

# Combination HIV Prevention Programme

a *free* solution to HIV in the workplace

protect your company and the people  
on whom your company depends



“Combination” implies the use of a multi-pronged approach, as well as integrating existing and new programmes, to ensure maximum impact and avoid duplication and wastage. This involves engaging a wide range of stakeholders, including the Department of Health, employers, unions and community leaders.

## Proven track record

CareWorks has been offering HIV Training and Testing (called the ACT™ Programme) for the past 13 years and has achieved a consistent 85% testing rate. We also assist those who are HIV Positive, infected with other STIs (Sexually Transmitted Infections) or TB in accessing treatment (through counselling and tele-support). We also can facilitate free medical male circumcision using state-of-the-art medical care.

## Targeted approach

The target group for the Programme are mobile males. Recent research shows that hetero-sexual couples in long-term relationships who have sexual encounters outside their established partnership (extra-couple relationships) are one of the main drivers of the HIV epidemic in sub-Saharan Africa. A quarter of people who are HIV Positive have no idea they are infected - and pass on up to 75% of new cases. Heterosexual males are the least likely to be tested.

## Broad objectives

- To prevent/reduce new HIV and TB infections
- To increase the number of people who know and understand their status
- To migrate all people testing HIV Positive to treatment (no ‘lost to follow up’) and keep them adherent (through managing compliance)
- To support, strengthen and improve access to health services for HIV, STIs and TB through Bridge counselling and ongoing support, monitoring and evaluation of the programme

A key focus of the Programme is the promotion and facilitation of medical male circumcision, which has been shown to protect males from contracting HIV during heterosexual sex by 60%.

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