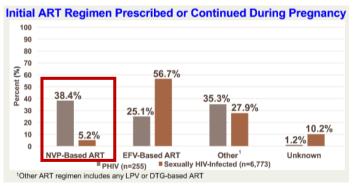
LBW: Covariates maternal age, CD4 at delivery, receipt of cART during pregnancy Infection/death: Covariates maternal age, CD4 at delivery, receipt of cART during pregnancy, infant NVP assignment

- When compared to women with HIV alone, HIV/HBV coinfected women had association with infant LBW and HIV infection, adjusting for maternal CD4 and maternal cART.
- Reducing HBV VL may have benefit beyond prevention of HBV MTCT.

## Adverse Birth Outcome in Women with HIV Acquired Perinatally vs Sexually, Botswana

Fennell C et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 752

- Compared pregnancy outcome in 255 women with perinatal HIV vs 6,773 women with sexually-acquired HIV in birth surveillance study.
- Perinatal women younger (20 vs 24 years); more likely primagravida (77.6% vs 35.5%); & more likely receiving NVP-based ART in pregnancy.
- Only SGA more frequent with perinatal infection unadjusted analysis.
- Multivariate analysis, only NVP-ART associated with adverse outcome.



	RR (95%CI)	aRR (95%CI)¹
Preterm Delivery	1.09 (0.87, 1.37)	1.20 (0.93, 1.56)
Stillbirth	0.76 (0.31, 1.83)	0.90 (0.34, 2.34)
Neonatal Death	0.48 (0.12, 1.91)	0.53 (0.12, 2.31)
Congenital Abnormalities	0.83 (0.37, 1.85)	0.91 (0.38, 2.15)
LBW <sup>2</sup>	1.16 (0.90, 1.49)	0.94 (0.71, 1.25)
SGA	1.33 (1.07, 1.65)	1.06 (0.83, 1.35)

occupation, and education <sup>2</sup>LBW = Low birth weight (<2500g)

	Any Adverse Outcome <sup>1,4</sup>	Any Severe Adverse Outcome <sup>2,4</sup>
	aRR (95% CI)	aRR (95% CI)
PHIV (n=255)	1.13 (0.97, 1.32)	0.81 (0.57, 1.15)
Maternal Age	1.00 (0.99, 1.01)	1.01 (0.99,1.05)
Gravida		
≥5	0.95 (0.77, 1.18)	0.77 (0.49, 1.19)
2-4	0.87 (0.80, 0.94)	0.72 (0.61, 0.85)
1	Reference	Reference
Education		
Tertiary/Secondary	0.93 (0.83, 1.05)	0.91 (0.71, 1.17)
Primary/None	Reference	Reference
Occupation		
Salaried	1.10 (0.93, 1.30)	0.85 (0.63, 1.16)
Non-Salaried	1.24 (1.06, 1.44)	1.08 (0.82, 1.43)
Student	Reference	Reference
Initial ART <sup>3</sup>		
NVP-Based ART	1.33 (1.19, 1.49)	1.95 (1.58, 2.39)
Other	Reference	Reference

#### Timing Maternal ART and Stillbirth, Malawi

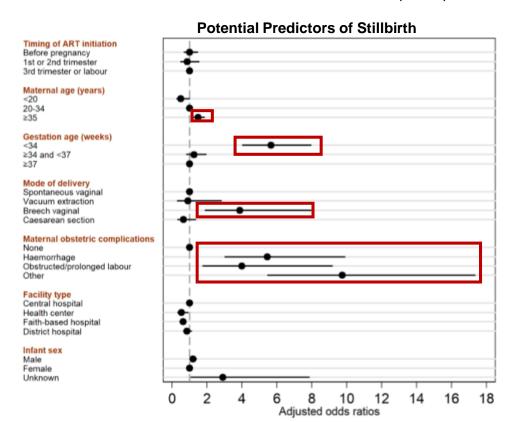
Msukwa MT et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 754

 Evaluated rate stillbirth among women on ART who delivered singleton live birth or stillbirth at GA >28 wks between 2012 and 2015 at 20 clinics; overall rate stillbirth 2.5%. ART initiation stratified by:

ART before pregnancy: 5,961 (71%)

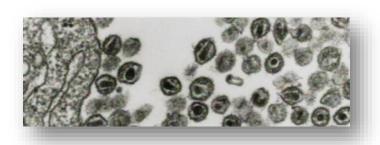
ART 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> trimester: 1,128 (14%)

ART 3<sup>rd</sup> trimester or labor: 1,291 (15%)



- Timing of ART initiation was not associated with stillbirth.
- Predictors of stillbirth: older maternal age (>35 years), delivery at <34 weeks gestation, breech vaginal delivery, and any maternal obstetric complication.





# Dolutegravir and Other Integrase Strand Transfer Inhibitors (InSTI) in Pregnancy





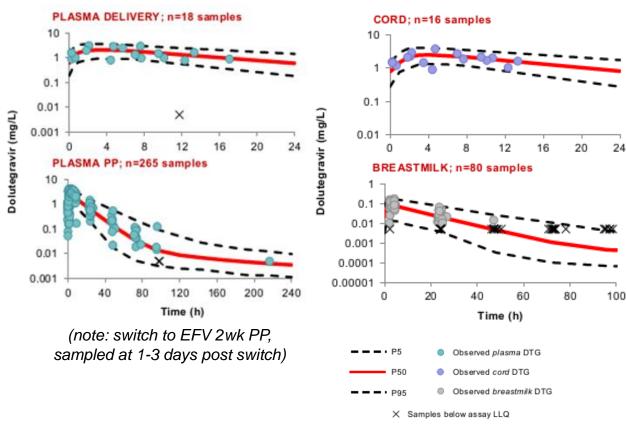




#### DTG in Breast Milk - DolPHIN

Dickinson L et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 757

- RCT PK study of DTG vs EFV ART in late pregnancy (>28 weeks).
- Evaluated maternal plasma, cord blood and breast milk DTG levels, used for population PK modeling.



Median cord AUC<sub>0-24</sub> was 41.2 mg.h/L - **123%** that of maternal plasma at delivery

Average DTG milk concentration was 0.05 mg/L; median breast milk AUC<sub>0-24</sub> was 1.2 ng.h/L, **3.3%** maternal plasma at 1-3 d post switch to EFV; average daily infant dose estimated 2.2 ug/kg/day.

T3: third trimester; PP: postpartum; LLQ: lower limit of quantification (0.01 mg/L)
Note: samples below LLQ are presented as LLQ/2 (0.005 mg/L)

#### Birth Defect Surveillance Uganda - Neural Tube Defects

Barlow-Mosha et al. CROI 2019, Seattle Abs. 743

4 hospital defect surveillance: 69,766 births (6,494 to HIV+ women, 80% on <u>TDF-3TC-EFV</u> (no DTG used in country yet)

	#	HIV-	HIV+	NTD% births HIV- women	NTD% births HIV+ women
NTD	71	66	5	0.11% (0.08-0.13)	0.07% (0.03-0.17)

Tsepamo NTD prevalence:

HIV- women: 0.09% (95% 0.07-0.12%)

HIV+ EFV preconception: 0.05% (95% CI 0.02-0.15%)

Phenotypes of the 71 NTD:

Spina Bifida: 41 (58%)

Anencephaly: 19

Encephalocele: 12



## InSTI Exposure at Conception and NTD French Perinatal Cohort

Sibiude J et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.744

- French Perinatal Cohort: 808 infants InSTI exposure (87% RAL, 7% DTG):
  - G1: exposed conception (301); G2, G3: started pregnancy as 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> line (intensification) (183, 324, respectively)
- Within groups, matched 1:1 InSTI unexposed infant matched by other drugs, ethnicity, center, year delivery and GA at ART start

Fig 1 - Selection of study population **EPF Cohort** (CO1/CO11) 2008-2017 N=8126 InSTI unexposd InSTI exposed N = 808N=7318 G1: exposed at conception N= 301 Raltegravir N=218 246 matched to G1 Dolutegravir N=41 Elvitegravir N=42 G2: InSTI as 1st line during pregnancy N = 183125 matched to G2 Raltegravir N=170 Dolutegravir N=10 Elvitegravir N=3 G3: InSTI as 2nd line during pregnancy N = 324305 matched to G3 Raltegravir N=315 Dolutegravir N=6 Elvitegravir N=3

Table 2 - Perinatal outcomes according to exposure group

Exposed at conception G1 N=301		InSTI as 1st line during pregnancy		InSTI as 2nd line during pregnancy		
n	0/-	G2 I		N=		nã
18	5.8	5	2.7	9	2.7	0.09
7	2.4	2	1.1	1	0.3	0.07
50	16.8	22	12.1	47	14.6	0.36
9	3.0	6	3.4	20	6.2	0.13
12	4.4	9	5.5	14	4.5	0.86
8	2.9	8	4.8	11	3.5	0.56
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 Rate birth defects and stillbirths trend to be ↑ in InSTI conception vs during pregnancy but not significant

No NTD with InSTI

Table 3— Perinatal outcomes: comparison of InSTI-exposed and matched pregnancies

Perinatal outcomes	InSTI-ex	posed	InSTI-une	xposed		InSTI-e	xposed
	matched		matched			unma	
	n	%	n	%	pa	n	%
Exposed at concep	tion (G1)						
	N=246		N=246			N=55	
Birth defect	14	5.7	7	2.9	0.13	4	7.3
Stilllbirth	6	2.5	6	2.5	1	1	1.9
Preterm birth	41	16.8	39	16.1	1	9	17.0
Unexposed to any	ART at con	ception.	InSTI as 1s	t line dur	ing pre	gnancy (	G2)
	N=125		N=125			N=58	
Birth defect	4	3.2	10	8.0	0.12	1	1.7
Stilllbirth	2	1.6	1	0.8	0.57	0	0.0
Preterm birth	16	12.8	14	11.2	0.70	6	10.5
InSTI as 2nd line o	luring preg	nancy (G	3)				
	N=305		N=305			N=19	
Birth defect	8	2.6	14	4.6	0.21	1	5.6
Stilllbirth	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1	5.3
Preterm birth	45	14.8	41	13.5	0.65	2	10.5
a: McNemar test	for matched	data			lack		

In case-control InSTI (any time exposure) vs non-INSTI did not differ in birth defects, stillbirth or PTD.

#### Merck Review of Raltegravir-Exposed Pregnancies

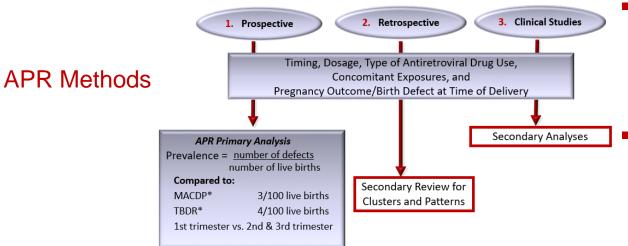
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- Merck review of database on 2426 pregnancies with RAL exposure, including data from:
  - Merck safety database, including APR
  - UK/Ireland National Surveillance HIV in Pregnancy and Childbirth (NSHPC)
  - French Perinatal Cohort (includes data from abstract 774)
- Prospective: 1991 cases, with 456 periconception RAL: no NTD
- Retrospective: 435 retrospective reports (no denominator),
   4 NTD cases 1 with periconception exposure; also 1 encephalocele with periconception exposure (APR)
- NSHPC (Rasi V et al. JAIDS 2018 Nov 20 epub) also reported on 33 EVG exposures → 26 preconception → no birth defects



#### Antiretroviral Pregnancy Registry (APR): Integrase Inhibitors (InSTI) and Neural Tube Defects (NTD) Albano J et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 747

 Evaluation of the prevalence of NTD with InSTI exposure in prospective and retrospective components of the APR (through 31 Jul 2018).



- Through 31 Jul 2018: includes 20,064 pregnancies with 20,413 fetal outcomes including 19,005 live births.
- APR reports come from North America (75%), Europe (8%), Africa (7%), South America (6%) and Asia (4%).

- \* MACDP = Metropolitan Atlanta Congenital Defects Program; TBDR = Texas Birth Defects Registry
- Prospective APR=primary analysis: Clinicians register pregnant women (no identifiers) with prenatal ARV exposures <u>before</u> <u>pregnancy outcome</u> is known, report data on exposure throughout pregnancy, and provide birth outcome data.
- Retrospective APR=secondary review: Reports of exposed pregnancies after pregnancy outcome is known; no denominator.



#### Prospective Antiretroviral Pregnancy Registry (APR): Integrase Inhibitors (InSTI) and Neural Tube Defects (NTD) Albano J et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 747

- 1,193 live births with InSTI exposure at any time in pregnancy; 604 periconceptional exposure, including 174 DTG, 186 EVG, 244 RAL.
- 2 CNS defect cases were reported with InSTI exposure at any time (both DTG, one 1<sup>st</sup> trimester, one 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> trimester).
- There were no NTD among prospective cases for any InSTI drug.

	Earliest Trimest	er of Exposure – <u>P</u>	rospective Cases
	Periconception	1 <sup>st</sup> Trimester	2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Trimester
	Defects/live birth	Defect/live birth	Defects/live birth
Exposure to any INSTI	16/604 (2.6%)	4/135 (3.0%)	17/452 (3.8%)
Dolutegravir	6/174 (3.4%)	2/55 (3.6%)	4/137 (2.9%)
Elvitegravir	5/186 (2.7%)	0/27 (0%)	0/57 (0%)
Raltegravir	5/244 (2.0%) Can be more than one or	4/68 (5.9%)	13/290 (4.5%)

No Neural Tube Defects

CNS: 2: 1 (lissencephaly - neural migration disorder) with preconception DTG; 1

(ventriculmegaly) with 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> trimester DTG exposure.

Face, ear, face, neck: 2

Cleft lip/palate: 2
Respiratory: 1
Cardiac/circulatory: 11

Lower GI: 1

Renal: 4
Musculoskeletal: 8
Chromosome abnl: 2
Other organ systems: 1
Specified syndromes 1



#### Retrospective Antiretroviral Pregnancy Registry (APR): Integrase Inhibitors (InSTI) and Neural Tube Defects (NTD) Albano J et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 747

There were 7 NTD plus 2 encephalocele cases reported with InSTI exposure in **retrospective reports** to the APR (reported <u>after</u> delivery with defect that has occurred, no denominator, not included in prospective data review).

