



PrEP

Community Opportunities and Challenges  
March 10, 2014 - San Francisco






  
**My PrEP  
experience**

  
**RSP**  
*PROJECT READY.SET.PrEP!*

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**PrEP  
vs.  
Condoms**



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# Agree/Disagree

You can be  
pro-PrEP,  
pro-condoms  
& pro-choice  
at the same  
time.



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An advertisement for the Chicago Female Condom Campaign. On the left is a cartoon mascot of a muscular, yellow, dog-like creature wearing sunglasses and a red bow tie, pointing towards the right. In the center is a photograph of a female condom. Above the photo is the text "chicago female condom campaign put a ring on it!" in a stylized, colorful font. At the bottom right is the RSP logo, which consists of the letters "RSP" in a bold, blue font with a red and yellow graphic element to the left.



Truvada as PrEP

Is the first HIV prevention strategy

fully controlled by the receptive partner



STOP USING CONDOMS?

NO!

Meme by Pedro Alonso Serrano

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## Agree/Disagree

Truvada, like  
all HIV drugs,  
has a lot  
of side  
effects.



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## Allegra side effects (34)

- vomiting
- back pain
- body aches or pain
- chills
- coughing
- diarrhea
- difficulty with moving
- dizziness
- ear congestion
- earache
- fever
- headache
- joint pain
- loss of voice
- muscle aching or cramping
- muscle pains or stiffness
- nasal congestion
- nausea
- pain in arms or legs
- pain or tenderness around eyes or cheekbones
- painful menstrual bleeding
- redness or swelling in ear
- ringing or buzzing in ears
- runny or stuffy nose
- sleepiness or unusual drowsiness
- sneezing
- sore throat
- stomach upset
- swollen joints
- unusual feeling of tiredness or weakness
- viral infection (such as cold and flu)
- nervousness
- rash
- sleeplessness



*I did experience **severe heart burn** lying in bed at night on days 1 to 8, but that has **completely resolved**. As to my mental health, it's like a huge weight has been removed from my shoulders and my anxiety has markedly decreased in my life.*

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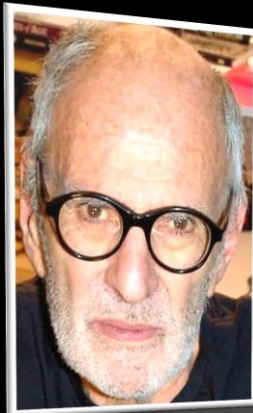
## Agree/Disagree

Wanting to feel  
pleasure and intimacy  
are weak  
arguments  
for not  
using condoms.



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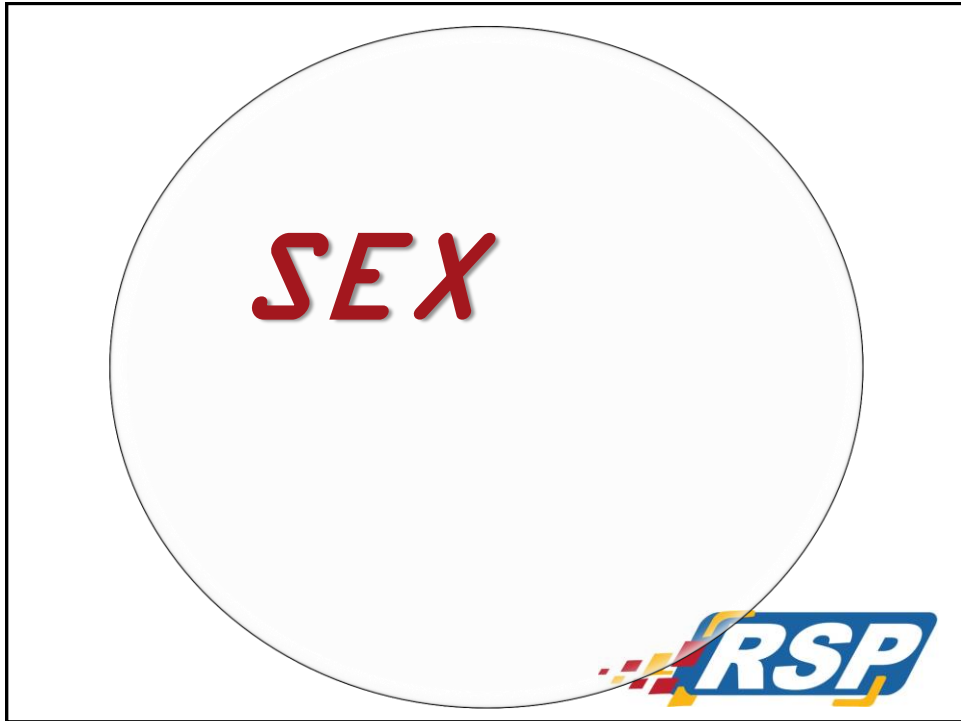


