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66th CFA Meeting
14 December 2023

Photo taken during the 124th ACA meeting on 27 October 2023



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Welcome Members of the new term Community Forum on AIDS (CFA)

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Agenda of 66th CFA Meeting

Date : 14 December 2023 (Thursday)
Time : 2:30 pm
Venue : Activity Area, Red Ribbon Centre
2/F, Wang Tau Hom Jockey Club Clinic
200 Junction Road East, Kowloon

Two main items on the Agenda -

- ◆ Proposed schema of operation of Community Forum on AIDS (2023-2026)
- ◆ Results of Street Addict Survey 2023 by the Society for the Aid and Rehabilitation of Drug Abusers

(The first CFA meeting of the new term would be focused on discussing schema of operation of CFA, no observer would be invited to this meeting.)

HIV/AIDS Statistics in Hong Kong - Updated 30 September 2023

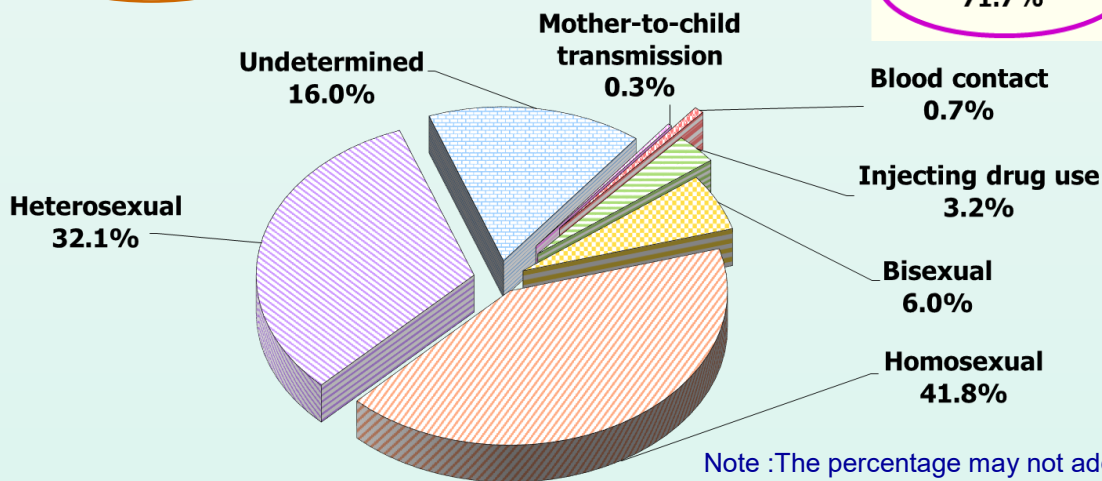
		Q3 2023		Cumulative (since 1984)	
		<u>HIV</u>	<u>AIDS</u>	<u>HIV</u>	<u>AIDS</u>
Sex	Male	92	23	9,792	2,045
	Female	21	5	2,151	424
Ethnicity	Chinese	73	22	8,323	1,907
	Non-Chinese	20	6	3,198	562
	Unknown	20	0	422	0
Route of Transmission	Sexual Contacts	81	25	9,533	2,199
	- <i>Heterosexual</i>	29	13	3,832	1,241
	- <i>Homosexual</i>	43	9	4,989	787
	- <i>Bisexual</i>	9	3	712	171
	Injecting drug use	1	0	381	70
	Blood/blood products recipients	0	0	87	26
	Mother-to-child transmission	1	0	36	11
Undetermined	30	3	1,906	163	
Total		113	28	11,943	2,469



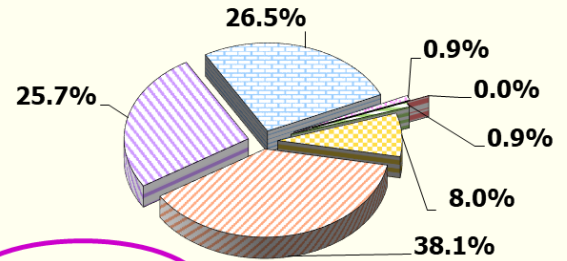
HIV/AIDS Statistics

Routes of transmission of HIV infection
1984 – September 2023 (N=11943)