### Summary of Retrospective NTD and Encephalocele Cases with InSTI Drug Exposure through July 2018

Dolutegravir	Raltegravir
[timing of exposure, country]	[timing of exposure, country]
Anencephaly [P, BW]	Myelomeningocele [P, US]
Iniencephaly [P, BW]	Myelomeningocele [T2, UK]
Myelomeningocele [P, BW]	Myelomeningocele [unk, US]
Meningocele [P, US]	Encephalocele [P, US]
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P = periconception, T2 = second trimester, unk = unknown;

BW = Botswana, PR = Puerto Rico, UK = United Kingdom, US = United States

#### Pharmacovigilance Databases and NTD

Hill A et al CROI 2019, Seattle, WA 2019 Abs. 747

- NTDs analysed for 4 INSTI (DTG, RAL, EVG, BIC), 2 PI (DRV, ATV), and 2
   NNRTI (NVP, EFV) in 4 PV databases with data available online: FDA Adverse Event Reporting Systems (FAERS); WHO VigiAccess (WHO); European EudraVigilance (EU), UK Medicines Health Regulatory Authority (MHRA)
- Adverse drug reactions in the System Organ Class "Congenital or Familial Disorders" searched for potential NTDs (NTD, spina bifida, meningocele, meningomyelocele, anencephaly, iniencephaly, and encephalocele).

	Number of NTD cases								
	Database		FDA FAERS		EU Eudra Vigilance	Wł VigiA	HO ccess	UK MHRA	١
	DTG		6		0	8	3	0	
InSTI	RAL		5		4	1	7	2	
	EVG		1		0	2	2	0	
	BIC		0		0	(	)	0	
	DRV		3		3	1	6	3	
۵	ATV		6		2	ę	)	0	
NNRT	EFV		13		5	3	4	0	T
Ź	NVP		14		6	3	0	3	

- →As would be expected, NTD seen with multiple ARVs, esp those with more frequent use in population.
- →Lack of agreement on #s between databases – and probable duplications

## Fetal and Infant Growth Similar Regardless of HIV Exposure or DTG vs EFV ART Exposure

CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 750 and 751

- Abs. 750 Masasa et al. Botswana
  - Ultrasound fetal biometry in 435 pregnant women 16-36

weeks GA

- 167 HIV-uninfected (mean 26 wk GA)
- 268 HIV (mean 28 wk GA) (176 DTG 92 EFV ART)
- No significant differences between uninfected and HIV+ women on ART
- No significant differences HIV+ women on DTG and EFV ART
- Abs. 751 Kgole S et al. Botswana
  - Birth anthropometry in 463 infants:
    - 275 HIV-exposed, 158 DTG/117 EFV
    - 188 HIV-unexposed
  - No significant difference in WAZ or LAZ between HEU/HUU or DTG/EFV.

HIV+ vs HIV-uninfected mothers					
	HIV/ARV-	HIV/ARV-	p value		
FETUSES	exposed	unexposed	p value		
GA at ultrasound, weeks	28 (25, 31)	26 (25, 29)	0.01		
Head circumference z score	-0.30 (-1.04, 0.28)	-0.26 (-0.97, 0.39)	0.15		
Biparietal diameter z score	0.09 (-0.63, 0.82)	0.07 (-0.64, 0.68)	0.22		
Abdominal circumference z score	0.00 (-0.40, 0.82)	0.00 (-0.54, 0.84)	0.57		
Femur length z score	1.45 (0.67, 2.05)	1.24 (0.45, 2.04)	0.22		

HIV+ mothers on DTG vs EFV ART					
FETUSES	TDF/FTC/DTG (n=176)	TDF/FTC/EFV (n=92)	p value		
GA at ultrasound, weeks	28 (25, 31)	28 (25, 30)	0.43		
Head circumference z score	-0.39 (-0.98, 0.30)	-0.62 (-1.11, 0.14)	0.15		
Biparietal diameter z score	0.14 (-0.60, 0.89)	0.34 (-0.35, 0.71)	0.27		
Abdominal circumference z score	0.31 (-0.42, 0.74)	0.34 (-0.35, 1.03)	0.15		
Femur length z score	1.42 (0.56, 1.96)	1.49 (0.82, 2.15)	0.24		

	HEU	HUU	P value
Mean WAZ	-0.13	0.00	0.20
Mean LAZ	+1.07	+1.17	0.51
	DTG	EFV	P value
Mean WAZ	-0.09	-0.18	0.45

#### Ugandan Clinic Experience Following Potential NTD Signal with Preconception Dolutegravir

Arnold AS et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 748

- Following clinical safety alert, clinic response plan developed; all women <55 years on DTG identified and contacted → group counseling session (15/grp)
- Women childbearing potential referred for pregnancy testing, evaluation of pregnancy intention in next 12 mos, and effective FP offerred.

N = 146

Women intending to conceive offered EFV-ART; women could choose to remain on DTG without FP signing informed choice declaration.

9% (692/7963) were women on DTG, 95% (658) reviewed by 9/2018 510 women of reproductive potential (med age 37 yr, med duration DTG 4.3 mos) 5% (23/510) HCG+, all initial ultrasounds no deformities

Clinical officer: questionnaire + HCG request

Waiting

Family Planning Conner (Dr +\*FP Nurse)

N=510

HCG-, not willing

for IUD/Implant

form. Document

Home

decision

Refill ART if Due

Keep DTG, Consent

N = 658

Group counseling.

HCG-, plans to conceive

in 1vr, wills to switch

Switch to EFV

Counsel if 1st

time on EFV

(See image 2)

2% (N=11) Switched off to other regimen 108 intending 19% (97) Switched off DTG to EFV based regimen to conceive 79% (402) Kept on DTG 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% Menopausal/Surgically sterilized Contraceptive Choice for Women Staying on DTG N = 402HCG+ 23 Send to #SRH 53 40% Effective contraception 60% condom/none

■ Pills ■ Condoms ■ Depovera ■ Implants ■ IUD ■ None

**Regimen Choice After Counseling** 

Files from

HCG-, willing for

IUD/implant

Keep DTG, See

FP nurse

records

DTG WORK

Laboratory HCG

HCG-, already

Keep DTG

on IUD/Implant

**FLOW** 

<sup>\*</sup>Family Planning, \*Sexual Reproductive Health





## Maternal Health Issues



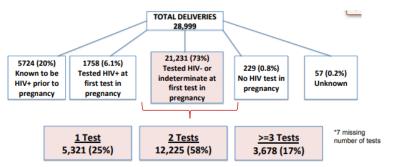
#### Incident Infection in Pregnancy, Botswana

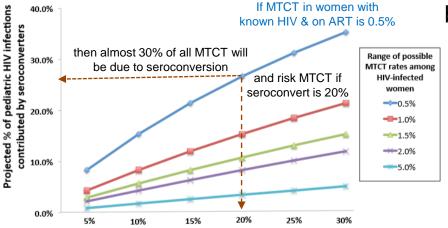
Mayondi GK et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 733

 As part of Tsepamo birth surveillance study, HIV status abstracted from all women delivering 8 hospitals Botswana.

Analyzed women not known to be infected at start of pregnancy for

seroconversion.





Range of possible MTCT rates among women who seroconvert in pregnancy assuming incidence of seroc

assuming incidence of seroconversion of 6.5 per 1000 person years and HIV prevalence of

25% among HIV-infected women

- 39 seroconversions in 15,490 pregnant women with >2 tests = HIV incidence
   6.5/1000 person years
- Median GA at seroconversion was 29 weeks;
   90% started ART before delivery.
- Among 5,547 women without a 3<sup>rd</sup> trimester test, estimate 10 seroconversions may have been missed due to lack of testing
  - As MTCT rates among women with known HIV infection decrease, the proportion of MTCT due to seroconversion during pregnancy will be increasingly important

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## Prevalence of STI in HIV+ and HIV-Uninfected Pregnant Women, South Africa

Davey DJ et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 1003

- Cross-sectional study 242 pregnant women attending public ANC in Cape Town (106, 44% HIV+), testing for STI at 1<sup>st</sup> ANC visit.
- Overall STI prevalence 33%: HIV+ 39%, HIV- 28% (p=0.04)

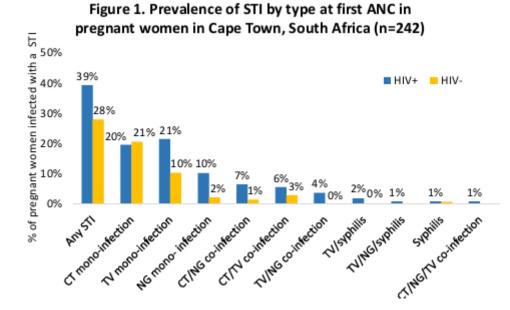


Table 2. Factors asso	ciated wi	th sexual	ly transm	itted infection	diagnos	sis in
pregnant women at	first ante	natal care	visit (n=	242), Cape To	wn, 201	8
	Total, n (%)	Any STI + @ 1st ANC, n (%)	No STI @ 1st ANC, n (%)	OR (95% CI)		Adjusted OR (aOR; 95% CI)
Total	242	80 (33)	162 (67)			
Sociode mographic charact	teristics					
Age (median, IQR)	29 (24-34)	28 (24-33)	30 (25-35)	0.95 (0.91 - 1.00)	0.05	0.95 (0.90 - 1.00)
Gestational age in weeks (median, IQR)	19 (13-24)	20 (14-24)	18 (13-23)	1.03 (0.98 - 1.07)	0.16	1.03 (0.99 - 1.08)
Relationship with father of child						
Married/Cohabiting	115 (47)	27 (35)	88 (53)	Reference		
Not married/ Non- cohabiting	120 (50)	47 (60)	73 (45)	2.09 (1.19 - 3.69)	0.02	2.19 (1.16-4.12)
No relationship	7 (3)	4 (5)	3 (2)	4.34 (0.91 - 20.63)	0.06	3.20 (0.63 - 16.09)
Clinical characteristics	•					
HIV Status						
HIV Negative	135 (56)	38 (28)	97 (72)	Reference		
HIV Positive	107 (44)	42 (39)	65 (61)	1.65 (0.96 - 2.83)	0.07	1.89 (1.02 - 3.67)
Any STI symptoms						
No symptoms at all	183 (75)	51 (66)	132 (80)	Reference		
Symptoms a few days ago	16 (7)	11 (14)	5 (3)	5.50 (1.82 – 16.61)	0.002	6.60 (2.08 - 20.95)
* bold is for p-value < 0.10						

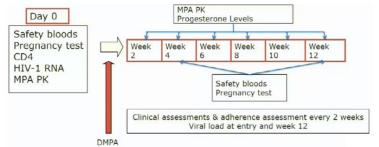
 Factors associated with STI, adjusting for GA and age: unmarried/not cohabiting; HIV infection; recent STI symptoms.

## Potential Concern for Timing of DMPA Injection in Women Treated for HIV and TB

Mngqibisa R et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 78

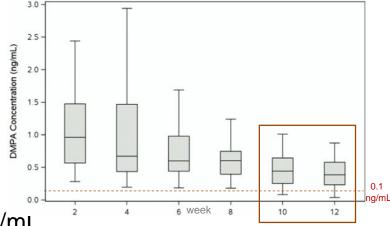
- Study to evaluate whether concurrent use of EFV and RIF will decrease clearance of MPA resulting in potential reduced contraceptive efficacy.
- Estimate optimal dosing frequency for DMPA based on target serum MPA level of >0.1 ng/mL.

42 women with HIV/TB, not pregnant, stable on EFV ART >4 weeks, & on continuation phase of TB treatment (INH/RIF)



- MPA levels >0.1 ng/mL all through week 8.
- At week 10, 1 woman (2.4%) had level <0.1 ng/mL.</li>
- At week 12, 5 women (11.9%) level <0.1 ng/mL.</p>
- However, progesterone stayed low suggesting no ovulation.
- Consider shortening DMPA interval from 12→8-10 week with EFV/RIF coadmin?









## PMTCT Cascade - Male Partner Testing



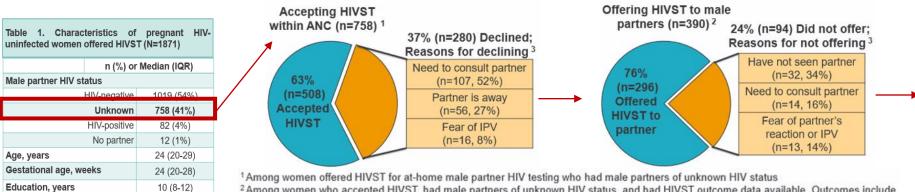




## Self-Tests for At-Home Partner Testing for Women in ANC, Kenya

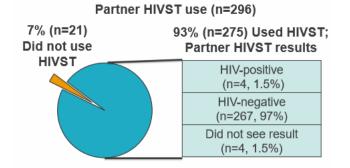
Pintye J et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 926

- Self-tests for at-home partner self-testing offered to 758 HIVuninfected women seeking routine ANC at 10 facilities in Kenya.
- Instructed on use and received >2 or more oral-fluid tests.
- Data on outcomes assessed at 1 month in person FU visit.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Among women who accepted HIVST, had male partners of unknown HIV status, and had HIVST outcome data available. Outcomes include information from first follow-up visits. Some women (n=368) had not yet attended a follow-up visit at the time of the analysis.

<sup>3</sup>Top 3 reasons presented.



1611 (87%)

Married

 63% of women with partner with unknown status accepted HIVST kits; of 390 with FU data, 76% had offered to partner; of 296 with partner data, 93% had tested.

## Randomized Trial on Index HIV Self-Testing for Partners of ART Clients, Malawi

Dovel K et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.93

New ART clients ≥15 yrs with partner ≥15 yr, unknown HIV status, no hx IPV, lives in catchment area.