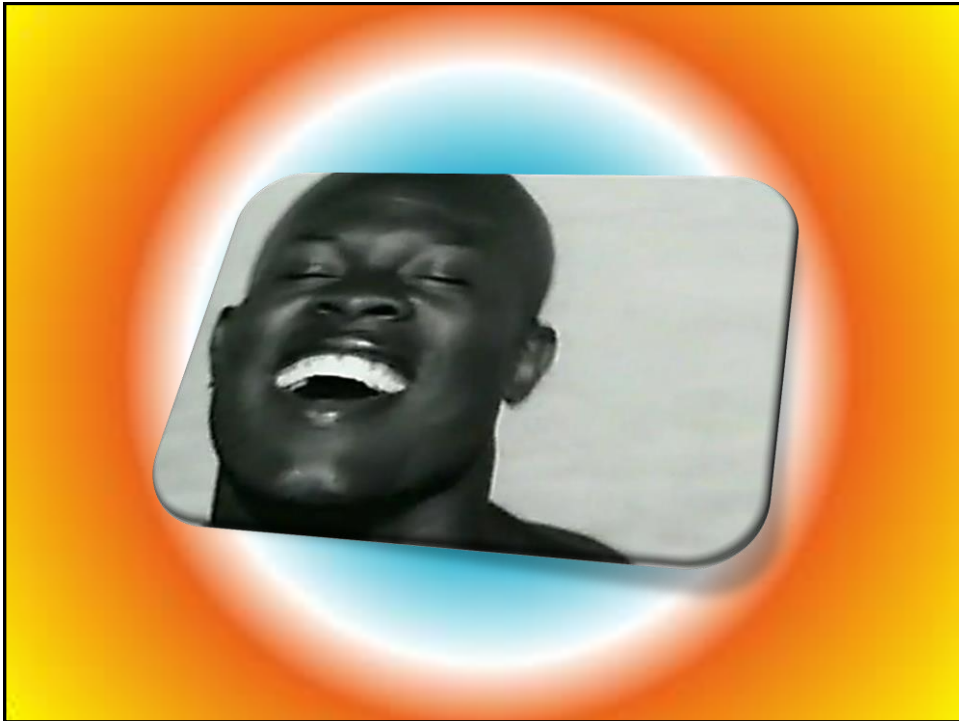


***The only important thing to know and do is always wear a condom.***

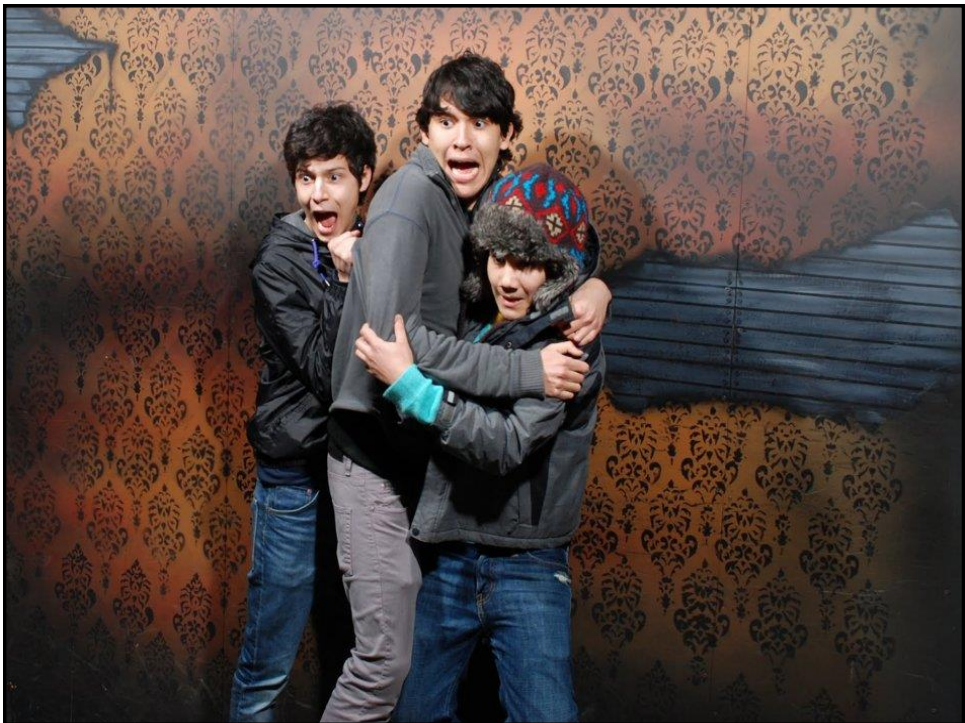
**- Larry Kramer**













*As someone under 30, I  
can say that I've only  
known a world that is  
full of fear...*

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*The guys these sensible health care folks are trying to reach (non condom users) are not sensible. They are self-identified idiots who can only be saved by a vaccine.*

- Dan Savage



**OrwellsDead** posted on 01/08/2014 07:39 AM

@Jim Pickett "ALWAYS been interested in HIV prevention ..." --- not, apparently, on the night you were infected, however. But keep trying, Jim.

5 reply · like · report



**Andy Jones** @krunk1980

Jim Pickett is a shill for Gilead @CDC\_HIVAIDS. #NGMHAAD  
#HOA #ShareReasons #HIV

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## Gay-on-Gay Shaming: The New HIV War

Here are salvos from a new battle: **Calling a young, HIV-negative gay man a "Truvada whore" simply for choosing a prevention option with a higher efficacy rate than condoms** ... Turning to the police when you find out the guy that just jilted you is HIV-positive. Putting "I'm clean, ub2" in your online profile ...

– Peter Staley in HuffPo 2/28/14



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**Paul Wright** I'm sick of truvada whores and they all act so above us with HIV! I hope they all learn if it wasn't for us long term survivors they wouldn't be able to be unsafe! What assholes!!

Like · Reply · 21 hours ago



*...There is a constant message that condoms are the only way, and if you slip up or choose not to use them, you're dirty, toxic, unsafe, evil, and reckless.*

