

Survey: National Baseline High Risk Groups and Bridge Population BSS, India 2001: Female Sex Workers

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| Survey Type: | BSS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Year: | 2001/2002 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Start Date: | October 2001 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Implementing: | National AIDS Control Organization, ORG-CSR, India | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Footnote: | [n/a] | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Results

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| Indicators: | <p>4.0.1) Heard of HIV/AIDS (94%)</p> <p>4.1) Knowledge of HIV prevention methods - Composite of 2 components (prompted) (66%)</p> <p>4.1.2) Knowledge of HIV prevention methods - Use of condoms (prompted) (83%)</p> <p>4.1.3) Knowledge of HIV prevention methods - Only one partner (prompted) (76%)</p> <p>4.2) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - Composite of 3 components (29%)</p> <p>4.2.1) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - Healthy-looking person can have the AIDS virus (58%)</p> <p>4.2.2) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - AIDS cannot be transmitted by mosquito bites (66%)</p> <p>4.2.6) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - Cannot become infected by sharing food with someone who has AIDS (63%)</p> <p>5.1) Population requesting an HIV test, receiving a test and receiving test results (25%)</p> <p>5.1.1) Population receiving an HIV test (28%)</p> <p>12.4) Men and women seeking treatment for STIs (63%)</p> |
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| Year: | 2001/2002 | |
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| Respondents: | Female | Male |
| | Respondent: [n/a] | Respondent: Target Groups |
| | Age: [n/a] | Age: 15 - 49 |
| | Sample Size: [n/a] | Sample Size: 5648 |
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Results

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| Indicators: | <p>4.0.1) Heard of HIV/AIDS 96%</p> <p>4.1) Knowledge of HIV prevention methods - Composite of 2 components (prompted) 68%</p> <p>4.1.2) Knowledge of HIV prevention methods - Use of condoms (prompted) 85%</p> <p>4.1.3) Knowledge of HIV prevention methods - Only one partner (prompted) 74%</p> <p>4.2) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - Composite of 3 components 39%</p> <p>4.2.1) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - Healthy-looking person can have the AIDS virus 64%</p> <p>4.2.2) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - AIDS cannot be transmitted by mosquito bites 70%</p> <p>4.2.6) No incorrect beliefs about AIDS - Cannot become infected by sharing food with someone who has AIDS 67%</p> <p>4.5.4) Knowledge of MTCT - During pregnancy 86%</p> <p>4.5.6) Knowledge of MTCT - Through breastfeeding 71%</p> <p>5.1) Population requesting an HIV test, receiving a test and receiving test results 10%</p> <p>5.1.1) Population receiving an HIV test 10%</p> <p>8.1) Higher risk sex in the last year 16%</p> <p>8.2) Condom use at last higher risk sex 33%</p> <p>8.2.1) Condom use at last sex with a spouse or cohabiting partner 18%</p> <p>8.4) Condom use at last commercial sex, reported by client 75%</p> |
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| | 8.6) Higher risk male-male sex in last year 29% |
| | 8.7) Condom use at last anal sex between men 24%, N=174 |
| | 12.4) Men and women seeking treatment for STIs 66% |