Standard of Care (N=135): Passive partner referral slip

Index take slip home to partner; slip asks partner to attend nearest health facility; disclosure counseling

Randomized
1:2.5



Index HIVST (N=349): Oraquick HIV ST

Index given SOC and HIVST kit; demonstration of HIVST, local tailored HIVST instructions; counseling

Sites: 3 district hospitals

Data Collection: March 2018-January 2019

- · ART Client: Baseline and follow-up survey
- · Partner (Index HIVST only): follow-up survey
- · Medical Chart Review: 6-month follow-up

#### **Outcome Measures**

Data Source	Outcome
ART Client: 4-week follow-up survey	HIV testing, positivity rate, adverse events (self-report)
Partner (Index HIVST): 4-week follow-up survey	Usability (self-report)
Medical Chart Review	6-month ART initiation



- 365 ART clients completed FU survey (75% retention)
  - 107 SOC
  - 258 HIVST
- 161 partners completed FU survey (62% response rate)

## Partner HIVST Acceptable and Increased Testing and Reached Men and Youth But ART Initiation Suboptimal

Dovel K et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.93

#### Distributed to partner HIV testing in partners HIV+ partner test 100% ref AOR:1.21 100% 50%



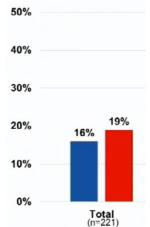
Similar partner distribution

More partners tested

#### Reported by index partners who used HIVST (n=122)

Variable	Total	Female Partner	Male Partner
ART client helped with HIVST	65% (79/122)	76% (31/41)	59% (48/81)
Unable to interpret result	8% (10/122)	5% (2/41)	10% (8/81)
Difficulty with:			
Understand HIVST instructions	16% (20/122)	22% (9/41)	14% (11/81)
Trusting accuracy of results	7% (8/122)	5% (2/41)	7% (6/81)
Accepting results	8% (10/122)	7% (3/41)	9% (7/81)
Keeping results private	1% (1/122)	2% (1/41)	0% (0/81)

65% partners needed help and 8% couldn't interpret

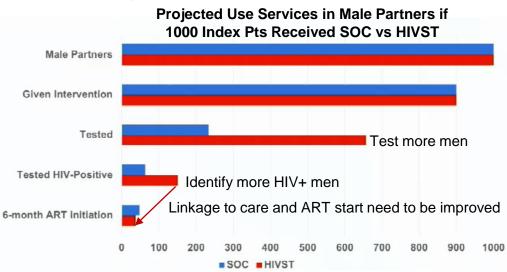


#### 6-month ART initiation, medical chart review: (n=23 facilities)

Population	SOC	HIVST
Total	3/4 (75%)	7/30 (23%)
Male Partner	3/4 (75%)	6/27 (22%)
Female Partner	0/0 (0%)	0/1 (0%)
Youth (15-24)	0/0 (0%)	1/2 (50%)

Partner return for ART start poor (23%)

#### Similar HIV+ prevalence





## Outcome and Cost of Three Methods to Increase Male Partner Testing, South Africa

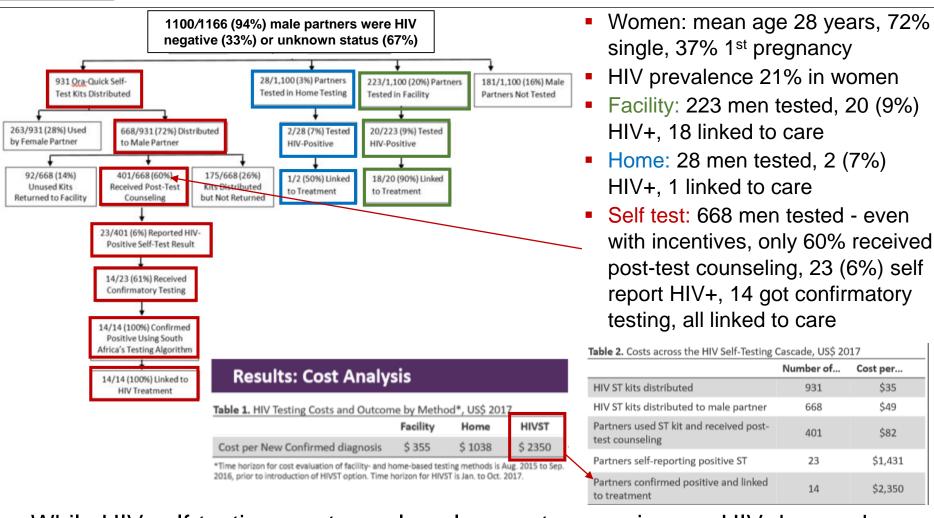
Medley A et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 928

- 1,100 pregnant women seen at large health facility in South Africa with partner HIV- or unknown status offered 3 options for partner testing, Jan 2017-Oct 2017:
  - Facility-based testing through invitation/workplace letters
  - Home-based testing by trained counselor
  - HIV self-testing taking up to 3 Ora-Quick self-test kids for themselves/partners
- Incentives to encourage men to receive post-test counseling:
  - Asked to send free "call me back" text to counselor after self-test → counselor returns call, collects test result and provides counseling; up to 25 rand (US \$2) free airtime vouchers
  - If HIV+, linked to treatment; if HIV-, linked to VMMC

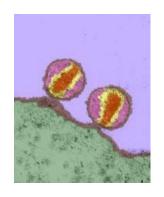


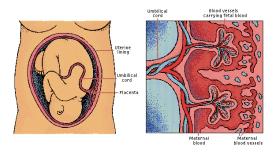
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While HIV self-testing most popular, also most expensive per HIV dx; need operational research to improve linkage to confirmatory testing and care.







## HIV- and ARV-Exposed Uninfected Children





#### **SHINE Trial Presentations**

Abs. 42, 784, 790, 791

- SHINE: 2x2 factorial trial community cluster-based RCT compared effect of improved infant feeding, improved hygiene, or both vs SOC on outcomes, including growth and neurodevelopment.
- Women were eligible if they lived permanently in trial clusters (catchment area of 1-4 village health workers) and were confirmed pregnant. Clusters randomized 1:1:1:1 to:

Sanitation Hygiene Infant Nutrition Efficacy (SHINE) Trial (N=726 HIV-positive women)



Control Standard of Care (SOC)

WASH
Water and
Sanitation
Hygiene

IYCF
Infant and
Young Child
Feeding
IYCF +
WASH



**Control:** VHW encouraged early ANC, PMTCT uptake and EBF

IYCF: VHW visited with interactive module for improved complementary feeding and 20gm nutri-butter per day between 6-18 mo/o

**WASH:** ventilated improved pit latrine, handwashing stations, soap, chlorine, play space, hygiene counselling

Included 738 HIV-exposed and 3989 HIV-unexposed infants.

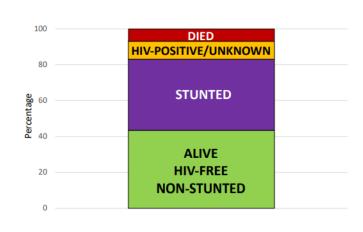


# Zimbabwe SHINE Trial: HEU Children Have Worse Overall Mortality and Growth Outcomes Than HUU

Evans C et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.790

- SHINE trial (2012-2015), children followed from birth with longitudinal HIV testing; compared outcomes 738 HEU & 3989 HUU to 18 mos.
- HIV-exposed children: 25/738 (3%) were known HIV-infected by 18 mos, 596 (81%) uninfected, and 117 (16%) unknown HIV status.
- Overall, HEU had worse outcomes than HUU children, with 39% higher 18-mo mortality and more growth abnormalities.
- Only 43% of HIV-exposed infants were alive, HIV-free and nonstunted at age 18 mos – despite half of children receiving nutritional intervention.

Outcome	HEU (N=738)	HUU (N=3989)	P Value
18-Month Mortality	7%	5%	0.04
Stunting	45.9%	30.7%	<0.001
Underweight	17.4%	9.2%	<0.001
Wasting	4.7%	2.5%	0.001
Microcephaly	9.5%	5.0%	<0.001





### Zimbabwe SHINE: HEU have Some Worse Early Childhood Development Outcomes Than HUU

Chandna J et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.784

- SHINE trial (2012-2015), children followed from birth with longitudinal HIV testing; compared early childhood development (ECD) measures in 205 HEU & 1175 HUU at age 24 mos.
- ECD outcomes at age 24 mos in HEU children differed from HUU in some (but not all) measures.
- HEU children had lower total developmental and motor and language scores; no difference in object permanence or self-control.

24-month outcomes	HEU N=205	HIV- unexposed N=1175	Comparison		
	Mear	(SD)	Difference between means	P	
MDAT					
Total score	90.6 (8.7)	92.4 (9.1)	-1.6 (-2.7, -0.5)	0.005	
Gross motor	23.0 (2.9)	23.7 (3.1)	-0.6 (-0.9, -0.3)	<0.001	
Fine motor	22.8 (2.9)	23.2 (2.5)	-0.4 (-0.8, 0.0)	0.06	
Language	20.5 (3.9)	21.4 (4.2)	-0.7 (-1.3, -0.2)	0.007	
Social	24.3 (2.3)	24.2 (2.3)	0.1 (-0.2, 0.4)	0.62	
MacArthur Bates CDI					
Vocabulary checklist	57.9 (19.2)	61.3 (18.8)	-3.2 (-6.0, -0.4)	0.02	
Object permanence	7.8 (1.4)	7.8 (1.4)	0.0 (-0.2, 0.2)	0.88	
	Perce	ntage	Relative risk (95%CI)	P	
Self-control task					
Hidden	64.5	64.1	1.01 (0.81, 1.21)	0.91	
Unhidden	45.5	45.4	0.99 (0.89, 1.13)	0.92	
MacArthur Bates CDI					
Uses plurals	18.0	22.6	0.85 (0.65, 1.12)	0.26	
Uses imperatives/progressives	71.7	72.3	0.99 (0.91, 1.07)	0.74	
Combines words	97.6	98.7	0.99 (0.97, 1.01)	0.27	

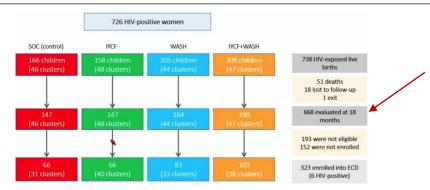
Malawi Developmental Assessment Tool (MDAT): Gross and fine motor, language, and social components, adapted for rural Zimbabwean households

MacArthur Bates Communicative Development Inventory (CDI): Vocabulary and grammar checklist, translated and validated in Shona



# SHINE: Infant and Child Feeding Intervention Improved Stunting in HEU

Chasekwa B et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 791



This report: Compared length for age z-score and anemia in HEU by study group

 ICYF but not WASH significantly decreased rate of stunting and anemia among HEU.

	Main Effects combining arms						
	Treatment	Trantmont		Unadjusted		Adjuste	d
	group	N	Mean (SD)	Difference (95% CI)	р	Difference (95% CI)	р
	IYCF: no	329	-1.99 (1.13)	0.00 (ref)		0.00 (ref)	
Length-for-age	IYCF: yes	336	-1.73 (1.12)	0.26 (0.09, 0.43)	0.003	0.23 (0.10, 0.37)	0.001
Z score	WASH: no	291	-1.87 (1.16)	0.00 (ref)		0.00 (ref)	
	WASH: yes	374	-1.85 (1.12)	0.01 (-0.16, 0.18)	0.90	0.07 (-0.08, 0.22)	0.37
	IYCF: no	319	116.6 (12.9)	0.0 (ref)		0.00 (ref)	
	IYCF: yes	329	119.5 (11.7)	2.9 (0.90, 4.90)	0.005	2.70 (0.60, 4.80)	0.013
Hemoglobin (g/L)	WASH: no	287	117.6 (11.1)	0.0 (ref)		0.00 (ref)	
	WASH: yes	361	118.4 (13.3)	0.70 (-1.20, 2.70)	0.47	1.10 (-0.90, 3.20)	0.27

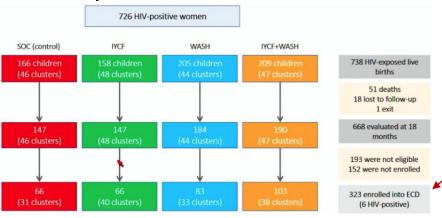
- HEU in ICYF group had ↓
   stunting compared to non-ICYF
   groups (40% vs 50%, RR 0.81, 95% CI 0.68-0.97)
- HEU in ICYF group had ↓
   prevalence anemia compared to
   non-ICYF (7% vs 14%, RR 0.52,
   95% CI 0.34-0.79)



#### SHINE: Infant/Child Feeding Plus Sanitation Improved Neurodevelopment in HEU

Ntozini R et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 42

 Evaluated the effect of the SHINE interventions on early childhood development of HEU children.



This report: Early childhood development study subset – trained nurses administered at age 2 years

 Early child development in HEU significantly improved with the combined infant feeding and sanitation intervention (but not individual).