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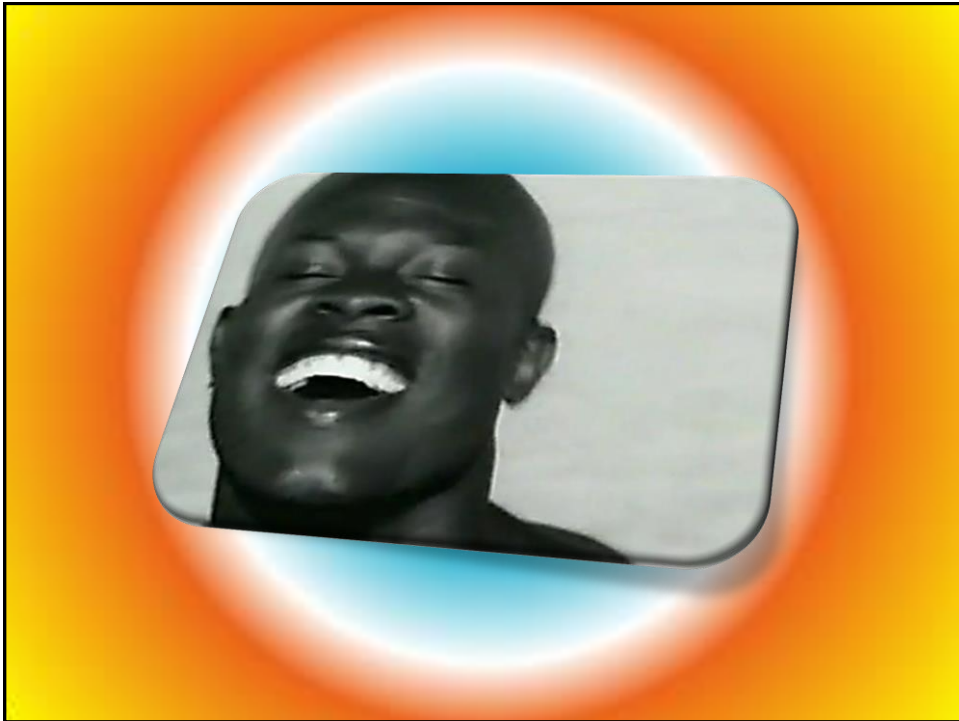
**Pleasure.**



**Intimacy.**



**Love.**



I am not a whore.  
I prefer the term  
'penis enthusiast.'

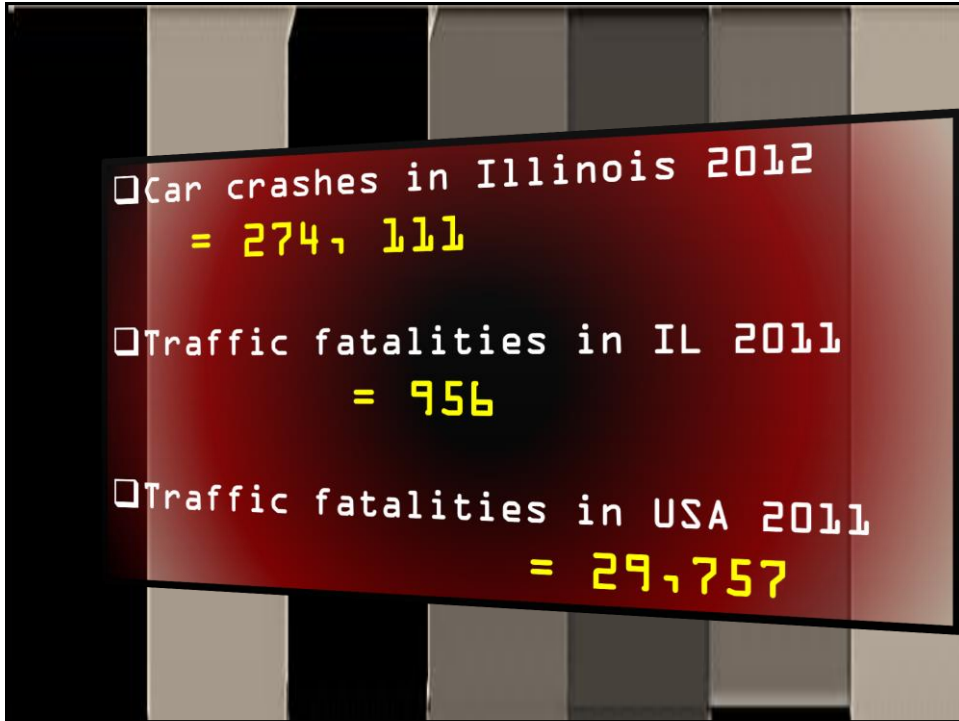




*The fear culture has killed intimacy for many men, and I believe that PrEP offers a new way for people to better manage their risk and their sex lives.*

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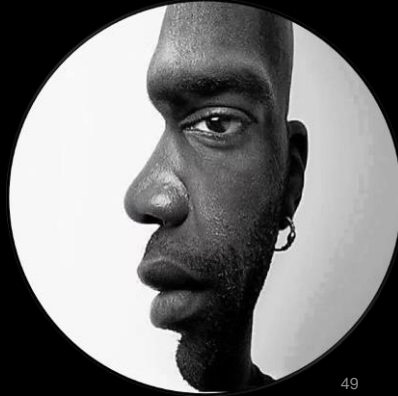
Did you think seatbelts  
were perfect?