Sexual contact :
79.8%



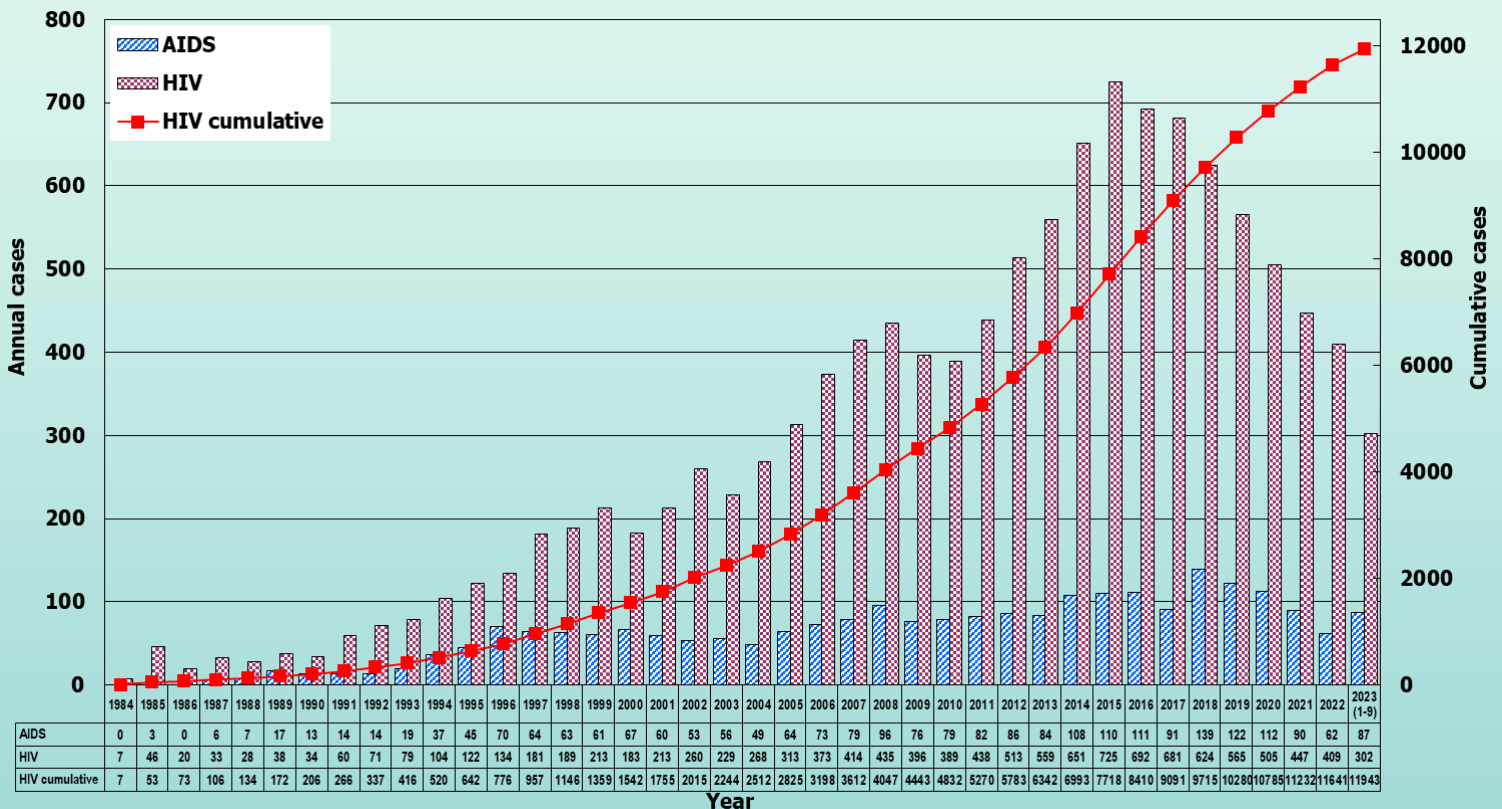
Year 2023 (Jul – Sep), n=113



Sexual contact:
71.7%

Annual HIV/AIDS Statistics

1984 – September 2023, Hong Kong (N=11943/2469)