Malawi Developmental Assessment Tool						
	Mean (SD)	Unadjusted difference (95% CI)	P	Adjusted* difference (95% CI)	P	
soc	90.9 (8.2)	0.0 (Reference)		0.0 (Reference)		
IYCF	91.7 (8.8)	0.81 (-1.99, 3.61)	0.57	-0.91 (-3.40, 1.58)	0.48	
WASH	89.6 (9.2)	-1.26 (-3.80, 1.28)	0.33	-1.63 (-4.26, 0.99)	0.22	
IYCF+WASH	95.3 (9.0)	4.57 (1.91, 7.23)	0.001	3.05 (0.86, 5.25)	0.006	

\*Adjusted for: maternal baseline mid-upper arm circumference (MUAC), education, employment status, CD4 count, co-trimoxazole prophylaxis and antiretrovira treatment during pregnancy, capabilities (perceived physical health and decision making autonomy), access to improve latrine; Infant variables: low birth-weight,

prematurity, gender and infant age at assessment: season of recruitment and nurse who carried out assessment

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	Mean (SD)	Unadjusted difference (95% CI)	P	Adjusted* difference (95% CI)	P	
SOC 56.6 (18.5)		0.0 (Reference	e)	0.0 (Reference)		
IYCF	57.6 (21.3)	1.00 (-5.74, 7.55)	0.77	-2.47 (-8.60, 3.67)	0.43	
WASH	58.2 (20.1)	1.58 (-4.12, 7.29)	0.59	-2.27 (-8.14, 3.60)	0.45	
IYCF+WASH	65.1 (17.0)	8.50 (3.66, 13.33)	0.001	6.01 (1.14, 10.88)	0.015	

\*Adjusted for: maternal baseline mid-upper arm circumference [MUAC], education, employment status, CO4 count, co-trimoxazole prophylaxis and antiretroviral treatment during pregnancy, capabilities (perceived physical health and decision making autonomy), access to improve latrine; Infant variables: low birth-weight, prematurity, gender and infant age at assessment; season of recruitment and nurse who carried out assessment

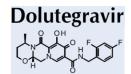




# ARV Drugs in Children







### Dolutegravir in Children CROI 2019 Seattle, WA



#### Frange P. Abs. 828 (France)



- 109 children (92% ART-exp, 11% prior InSTI) 5->18 yrs starting DTG
- Pre-DTG suppression 58.7%; switch DTG ↑ to 79.8%, similar rates all ages
- Low rate AE
- - Age <u>></u>6 mos-<2 yr and <u>></u>2 yr-<6 yr</li>
     PK study of higher dosing of dispersible tablet (DT)
  - Increased wt band DTG-DT dosing met pre-specified AUC24 and C24 targets both age groups.
- Bollen P. Abs. 830LB (ODYSSEY)



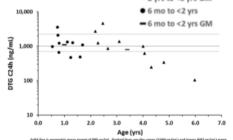
- PK evaluation of 50 mg DTG tab and 30 mg DTG-DT in children 20-<25 kg (EMA rec dose 25 mg tab 20-<30kg).</li>
- Daily 50 mg DTG and 30 mg DT had similar PK profiles but Cmax (6.07-7.42 mg/L) was slightly higher than adults (5.41 mg/L).

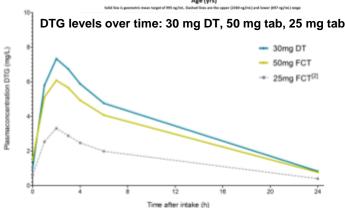
Dω	ration of follow-up (months) (median, range)
Vir	ological follow-up
	Sustained virological success (n, %)
	VL <50 copies/mL at the last visit (without ARV change) (n, %)
	Emergence of RAMs in patients with virological failure (n, %)
Saf	ety
	Grade I/II clinical events
	Grade I/II biological events
	Grade III/IV biological events
	Stop for intolerance

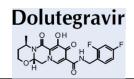
Total	Age at the time of DTG initiation					
(n=109)	Group 1 5-12 years (n=33)	Group 2 12-18 years (n=51)	Group 3 ≥18 years (n=25)			
24 (6-54)	12 (6-36)	24 (6-54)	24 (6-48)			
87 (79.8)	29 (87.9)	37 (72.5)	21 (84.0)			
96 (88.1)	31 (93.9)	43 (84.3)	22 (88.0)			
0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)			
7 (6.4)	0 (0.0)	2 (3.9)	5 (20.0)			
30 (27.5)	8 (24.2)	13 (25.5)	9 (36.0)			
3 (2.8)	0 (0.0)	2 (3.9)	1 (4.0)			
1 (0.9)	0 (0.0)	1 (2.0)	0 (0.0)			

Weight Revised		Dose (mg/kg) f	Dose	
		Lower Weight	Upper Weight	previously tested (mg)
6 - <10	15	2.50	1.50	10
10 - <14	20	2.00	1.43	15
14 - <20	25	1.79	1.25	15

#### DTG trough by age cohort







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- Bunglawala FS. Abs.827
  - Simulation of DTG dosing for neonates based on PK of RAL (metabolized UGT1A1) and midazolam (CYP3A4) in neonates.
  - Different DTG dosing strategies simulated; target achieve levels ~ to those observed in pediatric (C<sub>trough</sub> 0.99 mg/L; AUC2<sub>4</sub> 50.1 mg.h.L).

			DTG PK	<b>Parameters</b>	in Neonates			
	Regimer	Total Dose (mg)	Dose* (mg/kg)	C <sub>max</sub> ¹ (mg/L)	AUC <sub>av</sub> (mg.h/L)	C <sub>max</sub> <sup>2</sup> (mg/L)	AUC (mg.h/L)	C <sub>trough</sub> (mg/L)
Too hig	h→ 1	5 QD	1.4 (1.7 - 1.1)	3.99 ± 1.1	66.1 ± 22.9	2.3 ± 1.1	47.8 ± 14.3	1.6 ± 1.1
	2	4 QD	1.1 (1.3 - 0.9)	$3.3 \pm 0.6$	47.0 ± 14.1	1.7 ± 0.6	35.1 ± 10.5	1.1 ± 0.6
	3	3 QD	0.85 (1 - 0.7)	2.4 ± 0.6	35.2 ± 13.4	1.3 ± 0.7	27.3 ± 9.2	0.9 ± 0.7
Too lo	<b>w</b> → <sup>4</sup>	2 QD	0.55 (0.7 - 0.4)	$1.6 \pm 0.3$	23.5 ± 6.6	$0.8 \pm 0.3$	$18.0 \pm 6.4$	$0.5 \pm 0.2$
	5	Day 1-7 = 2 QD, Day 8-28 = 3 QD	0.7 (1 – 0.4)	1.8 ± 0.7	30.5 ± 11.7	1.3 ± 0.7	25.9 ± 7.6	0.8 ± 0.7
	6	Day 1-7 = 2 QD, Day 8-28 = 3.5 QD	0.8 (1.2 – 0.4)	2.2 ± 1.4	35.4 ± 17.2	1.6 ± 1.1	28.8 ± 8.4	1.1 ± 1.4

<sup>\*</sup>Median(Range), neonate weight range in the model is 3.0 - 4.5kg. Cmax<sup>1</sup>, Maximum plasma concentration over 28 day simulations; Cmax<sup>2</sup>, Maximum plasma concentration after final dose has been administered; AUC<sub>av</sub>, Average area under curve over 28 day simulations; AUC, Area under curve after final dose; C<sub>trough</sub>, Minimum plasma concentration after final dose.

Regimens 2, 3, 5 and 6 (>2 to 4 mg QD) result in PK parameters comparable to those in pediatric patients.

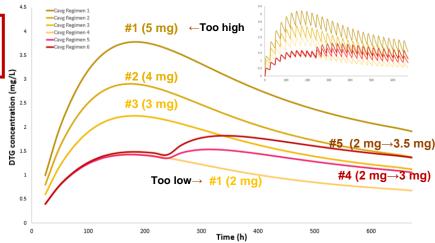


Figure 1 PK profile showing average concentration of DTG (Cavg) from 0-28 days, (inset) DTG PK profile of daily doses.

## Bictegravir/FTC/TAF Switch Study in Suppressed Pediatric and Adolescent Patients

Gaur A et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs.

■ Wk 48 data from switch study: pt with RNA <50 x6 mos, CD4 ≥200</p>

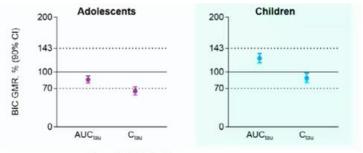
PK study to confirm B/F/TAF dosing (50/200/25mg QD), followed by

short-term safety study

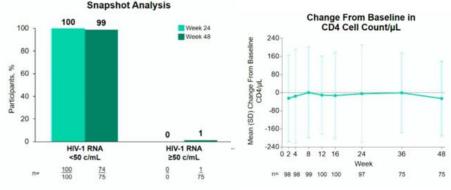
Favorable pill size







- AUC adolescents/children similar to adults
- C<sub>trough</sub> children ~same adults; ↓ in adolescents but still >11x > than palC50
- FTC and TAF exposures similar adults



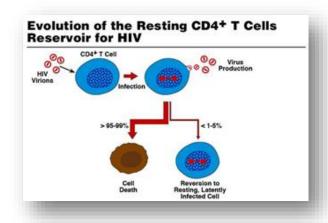
 Maintained viral suppression and CD4 count post switch







# Early Treatment of Infants with HIV







#### Early Infant Treatment (EIT) Study

Broncano PG et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 43

- Non-randomized study in Botswana with early infant diagnosis and treatment.
- Screened 10,600 newborns, identified 44 HIV+ infants (0.4%) → 42 enrolled in EIT and start immediate ART (AZT/3TC/NVP then change at 2-5 weeks to AZT/3TC/LPV/r).
- 10 infants have complete testing at 84-96 weeks.

### Early ART ANTEPARTUM group

Test HIV+ within 96 hr after birth and start ART age <7 d

N=9

### Early ART PERIPARTUM group

Test HIV- within 96 hr after birth and HIV+ within 5-42 d birth, start ART <57 d after birth N=1

### Later ART CONTROL group

Enrolled 24-36 mo/o and started ART at age 30-365 d/o

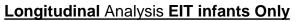
N = 10

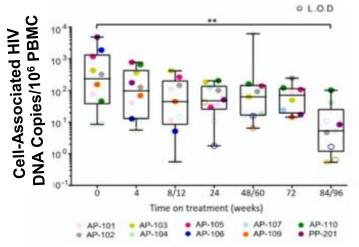


# Decreased HIV Reservoir And Decline in Intact Proviral Sequences with Early ART

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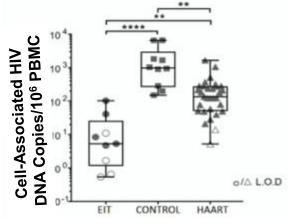
→ Decline cell-associated provirus





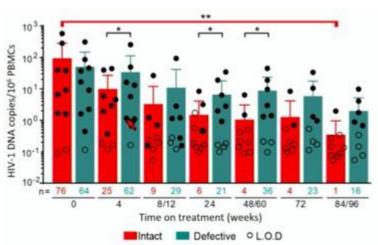
\* p<0.05 \*\* p<0.01 \*\*\* p<0.001 \*\*\*\* p<0.0001

#### Cross-Sectional Comparison: EIT, Control, Adults

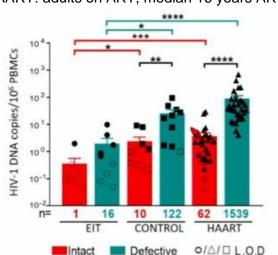


EIT: early ART infants, 84/96 wk on ART CONTROL: later ART infants, median wk 93 on ART HAART: adults on ART, median 16 years ART

#### → ↓ intact & ↑ defective proviral DNA



n= number of proviral sequences detected

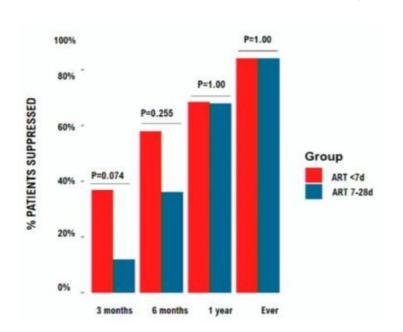


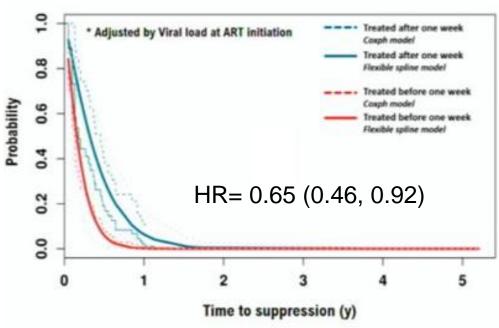
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# Neonatal ART Started <7 vs 7-28 Days Reduces Time to Viral Suppression

Rodriguez SD et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 44

- Compared VL decline in 25 infants started at <7 days vs 19 started at 7-28 days of life.
- While overall probability of suppression at 48 weeks similar, the probability early suppression (by 3-6 mos) decreased by 35% for each week elapsed prior to starting ART.



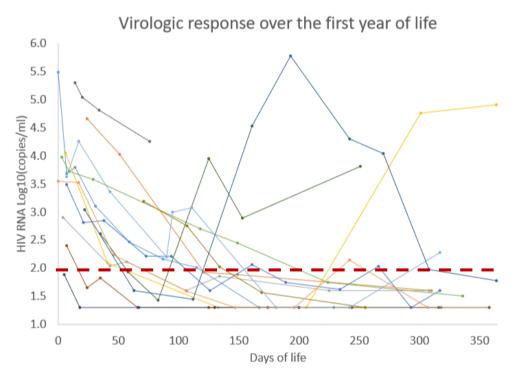




#### Neonatal Outcome with Rapid HIV Treatment Treating Infants Early Study (TIES) – United States

Ruel T et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.802

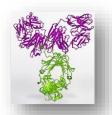
- Observational study of 14 HIV+ infants starting ART age <6 wks</li>
- Median age at diagnosis 4 d (0-17); median age ART start 8.5 d (0-36).
- Viral suppression 11/14 infants (78.6%) after median 143 d ART (13-469).
- Anemia 8 (53%) and neutropenia 5 (33%) but no interruption for toxicity.



- Heterogeneity in baseline RNA levels
- Viral suppression 11/14 infants (78.6%) after median 143 d ART (range 13-469 d).
- One infant viral rebound >200 c/mL at 295 d; 10 remained suppressed throughout FU.
- One very early and prolonged suppression (66 to 958 d life).

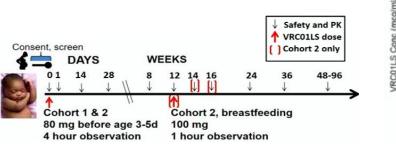


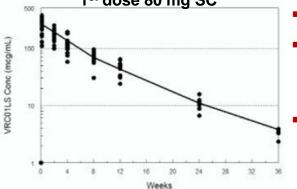
# Safety and PK of VRC01-LS Monoclonal Antibody in HIV-Exposed Newborns



McFarland E et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs.43

- VRC01-LS is broadly neutralizing anti-CD4 binding site monoclonal antibody with modified affinity for neonatal Fc receptor to increase T½.
- Evaluated PK and safety of single (N=10) and multiple (N=11) subcutaneous dose VRC01-LS in HIV-exposed neonates (all receive ARV prophylaxis).
  1st dose 80 mg sc





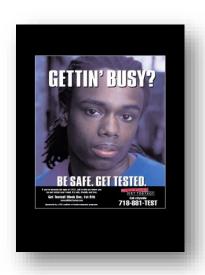
- T½: 59±8 days
- Week 12: mean 44.7 mcg/mL (33% >50, 100% >20 mcg/mL)
- Note: IC50 for most clade B, C and A isolates <10 mcg/mL; in NHP models, levels 20 mcg/mL well exceed protective level

- Well tolerated (no Grade 3/4 AE).
- Can be administered at birth and 1-2 time per year to achieve desired levels – additional strategy to prevent postnatal MTCT?





