

**The Strengthening High Impact Interventions for an AIDS-free Generation (AIDSFree) Project** aims to improve the quality and effectiveness of high-impact, evidence-based HIV and AIDS interventions such as PMTCT, VMMC, condom promotion, HTC as a gateway to care and treatment, and other emerging approaches in order to meet country-specific goals and objectives globally.

AIDSFree is a five-year cooperative agreement led by JSI Research & Training Institute, Inc., with partners Abt Associates, Inc., Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation, EnCompass LLC, IMA World Health, the International HIV/AIDS Alliance, Jhpiego Corporation, and PATH.

AIDSFree supports and advances implementation of the U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) through USAID by providing capacity development and technical support to USAID missions, host-country governments, and HIV implementers at the local, regional, and national level.

AIDSFree is funded and managed by USAID's Office of HIV/AIDS. In line with the *PEPFAR Blueprint: Creating an AIDS-free Generation*, AIDSFree translates research findings to programmatic practices,

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**AIDSFree can:**

- Address structural barriers, and identify opportunities to support scale-up or piloting of new approaches in geographic priority areas
- Develop evidence-based tools, protocols, and standard operating procedures
- Monitor and evaluate interventions, support data collection, analysis, and utilization
- Facilitate organizational capacity assessments
- Utilize gender analysis to target appropriate interventions
- Facilitate south-to-south technical exchanges
- Engage the private sector to foster and develop public-private partnerships

enhances further development of technical and organizational capacity to deliver high-impact, evidence-based programs, and disseminates information through traditional, social, and emerging media for scale up of evidence-based combination prevention interventions.

To increase country ownership and program sustainability AIDSFree works closely with government, civil society, and the private sector to address the critical pillars of public health, including human resources for health; technical service delivery; development of evidence-based tools, protocols, and standard operating procedures; quality improvement; demand creation; data collection, analysis and utilization; service delivery; and leadership and management. AIDSFree is also positioned to accept funding from missions to rapidly expand and strengthen HIV interventions and build capacity in the public and civil society sectors

Getting the right technical and programmatic information to policymakers, program planners, and implementers is key to achieving an AIDS-free generation. Building on the momentum of USAID and PEPFAR's investments in ending HIV, AIDSFree fosters effective, well-managed, and sustainable HIV programs.

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