



- Outdoor clinic with 2200 patients
- 60 % MSM
- 40 % heterosexual
- 18 doctors /7 counselors / 1 social worker



Recruitment for partner study since 2010

- 28 couples included
 - 9 heterosexual couples
 - 17 MSM couples
 - (4 couples stopped the study)
 - 1 couple moved to another place
 - 2 couples separeted
 - 1 couple stopped due to lack of time



Problems we ran into

- HIV neg doesn't want to participate
- Patients don't believe in the EB of studies
- · Seks is not discussed with every patient
- · Counselors are not suseptible for studies
- Patient doesn't want to encumber their partners



How to continue with partner2

- Repeat the patner study during hiv- counselor meetings
- Up date your anamnesis each year
- Talk about seks
- Ask patients who didn't want to be included in the past if they are willing to participate now
- Be good prepared when you start your consulting hours.
- Know where your study documents are.
- Be creative if patient is treated in another hospital
- Be creative if patner is living abroad or doesn't want to come to the hospital
- Newsletter for the participants to keep them motivated



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