### Adolescents and HIV



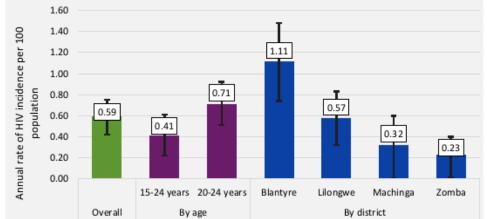


## Recent HIV Infection Adolescent Girls and Young Women, Malawi

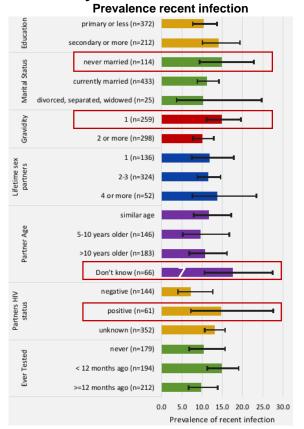
Payne D et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 831

- Nov 2017-July 2018 enrolled pregnant women age 15-24 years newly dx with HIV at 1<sup>st</sup> ANC visit at 121 facilities; recent infection testing algorithm (RITA) used to define recent infection.
- Among 54,643 attending 1<sup>st</sup> ANC, HIV prevalence 4.3%; 1,159 had new HIV dx and eligible for study, 589 (50.9%) enrolled in study.

Estimated of HIV incidence in pregnant adolescent girls and young women Malawi 2017-2018



- 11.7% with new dx had recent infection → annualized incidence of 0.59%.
- Incidence higher among those aged 20-24 years (vs 15-19 years); Blantyre residence

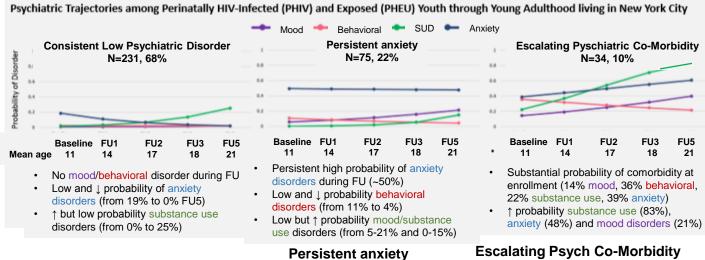




#### Youth Psychiatric Trajectories in Perinatal HIV Infection or Exposure Predict Young Adult Viremia

Nguyen N et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 819

- Child and Adolescent Self-Awareness and Health (CASAH) longitudinal cohort of 340 youth with perinatal HIV exposure (206 PHIV, 134 PHEU) recruited from 4 centers in NYC at age 9-16 yrs; interview q 12-18 mos.
- Analysis focuses on baseline through FU#5 (ages 18-28 yrs); 3 psychiatric trajectories described:



Baseline sociodemographic predictors of trajectory type and association with viremic event in last 12 mos of FU#5 (62% had at least 1 viremic event [VL >200 c/mL])

PHIV status OR = 0.73 (0.39, 1.36) OR = 1.02 (0.89, 1.17) Age Female OR = 2.43 (1.36, 4.34) Caregiver HIV+ OR = 0.45 (0.23, 0.89) Poverty OR = 2.04 (1.08, 3.85) Neighborhood stress OR = 1.59 (0.83, 3.03) RR=1.32 (0.98, 1.77) Viremic event

**Escalating Psych Co-Morbidity** 

	PHIV status	OR = 0.58 (0.21, 1.59)
,[	Age	OR = 1.55 (1.19, 2.01)
I.	Female	OR = 2.40 (0.92, 6.24)
	Caregiver HIV+	OR = 0.39 (0.14, 1.16)
I.	Poverty	OR = 1.00 (0.34, 2.97)
	Neighborhood stress	OR = 4.75 (1.94, 11.60)
J	Viremic event	RR = 1.56 (1.11, 2.18)

~1/3 of PHIV and PHEU had high burden psychiatric disorder, and nearly 2/3 had a viremic event in young adulthood





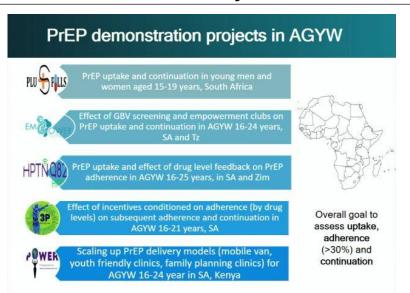
# PrEP in Adolescents and Women





#### **Engaging Young Women in Sub-Saharan Africa**

Delany-Moretiew S. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 163





#### **LESSONS LEARNED**

Similar findings across all projects:

- PreP interest and uptake is high (>90%) (HPTN 082).
- Risk score high
- STI prevalence ~30%
- IPV in past year 30-50%
- Depressive symptoms 42%
- Limited experience contraceptive pill taking.



#### Engaging Young Women in Sub-Saharan Africa: Lessons Learned

Delany-Moretiew S. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 163

- PrEP should be offered as part of comprehensive youthfriendly services
  - Flexible hours, non-judgmental, provide for information needs
- Delivered as a part of a package of sexual and reproductive health services
  - Enhance engagement in care
  - Provide ongoing choice in context of changing risk
  - Refills for PrEP and contraception, Opportunity to add STI testing
  - Platform to introduce new products
- Respond to greatest health needs
  - Screening for violence as part of HCT
  - Referral for mental health services
  - Program benefits, efficiency, cost

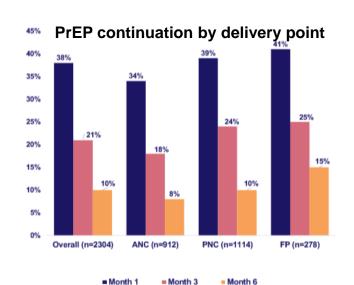
## Persistence with PrEP Use in Adolescent and Young Women Initiating PrEP in MCH and FP Clinics

Mugwanya K et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.993

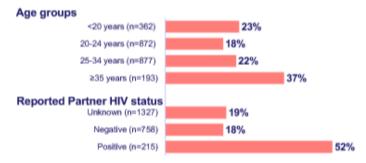
- Women 15-45 years seeking routine ANC, PNC and FP in 16 high volume facilities in Kenya screened for HIV risk and willingness to initiate PrEP; 2304 women initiated on PrEP.
- Median age 24; 58% had partner unknown HIV status, 96% reported recent condomless sex.
- Continuation at 1, 3 and 6 months was 38%, 21% and 10% overall; similar by delivery point.
- Continuation of PrEP use at 3 months was independently higher among women with HIV positive male partners(p<0.01)and older women 35 years and above (p=0.02)(Figure 3); only partner HIV status independently associated with continuation at month 6.</li>
- Commonly reported reasons for stopping PrEP included low perceived risk of HIV (23%), experiencing side effects (19%),pill burden (17%),and that partner is HIV negative (17%).

#### 2,304 women on PrEP

	N (%) or median (interquartile range)
<b>Age-Years</b> <24 years ≥24 years	24 (21-29) 1086 (47%) 1218 (53%)
Marital status	1837 (79%)
Delivery point Antenatal care Postnatal care Family planning	912 (40%) 1114 (48%) 278 (12%)
Partner HIV status Negative Positive Unknown	758 (33%) 215 (9%) 1327 (58%)



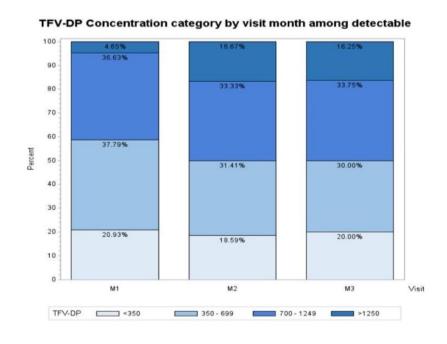
#### **Correlates continuing PrEP at 3 Mos**



### High Adherence in Young Women Cape Town in First 3 Months After PrEP start

Celum CL et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.994

- 3 Ps for Prevention Study (Perception, Partners, Pills) enrolled 200 sexually active women 16-25 years; median age 19 years.
- Adherence at 3 months was assessed by tenofovir-diphosphate (TFV-DP) in dried blood spots. High adherence; TFV-DP >700 fmol/punch (>4 doses/week); Medium adherence 350-700 fmol/punch (2-3 doses/week).

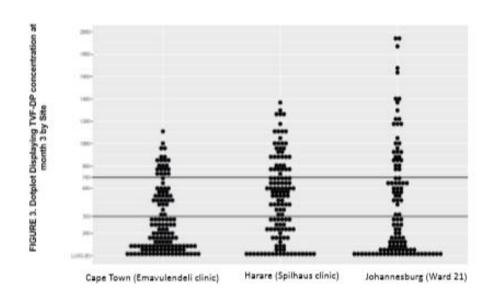


- Retention 89% at 3 mos.
- Median TDF-DP was 622 at 1 mo, 707 at 2 mo; 700 at 3 mo.
  - At 3 months, 50% had high adherence and 80% had medium or greater adherence at 2 and 3 months.
- High adherence associated with: partner unknown or HIV+, disclosure of PrEP use.

# Adherence 3 Months After PREP Start, Young Women Cape Town South Africa

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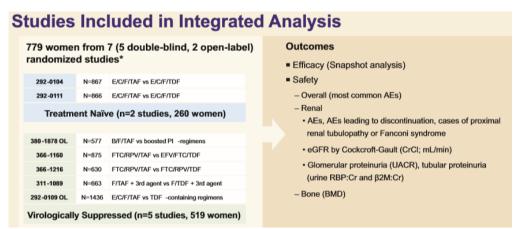
- 451 sexually active HIV-negative women ages 16-25 were enrolled; 427 accepted PrEP (412 at enrollment, 15 after enrollment); median age 21 years (6% <18 years).</li>
- Adherence at 3 months was assessed by tenofovir-diphosphate (TFV-DP) in dried blood spots. High adherence; TFV-DP >700 fmol/punch (>4 doses/week); Medium adherence 350-700 fmol/punch (2-3 doses/week).

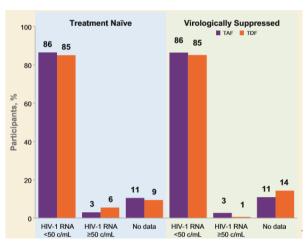


- 310/374 (84%) had TFV/DP detectable at mo 3
- Median TDF-DP was 485 fmol
  - 25% were 700 (high)
  - 23% 350-699 (medium)
  - 36% detectable <349</li>
  - 16% undetectable
- Predictors high vs low adherence: attend adherence support group, no depression, # sex partners

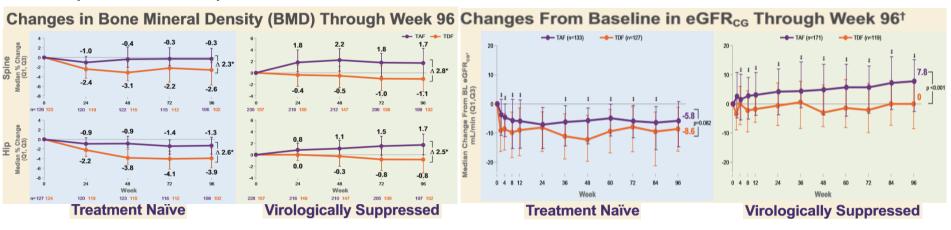
### TAF vs TDF in Women – Pooled Analysis 7 Clinical Trials Thompson M et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 519

 Pooled analysis comparative data on efficacy and safety of TAF vs TDF in women (stratified by ART naïve vs virally suppessed).



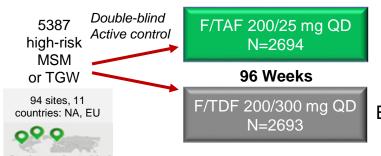


 Viral response (96 wks) same with TAF but bone and renal toxicity improved compared to TDF.