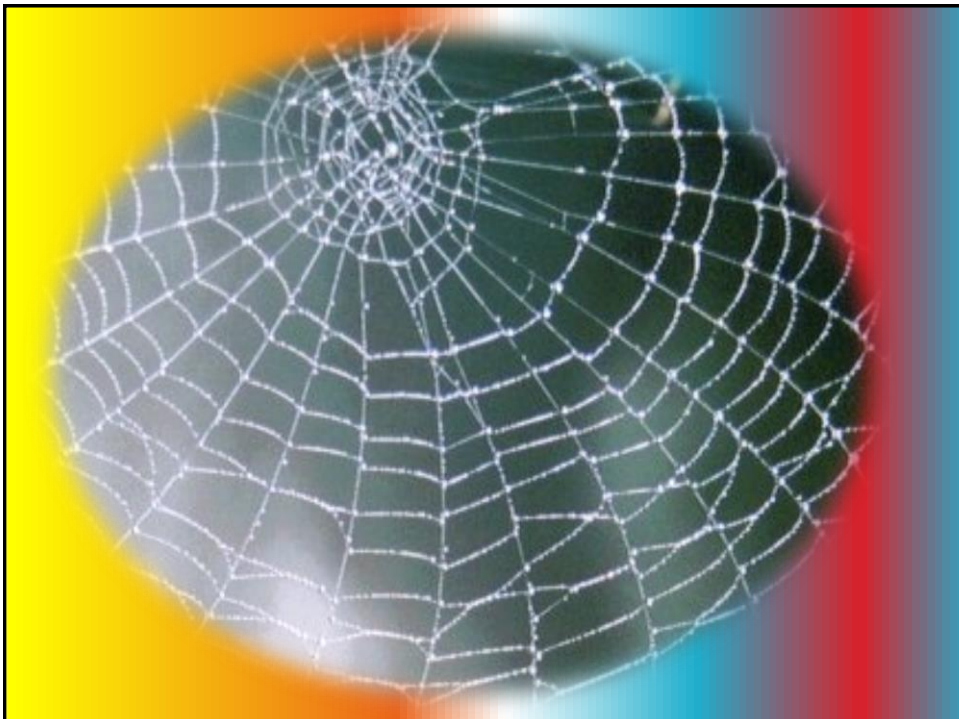


## Agree/Disagree

I value driving,  
and being driven.  
The benefits  
outweigh  
the risks.



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**More info,  
materials**

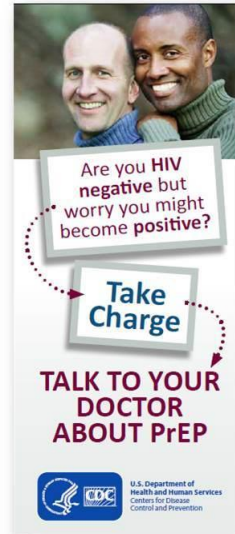


## Handy brochure

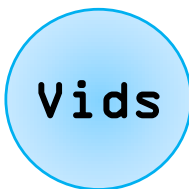
Designed to help individuals talk to their doctors about PrEP

- ✓ Before, during, after visit
- ✓ Questions to ask
- ✓ Web resources

[http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/risk\\_PrEP\\_TalkingtoDr\\_FINALcleared.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/risk_PrEP_TalkingtoDr_FINALcleared.pdf)