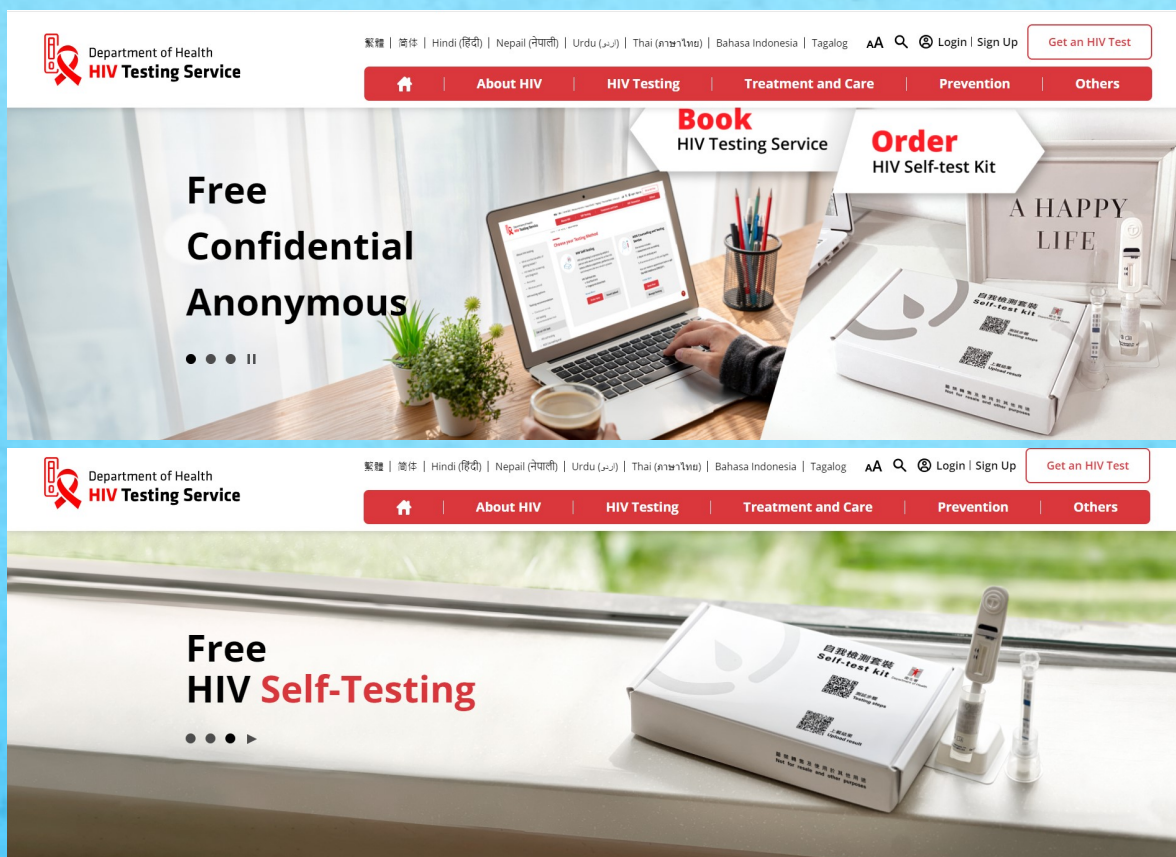
World AIDS Campaign 2023

In support of World AIDS Day, Red Ribbon Centre (RRC) has arranged a HIV Testing Service promotion vehicle themed “For your health, Get tested” to visit various locations in Hong Kong in December to raise public awareness of AIDS, promote HIV testing services and appeal to the public to care about people living with AIDS.

Featuring cartoons and games, the promotion vehicle enlightens the public about the mode of transmission and preventive measures of HIV, and promotes the importance of HIV testing in an interesting way.



The promotion vehicle also showcases DH’s new HIV Testing Service website (www.hivtest.gov.hk). In addition to the existing feature to make reservations of AIDS Counselling and Testing Service (ACTS), the new website provides an enhanced function for ordering HIV self-test kits, so as to promote HIV testing, the gateway to treatment, prevention and care, essential to achieve “the first 95” of the United Nations’ 95-95-95 targets.



Gay Games Hong Kong 2023 & Hong Kong Pride Parade 2023

On 10 November 2023, Red Ribbon Centre (RRC) hosted a booth at the Festival Village of a large-scale LGBT event “Gay Game Hong Kong 2023” held in the AIA Vitality Park. Visitors to the booth could participate in interactive games and activities designed to teach them facts about HIV/AIDS while debunking common misconceptions.



On 18 November 2023, RRC hosted a booth at “Hong Kong Pride Parade 2023”, a significant LGBT event held in the Wave, to promote safer sex practices and raise awareness about the concept of U=U (Undetectable equals Untransmittable). A total of 510 condoms and over 400 giveaway items were distributed.