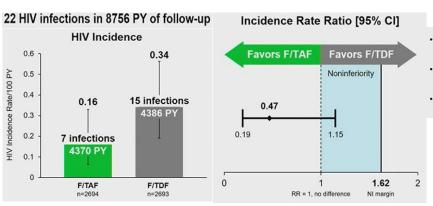
#### F/TAF Non-Inferior to F/TDF for PrEP: Discover Study

Hare CB et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 104LB

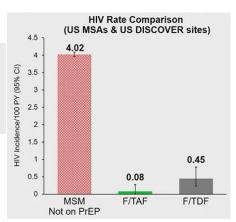


Primary analysis: HIV incidence/100 PY after 100% complete wk 48 and 50% complete wk 96

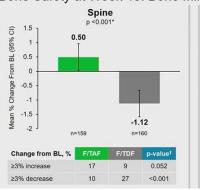
Non-inferiority margin upper 95% CI <1.62 Expected incidence 1.44/100 PY (IPrEx; PROUD; IPERGAY)

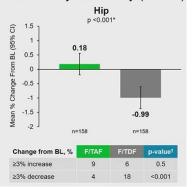


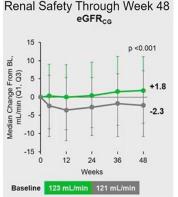
- 7 F/TAF infections: 1 suspected baseline infection,
   5 low levels of TFV-DP in DBS,1 medium level
- 15 F/TDF infections: 4 suspected baseline infections, 10 low levels of TFV-DP in DBS, 1 high level
- In a sensitivity analysis that excluded suspected baseline infections, noninferiority was maintained (0.55 [0.20, 1.48])



Bone Safety at Week 48: Bone Mineral Density Sub-study (n=383)







- F/TAF non-inferior to
   F/TDF for prevention HIV infection in MSM/TGQ
- Both well tolerated, low d/c
- F/TAF had better bone and renal outcomes





### TB and HIV

- Pregnancy
- Pediatrics
  - General



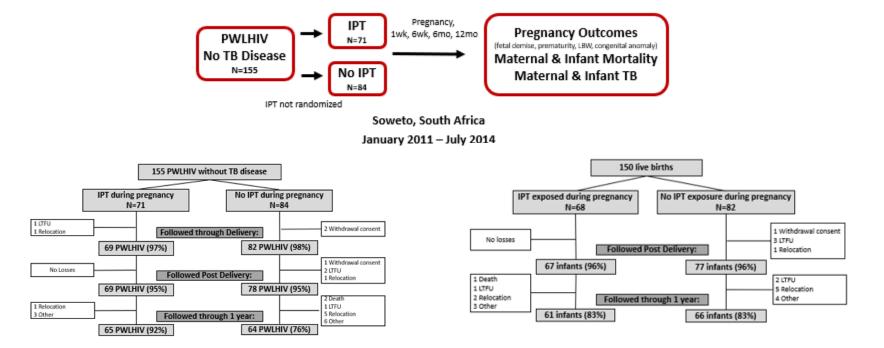




# INH Prophylaxis for Latent TB, Pregnancy Tshepiso Cohort, South Africa

Salazar-Austin N et al. CROI 2019, Seattle, WA Abs. 77

- Prospective cohort pregnant HIV+ women with and without TB disease in Soweto, S Africa, January 2011-July 2014, FU pregnancy to 12 mo PP for MTCT, pregnancy outcomes, maternal/infant mortality and TB.
- Evaluated outcomes by IPT use (non-randomized, self-reported).



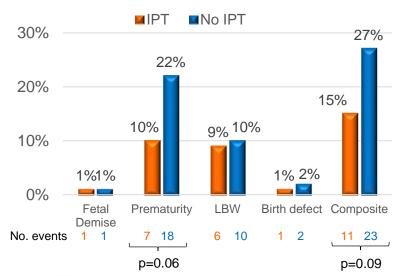


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■ IPT use in 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> trimester during pregnancy was *not* associated with a higher rate of poor maternal or infant outcomes in this cohort of 152 women, after controlling for CD4, VL, ART, maternal age, BMI and anemia.

#### **Adverse Pregnancy Outcome by IPT Use**



TB disease:

Maternal: 1 case (no IPT)

Infant: No cases

Logistic Regression	for	having an ac	dverse	pregnancy	outcome	
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		Unadjusted OR	95%CI	Adjusted OR	95%CI
IPT	Yes	Ref			
	No	2.02	(0.92, 4.67)	2.79	(1.13, 7.39)
Maternal Age	<35 years	Ref			
	≥35 years	0.40	(0.06, 1.50)	0.62	(0.09, 2.73)
CD4	≥350 cells/mm³	Ref			
	<350 cells/mm <sup>3</sup>	0.36	(0.14, 0.83)	0.24	(0.08, 0.64)
Viral Load	<1000 copies/mL	Ref			
	≥1000 copies/ml	1.40	(0.54, 3.22)	2.16	(0.65, 7.21)
PMTCT Regimen	CART	Ref			
	AZT monotherapy +/- sd NVP or no ART	1.01	(0.44, 2.43)	0.72	(0.22, 2.20)
BMI	BMI ≥ 21.5 kg/m <sup>3</sup>	Ref			
	BMI < 21.5 kg/m <sup>3</sup>	3.80	(0.67, 21.45)	3.81	(0.62, 23.83)
Anemia	Hgb ≥8.5 g/dL	Ref			
	Hgb < 8.5 g/dL	7.13	(0.66, 156.11)	16.30	(1.24, 421.67)

<sup>\*</sup>Adjusted for CD4, VL, ART type, maternal age, anemia

→ Higher risk adverse pregnancy outcome: no IPT, low CD4, anemia

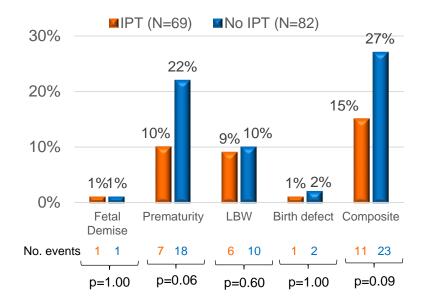
#### Tshepiso Cohort vs APPRISE RCT Trial



Salazar-Austin N et al. CROI 2019, Seattle, WA Abs. 77

**Tshepiso:** Observational 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> trimester IPT (self-reported); 152 deliveries (69 IPT, 82 no IPT)

#### Tshepiso Adverse Pregnancy Outcome by IPT Use



TB disease:

Maternal: 1 case (no IPT)

Infant: No cases

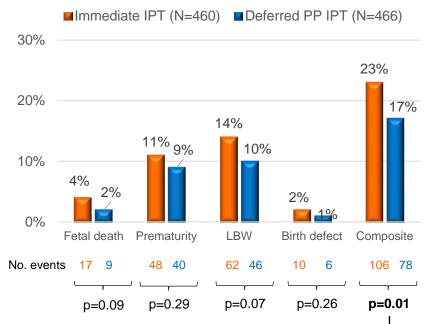
Death:

Maternal: 0 (IPT), 1 (no IPT) Infant: 1 (IPT), 0 (no IPT) Gupta A et al. CROI 2018 Boston Abs. 142LB



Apprise: RCT of immediate (2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> trimester) IPT vs deferred (12 wk postpartum) IPT; 962 deliveries (460 Immediate, 466 Deferred)

#### APPRISE RCT Adverse Pregnancy Outcome by Immediate vs Deferred IPT



TB disease:

Maternal: 3 (immediate), 3 (deferred) Infant: 0 (immediate), 1 (deferred) Death:

Maternal: 2 (immediate), 4 (deferred) Infant: 11 (immediate), 17 (deferred)

Severe pregnancy outcome composite: Immediate: 6.3%

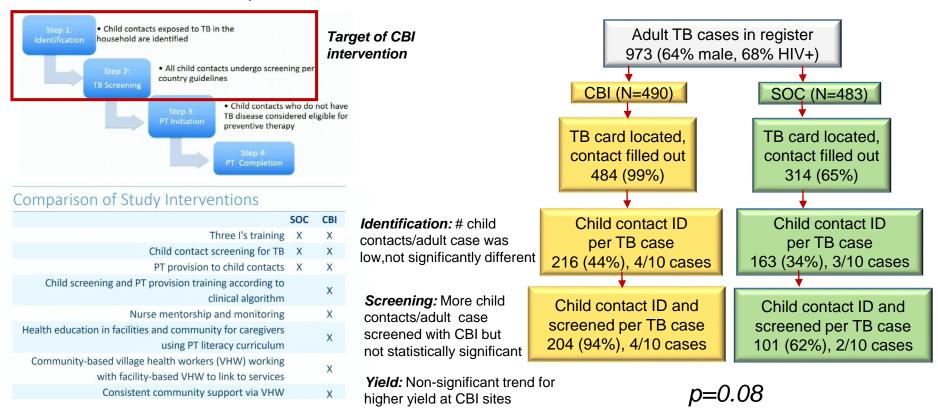
Deferred: 4.6% P=0.27



#### Improving Child TB Contact Management, Lesotho – PREVENT Study

Hirsch-Moverman Y et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.79

- Cluster-randomized trial of community-based intervention (10 clinics) vs
   SOC (10 clinics) to improve identification and screening of child contacts.
- All adult TB pt newly registered at clinics Jan 2017-June 2018 and child contacts included, with data collection from medical records.





# Nevirapine PK is Modified by TB Therapy with Rifampin in Young Children



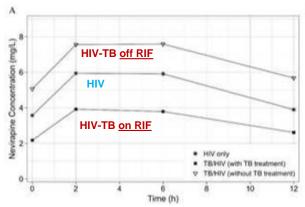
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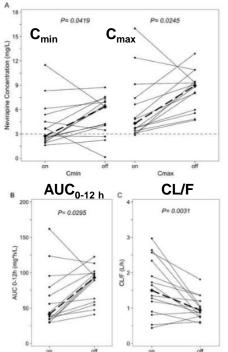
- HIV+ children with (N=30) or without TB (N-23) aged 3-35 months or <10kg started on NVP 200 mg/m² + 2NRTI with 2-week lead in.</p>
- Proportion of children with NVP C<sub>min</sub> <3 mg/L was 61% in HIV/TB coinfected children and 31% in HIV only (p=0.03).</li>

 In multivariate analysis, TB coinfection and CYP2B6 516 genotype influenced NVP PK (differences only significant for CYP2B6 516GG and

not GT or TT genotypes).

Median NVP Level Post-Dose Over Time HIV only, HIV/TB on TB rx, HIV/TB off TB rx



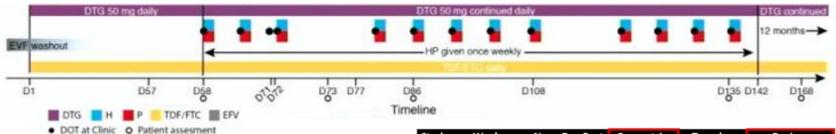


In 14 HIV/TB children with PK on and off RIF, NVP AUC<sub>0-12h</sub> was ↓ by 34% & CL/F ↑ by 45% during coadministration of NVP/RIF.

### Safety of Weekly INH/Rifapentine (3HP) in HIV+ Adults on DTG-ART

Dooley KE et al. CROI 2019, Seattle, WA Abs. 80LB

• 61 adults with suppressed VL on EFV-ART with indication for prophylaxis latent TB → switched to DTG (50 mg QD) ART x 8 wks (EFV washout) and then PK safety evaluated with weekly HP x 12 wks.



AE	N	Prior to 1 <sup>st</sup> HP dose	After 1 <sup>st</sup> HP dose
Grade 2	2	1 <sup>a</sup>	<b>1</b> <sup>b</sup>
Grade 3	3	1 <sup>c</sup>	2 <sup>d</sup>
Grade 4	0	0	0
Death	0	0	0

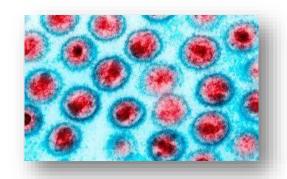
<sup>a</sup>GI disturbance; <sup>b</sup>flu-like reaction; <sup>c</sup>elevated creatinine <sup>d</sup>elevated creatinine, hypertension

Study Day	Week on 3HP	N	Day Post HP Dose	Geometric mean	Troughs, 5 <sup>th</sup> and 95 <sup>th</sup> %	Regimen
57/58		60	0	1003	500 -2080	DTG alone
59	Week 1	30	1	1053	412 - 1834	DTG+HP
72	Week 2	30	7	492	200-1063	DTG+HP
73	Week 3	60	1	657	295-1502	DTG+HP
74	Week 3	60	2	355	134-933	DTG+HP
78	Week 3	30	6	388	140 - 794	DTG+HP
108	Week 8	60	1	703	289 - 1603	DTG+HP
109	Week 8	60	2	394	121 - 1079	DTG+HP

<sup>\*</sup>HP doses were given on Days 58, 65, 72, 79, 86, 93, 100, 107, 114, 121, 128, 135

Trough DTG levels ↓ ~50% and AUC ↓ ~30% with HP, but median values >300 ng/mL all time points (IC90 64 ng/mL); viral suppression maintained (1 post-HP-treatment rebound 2300, with suppression on 2<sup>nd</sup> VL). Concluded no dose increase needed.





### Test and Treat, Viral Load Testing, Viral Suppression



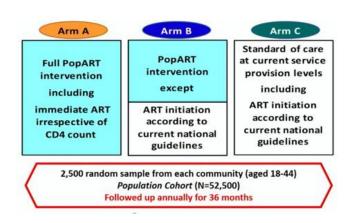


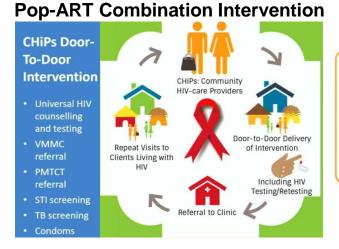


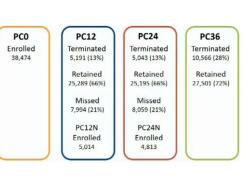
### Impact of Universal Testing and Treatment in Zambia and South Africa – HPTN 071

Hayes RJ et al. CROI 2019, Seattle, WA Abs. 92LB

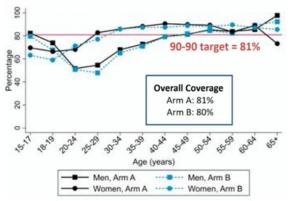
 Universal test and treat – 21 communities randomized to one of 3 arms (7 communities per arm); primary outcome HIV incidence.