ProjectInform.org/PrEP



WhatisPrEP.org



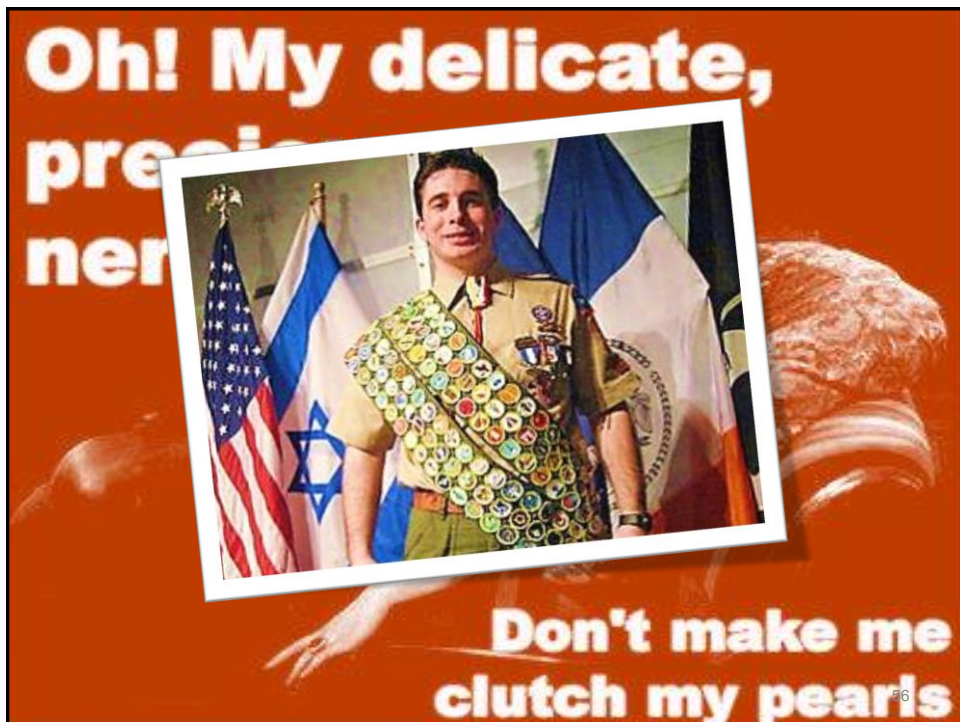
tinyurl.com/PrEPbyKLB





## Web resources on PrEP

- [MyPrEPexperience.blogspot.com](http://MyPrEPexperience.blogspot.com) (AFC)
- [facebook.com/ProjectRSP](https://facebook.com/ProjectRSP) (AFC)
- [truvada.com](http://truvada.com) (Gilead site)
- [projectinform.org/prep](http://projectinform.org/prep) (Project Inform)
- [PrEPwatch.org](http://PrEPwatch.org) (AVAC and partners)
- [PrEPfacts.org](http://PrEPfacts.org) (San Francisco AIDS Foundation)
- [whatisPrEP.org](http://whatisPrEP.org) (Stroger Hospital)
- [facebook.com/groups/PrEPFacts](https://facebook.com/groups/PrEPFacts) (Damon Jacobs)





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- Satellite Session Deadline  
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- Early Registration Deadline  
4 July 2014
- Standard Registration Deadline  
26 September 2014
- Latebreaker Abstract Submission  
1 – 17 August 2014

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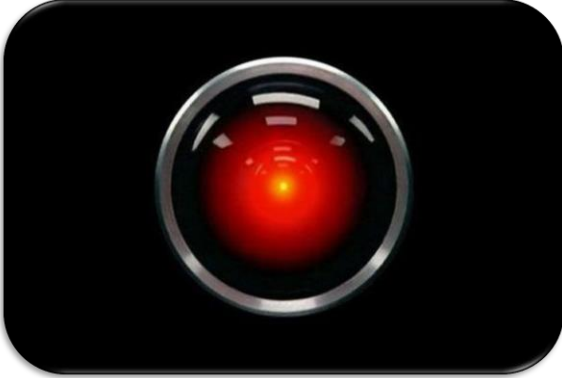
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