#### ART Coverage in Arm A (Pop-ART universal) & Arm B (Pop-ART national) at End of Trial



#### Viral Suppression by Arm

	Pop-ART Immediate	Pop-ART National guide	SOC
Viral suppression	1531/2159 (72%)	1318/1891 (68%)	1480/2183 (60%)
Adjusted prevalence ratio*	1.16 (0.99, 1.36)	1.08 (0.92, 1.27)	1
VS compared to SOC	16% increase	8% increase	
P value	0.07	0.30	

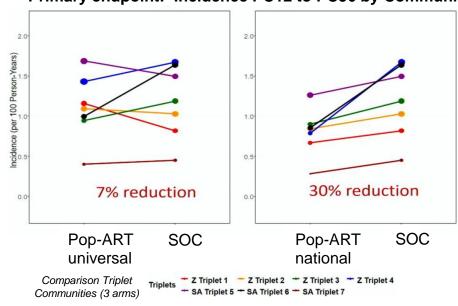
Adjusted for age category, sex



## Impact of Universal Testing and Treatment in Zambia and South Africa – HPTN 071

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#### Primary endpoint: Incidence PC12 to PC36 by Community



- PopART achieved first 2 UNAIDS 90-90 targets
- PopART with ART by local guidelines reduced incidence by 30% in these high burden settings
- Community-based services for universal HIV testing and linkage are key component of global combination prevention

#### Primary endpoint: Incidence in PC12-PC36

	Pop-ART Immediate	Pop-ART National guide	soc
HIV incidence	198/12,990 (1.45%)	157/14,149 (1.06%)	198/12,563 (1.55%)
Adjusted rate ratio*	0.93 (0.74, 1.18)	0.70 (0.55, 0.88)	1
Incidence compared to SOC	7% reduction	30% reduction	
P value	0.51	0.006	

<sup>\*</sup> Adjusted for age category, sex and baseline community HIV prevalence; reported numbers include imputation for PC12 and PC24 missed visits



# Impact of Universal Testing and Treatment Botswana

Wirth K et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.95

Pair-matched communities randomized trial 30 communities Botswana,
 October 2013, interventions ended March 2018, FU completed April 2018

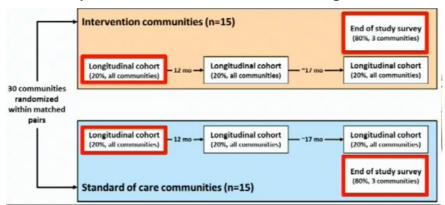
#### **Intervention (15 communities)**

- Community mobilization
- Home-based and mobile HIV testing campaigns, targeted testing
- Linkage to care support: scheduled clinic visits, SMS reminder, active tracing is missed apt
- Early ART (universal from June 2016 at 1<sup>st</sup> visit)
- Strengthened VMMC

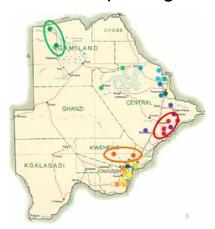
#### **SOC (15 communities)**

 ART if CD4 <350 or WHO III/IV or pregnant until June 2016 when moved to universal ART

 Intervention uptake assessed through end-of-study survey in communities not in longitudinal cohort



 Selected 1 pair of communities per region

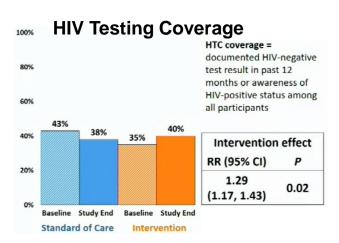


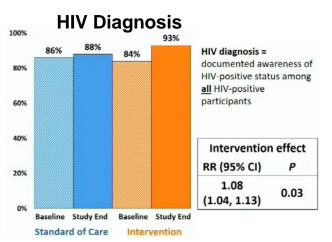


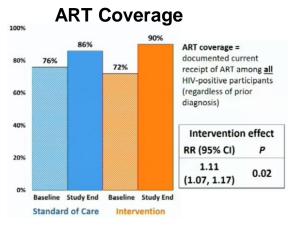
### HIV Diagnosis, ART, Suppression and VMMC Increased in Both Arms, with Greater Increase in Intervention

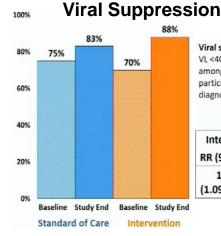
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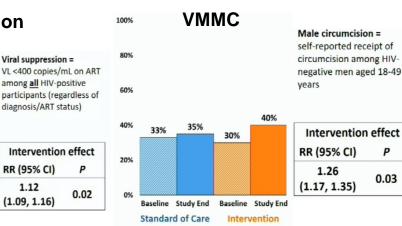
Significant increase across cascade with intervention.











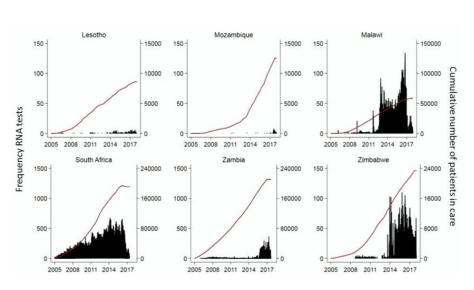
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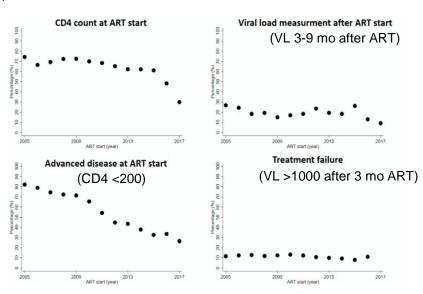
# Trends in CD4 and Viral Load Testing in Southern Africa: Analysis of 6 Countries

Egger M et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.150

- 17 sites in 6 countries in South Africa evaluated trends 2005-2018 in CD4 and VL testing in adults.
- 542,138 pts, 65% female; median age 34.5 years, median FU 44.9 months; 51% started ART 2009-2013, 30% 2014-2018



 Scale up VL testing in some but not all countries: 3 countries have scaled up VL testing (black): Malawi, S Africa, Zimbabwe.

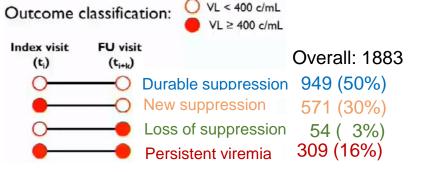


CD4 count at ART start has ↓
(advanced disease may go
undetected); VL testing low levels;
advanced disease ↓ in 2017 ~20%;
failure ~10% without much change.

# Factors Associated with Persistent Viremia with Universal Test and Treat, Uganda

Patel EU et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.96

- Rakai Community Cohort Study of adults 15-49 years, 5 surveys Nov 2011 and Feb 2017
- HIV VL measured in all HIV+ persons in 2011, 2015 and 2016



- Factors associated with persistent virema included:
  - Being young (<29 years)</li>
  - Being Male
  - Never Marries
  - Recent in-migration

Characteristic	Crude RRR (95% CI)	Adjusted RRR (95% CI) <sup>a</sup>
Age group, years		
15-29	1.91 (1.28-2.83)*	1.83 (1.22-2.75)*
30-39	1.46 (0.99-2.16)	1.55 (1.05-2.29)*
40-49	Ref.	Ref.
Male sex	2.11 (1.67-2.68)*	2.22 (1.70-2.90)
Marital status		
Married	Ref.	Ref.
Previously married	0.82 (0.64-1.05)	0.92 (0.72-1.18)
Never married	2.38 (1.71-3.31)*	1.82 (1.30-2.55)
Educational attainment		,
None	Ref.	Ref.
Primary	1.07 (0.75-1.54)	1.00 (0.70-1.43)
Secondary or more	1.38 (0.87-2.18)	1.43 (0.92-2.24)
Migration status	800000000000000000000000000000000000000	1
Permanent resident	Ref.	Ref.
In-migrant (0-2 years)	1.37 (0.98-1.91)	1.95 (1.36-2.80)
In-migrant (>2 years)	1.12 (0.75-1.68)	1.45 (0.97-2.17)
Alcohol use (past year)	1.18 (0.93-1.48)	0.99 (0.78-1.26)
No. of sex partners (past year)		
0-1	Ref.	Ref.
2-3	1.33 (1.05-1.70)*	0.94 (0.73-1.20)
>3	1.96 (1.46-2.65)*	1.20 (0.88-1.64)

Adjusted for index survey visit, age, sex, marital status, education status, migration status, alcohol use, and number of sexual partners.

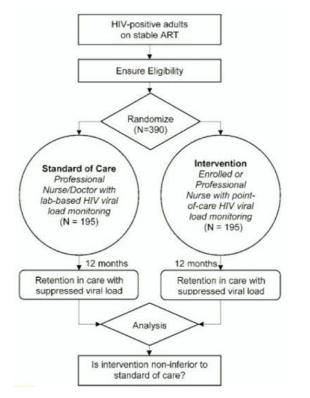


# Point of Care Viral Load Testing Improves Viral Suppression and Retention in Care



Drain PK et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 53LB

- RCT at public clinic in Durban S Africa in adults >18 years presenting for 6 month post ART start FU visit
  - Intervention: POC viral load testing (Xpert) and same day counseling with task shifting to nurse for stable pt
  - SOC: lab viral load testing and care from nurse)



Primary outcome: 12 mo viral suppression and retention (pick up drugs)

	Intervention Arm	Standard-of- care Arm	Absolute Risk Difference	Non-inferiority (1-side 95% CI) P value	Superiority (2-side 95% CI) P value
Viral suppression (<200 copies/mL) and	89.7%	75.9%	13.9%	(≥7.6)	(6.4-21.2)
Retention in care at study clinic	(175/195)	(148/195)		<0.001	<0.001

After 12 mo clinical FU, the intervention increased viral suppression and retention in care at the study clinic by 13.9% (95% CI 6.4-21.2%)



Total pt visit duration for POC VL testing was 21/2 - 3 hours



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#### Secondary outcomes

#### Viral suppression <50 c/mL and retention

	Intervention Arm (N=195)	Standard-of- Care Arm (N=195)	Absolute Risk Difference	Superiority P value
Viral suppression (<200 copies/ml)	93.3%	83.1%	10.3%	0.003
Retention in care at study clinic	92.3%	84.6%	7.7%	0.026
Viral suppression <u>≤50 copies/mL</u> and retention in care	85.6%	71.3%	14.4%	<0.001
Viral suppression <200 copies/mL and retention in care at any clinic	90.8%	78.5%	12.3%	0.001

#### **Follow-Up HIV Care and Treatment**

	Intervention Arm	Standard-of- Care Arm	Cox Hazard Ratio	Superiority P value
Switch to second-line ART after viral failure (>1,000 copies/ml x2)	6/6 (100%)	4/9 (44%)		
Median [IQR] days to switch to second-line ART after viral failure	1 [0-7]	76 [20-134]	10.9	0.005
Referral into community-based ART delivery program	116 (60%)	52 (27%)		
Median [IQR] days to referral into community-based ART program	168 [168-175]	261 [231-281]	3.5	<0.001

#### **Entry VL and Communication of Results**

	Intervention Arm	Standard-of-Care Arm	Difference
Entry of viral load result into health information system	100%	100%	0%
Median [IQR] days to enter viral load result in health information system	0 [0-0]	2 [1-4]	2 days
Communication of viral load result to patient	99.8%	81.5%	18.3%
Median [IQR] days to communicate viral load result to patient	0 [0-0]	28 [28-54]	28 days

#### **Healthcare Utilization**

	Intervention Arm	Standard-of- Care Arm	P value
Total clinic visits per patient	5.2 ±1.6	6.1 ±1.5	<0.001
Clinic visits with a Professional Nurse per patient	4.2 ±1.8	5.6 ±1.4	<0.001
Clinic visits with an Enrolled Nurse per patient	0.9 ±0.9	0.4 ±0.7	<0.001
Number of viral load tests per patient	2.0 ±0.3	1.9 ±0.5	0.006

	Point-of-care Test	Centralized Laboratory Test
Cost per HIV viral load test	\$21.53	\$25.98
Total over 5 years testing per patient	\$129.18	\$155.88





# Dolutegravir Studies in Adults





### 12 Month Outcomes on DTG ART Botswana: The BEAT Cohort Study

Avalos A et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 505

- Observational study, with data abstraction electronic national HIV and lab database from 11 urban and semi-rural facilities.
- Data on 2,256 adults: 1,523 ART-naïve, 638 ART-switch, 95 highly ARTexperienced.
  - Median age 39 yr (range 32-48), 63% female
  - VL reporting in only 50 % (N=1134)
- 77 women in database pregnant (11 on DTG preconception), no NTD.

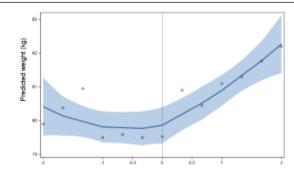
Cohort	% with 12-Month Viral Load Measurements	% VL Suppression <400 copies/mL with (95% CL) Overall and by gender.	Adverse Events % (#) (DAIDS – Grade 3)	LTFU % (#)	Deaths % (#)
<b>Naïve</b> (n= 1523)	<b>41%</b> ( <i>n=623</i> )	Overall: <b>98.6%</b> (97.3, 99.3) Female: <b>98.8%</b> Male: <b>98.2%</b>	<1% (n=2)	<b>6.3%</b> (n=33)	<b>1.9%</b> (n=30)
Switched (n=638)	<b>70%</b> (n=436)	Overall: <b>96.9%</b> ( <i>94.8, 98.1</i> ) Female: <b>96.3%</b> Male: <b>98.3%</b>	0	0	0
Highly Treatment Experienced (n=95)	<b>79%</b> (n=75)	Overall: <b>89.1%</b> ( <i>77.3, 95.1</i> ) Female: <b>90.1%</b> Male: <b>86.4%</b>	<b>1%</b> (n=1)	0	0
<b>Total</b> (n=2256)	<b>50%</b> (n=1134)	<b>Overall: 97.4%</b> (96.4, 98.2)	<1% (n=3) Women: 2	<b>1.4%</b> (n=33) Women: 51.6%	<b>1.3%</b> (n=30) Men: 67%

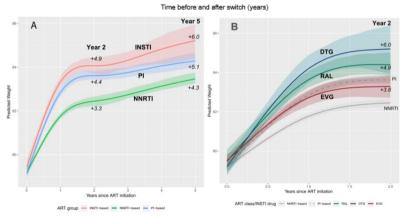


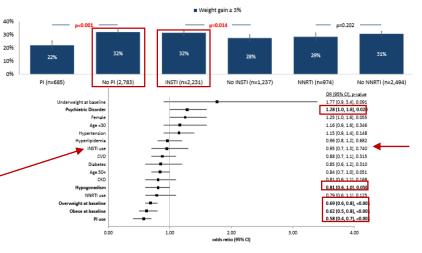
### Dolutegravir and Weight Gain



- Lake J. Abs. 669:
  - 972 adults switched to InSTI in A5001, A5322; median 7.8 yr prior ART
  - Women, black and age >60 most increase
  - DTG greatest weight gain
- Bourgi K. Abs. 670:
  - 24,001 ART naïve pts starting ART 2007-2016 (NNRTI 11,826; PI 7,436, InSTI 4,440)
  - ART naïve starting InSTI, esp DTG and RAL at risk of weight gain
  - No difference by sex and race
- McComsey G. Abs. 671
  - 3,468 pt with viral suppression and BMI measure at start and 1-2 years
  - ≥3% weight gain in 30%
  - Associated with lower/higher BMI baseline, non-PI regimen, psych disorder
  - InSTI not associated in multivariate





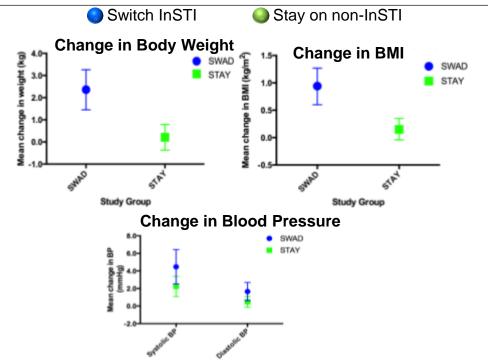




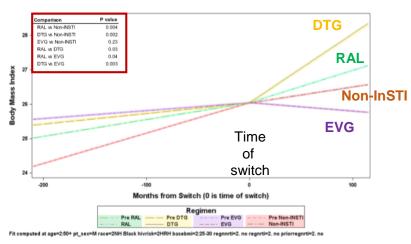
### Dolutegravir and Weight Gain



- Kerchberger AM. Abs. 672
  - WIHS 2008-2017, evaluated weight in suppressed women who switched to InSTI or stayed on non-InSTI regimen
  - InSTI switch associated with significant ↑ body weight, BMI, total body fat, body circumference measure and blood pressure compared to staying on non-InSTI ART



- Palella FJ. Abs. 674
  - BMI data from 653 pt from HIV Outpatient Study (HOPS)
    - 368 (56%) switched to InSTI
    - 285 (44%) switched to non-InSTI
  - Weight gain was higher among InSTI switch, and was greatest with DTG (yellow)
  - Associated factors: female, Hispanic ethnicity

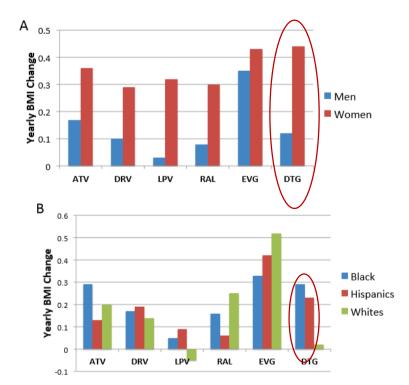




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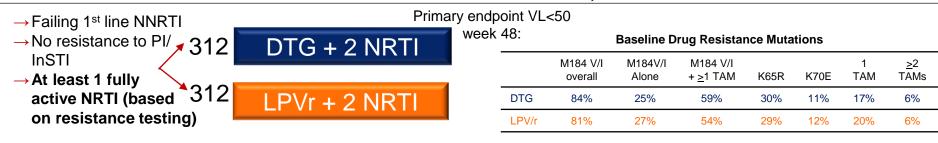


- Bedimo R. Abs. 675
  - Yearly change in BMI following initiation of PI or InSTI ART
  - Change BMI greatest among women compared to men
  - EVG and DTG had more BMI ↑ than
     PI
  - Weight gain with EVG had did not vary by sex/ethnicity
  - Weight gain with DTG greatest in women and black/hispanics

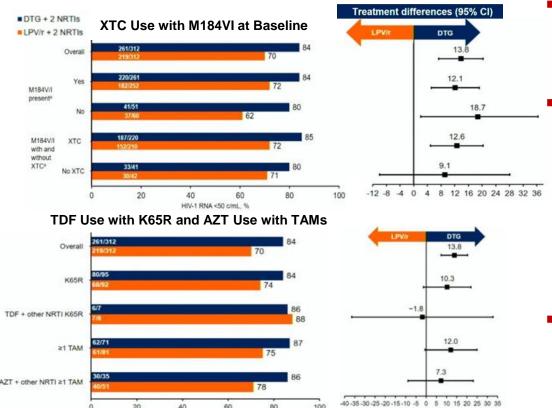


# DTG vs LPV/r for Second-Line Therapy (DAWNING) Viral Efficacy by Presence Baseline DR Mutations

Brown D et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs.144

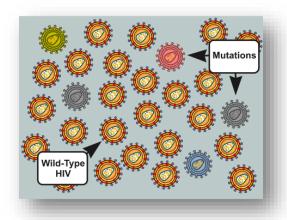


Outcomes Overall and by Baseline Resistance Subgroups at Week 48



HIV-1 RNA <50 c/mL

- Overall results show superior efficacy of DTG over LPV/r for 2<sup>nd</sup> line ART.
- Consistent with overall results, VL response rates were high regardless of pre-existing resistance to one of the NRTIs in the background regimen, including when XTC used in presence of M184 V/I.
- Rates viral failure lower in DTG arm regardless of baseline NRTI resistance and 2<sup>nd</sup> line background NRTI.





# ARV Drug Resistance



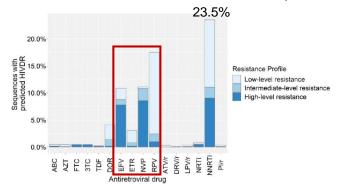


# Population-Based Monitoring of Pre-ART Drug Resistance, Eswatini

Khan S et al. CROI 2019 Seatte, WA Abs. 537

- Evaluated pre-treatment drug resistance in HIV+ ART-naïve adults enrolling in MaxART trial in Hhohho region Sept 2014-Aug 2017 (N=3485); testing done for 2578 (98%) available samples.
- Resistance seen in 24.1%, primarily driven by NNRTI resistance; 286 (11.1%) had mutations conferring resistance to 1<sup>st</sup> line NNRTI EFV/NVP.
- Dual class resistance to NNRTI and NRTI drugs was rare (14, 0.5%).

Resistance	Drug Class				
Level	PI	NRTI	NNRTI	NNRTI: EFV or NVP	Any
Low level	0.3%	0.3%	12;5%	0.3%	13.0%
Intermediate	1.0%	0.1%	2.0%	2.2%	2.0%
High	1.0%	0.5%	9.1%	8.6%	9.2%
Overall	0.4%	0.9%	23.5%	11.1%	24.1%



- NNRTI resistance
   associated with female
   gender (aOR 1.4, p=0.05)
   and younger age at ART
   start (aOR 0.96 per 1 year
   increment, p<0.01).</li>
- Supports move to DTG as 1<sup>st</sup> line ART in Eswatini.

# HIV Drug Resistance, Population-Based Household Survey, South Africa

Moyo S et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 152

- Cross-sectional population-based household survey 2017, including HIV testing and DBS resistance testing.
- 2,294 HIV+  $\rightarrow$  2,246 VL result  $\rightarrow$  1,107 unsuppressed  $\rightarrow$  697 DR testing successful  $\rightarrow$  200 DR (27%), 497 no DR
- Primarily NNRTI resistance; dual resistance NNRTI/NRTI in 8%; low level resistance to 2<sup>nd</sup> line.

Drug resistance in more than half on treatment, 15% naïve; no difference

by sex and age.

Resistance	% weighted (95% CI)
Any resistance	27.4% (22.8-32.6)
NNRTI	18.9% (14.8-23.8)
NNRTI + NRTI	7.8% (5.6-10.9)
PI + NNRTI + NRTI	0.5% (0.1-2.1)

Variable	Any DRM (95% CI)	NNRTI only	NNRTI+NRTI
ARV status: On ART Defaulters* ARV-naïve	<b>55.7% (42.6-67.9)</b> 75.9% (59.2-87.3) <b>15.3% (6.3-32.8)</b>	14.3% (7.5-25.6) 56.4% (34.4-25.7) 15.3% (6.3-32.8)	<b>40.4% (29.6-52.2)</b> 14.3% (2.5-52.1) <b>0</b>
Sex: Male Female	29.4% (22.5-37.4) 25.8% (19.8-32.8)	19.6% (13.5-27.7) 18.3% (13.2-24.8)	9.7% (5.8-15.7) 6.3% (4.2-9.5)
Age (years): 0-14 15-24 25-49 50+	33.7% (17.6-54.7) 30.5% (18.7-45.5) 26.6% (21.7-32.2) 24.1% (14.8-36.7)	17.7% (7.2-37.4) 22.1% (12.6-35.9) 18.6% (13.8-24.8) 17.0% (8.9-30.0)	14.9% (5.3-35.2) 5.7% (1.7-15.9) 8.2% (5.4-12.2) 5.7% (2.5-12.8)

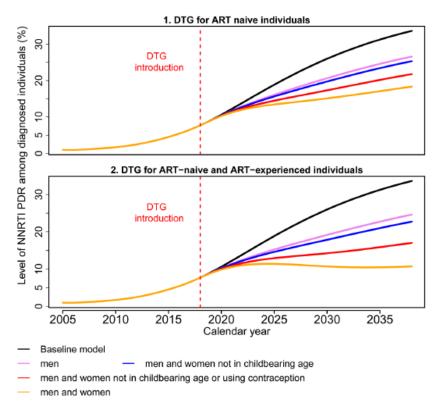
<sup>\*</sup>Defaulter: stated were on ART but negative test ARV



# Modeling Impact of DTG Introduction on NNRTI Resistance, South Africa

Hauser A et al. CROI 2019 Seattle, WA Abs. 538

- Epidemiologic modeling to investigate development of pre-ART NNRTI drug resistance (DR) under different scenarios of DTG introduction.
- Assumes DTG efficacy similar to NNRTI and dx and treatment rates constant from 2018.



- DTG to all pt regardless gender and treatment status results in lowest NNRTI resistance, 8.2%, in 2035.
- DTG limited to men (or men+women non-childbearing age) will not prevent increase in NNRTI DR to ~17% in 2035.
- Including men and women using contraception will stabilize resistance at 11.8%.

#### UNDETECTABLE = UNTRANSMITTABLE







"HIV Viral Load & Transmissibility of HIV Infection: "Undetectable Equals Untransmittable"

Robert Eisinger, PhD; Carl Dieffenbach, PhD; Anthony Fauci, MD January 10, 2019

The U = U concept bridges the best of biomedical science with current concepts in behavioral and social science by removing the sense of fear and guilt that a person may be harming someone else, as well as the feeling of self-imposed and external stigma that many people with HIV experience

# U=U Symposium

#### UNDETECTABLE = UNTRANSMITTABLE

U=U refers to the concept that an individual with an undetectable HIV VL is **incapable** of transmitting their HIV infection to **sexual** partners<sup>1</sup>



Undetectable VL in this context: <20

<200-400 c/ml

#### THE LANCET

"Providers should discuss U=U with all patients living with HIV"

Sarah Calabrese, Kenneth Mayer George Washington University, Washington, DC, USA (SC); and Harvard Medical School and The Fenway Institute, Boston, MA, USA February 13, 2019

With evidence supporting undetectable=untransmittable (U=U) now overwhelming providers should be routinely communicating the message to all of their patients living with HIV

"People who take ART daily as prescribed and achieve and maintain an undetectable viral load have effectively no risk of sexually transmitting the virus to an HIV-negative partner." The U.S. <u>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention</u> (CDC) (September, 2017)

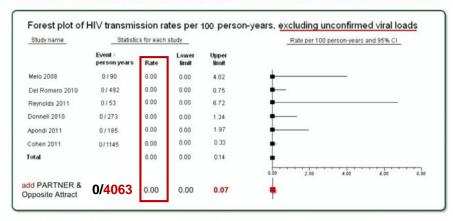
https://www.preventionaccess.org/undetectable

### U=U Scientific Underpinning

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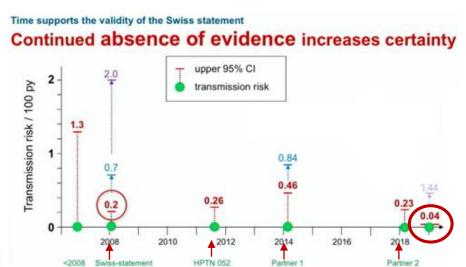
 Provided scientific backdrop to U=U (undetectable in the studies defined as <200-400 c/mL).</li>

#### Zero events, increasing number of observations



Loutfy 2013, PLOS One: Rodger Lancet 2019 in press; Bavinton Lancet HIV, 2018

- So far: not a single documented case of transmission during cART
- Continued absence of evidence is evidence
- All prospective studies evaluating the risk found zero risk!
- Even if risk is not zero, it is < 1:1000 PY</li>



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# Proving the negative Difficult but not impossible

"In some circumstances it can be safely assumed that if a certain event had happened, evidence of it could be discovered by qualified investigators.

In such circumstances, it is perfectly reasonable to take the absence of proof of its occurrence as positive proof of its non-occurrence"

Copi, Introduction to Logic (1953) pg 95

### U=U Scientific Underpinning



### **Areas of Uncertainty:**



**MTCT:** Transmission seen in women with delivery VL <50 (who weren't <50 when got pregnant)

**Breastfeeding:** PROMISE two postnatal transmissions with undetectable maternal VL

### For MTCT/BF, maybe U=U only if:

Undetectable - when get pregnant, throughout pregnancy, at delivery, and throughout breastfeeding



Knowing that I'm not infectious has helped me have a positive feeling about myself because I don't perceive myself as a danger to others. I no longer feel bad about myself.

### Community Voice on U=U

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### U=U IS a Game Changer



Transforms social, sexual, & reproductive lives.



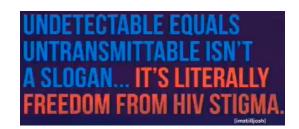
Dismantles HIV stigma.



Encourages getting tested and starting and staying on treatment and in care.



Provides a strong public health argument for eliminating barriers to universal access to care (e.g., the third U = Unequal Access).



#### **Language Matters**

"From a practical standpoint, the risk is zero.

Be **clear** and **consistent** about risk.

VS.

Say:
Can't pass it on
Can't transmit
Effectively no risk
No risk
Zero risk
Prevents HIV

Eliminates onward transmission

Don't say:

Greatly reduces
Extremely unlikely
Nearly impossible
Almost no risk
Close to zero
Helps prevent
Makes it hard to transmit