

FACT SHEET 13 DISCLOSURE OF HIV STATUS



MALE CALL PARTICIPANTS WERE ASKED...

When is the best time for an HIV-positive man to disclose his HIV status to a new sexual partner?

WHEN THEY FIRST MEET

56.2%

BEFORE ANY NON-PENETRATIVE SEX (E.G. MUTUAL MASTURBATION)

25.9%

BEFORE ANY PENETRATIVE SEX (E.G. ORAL OR ANAL) WITH A CONDOM

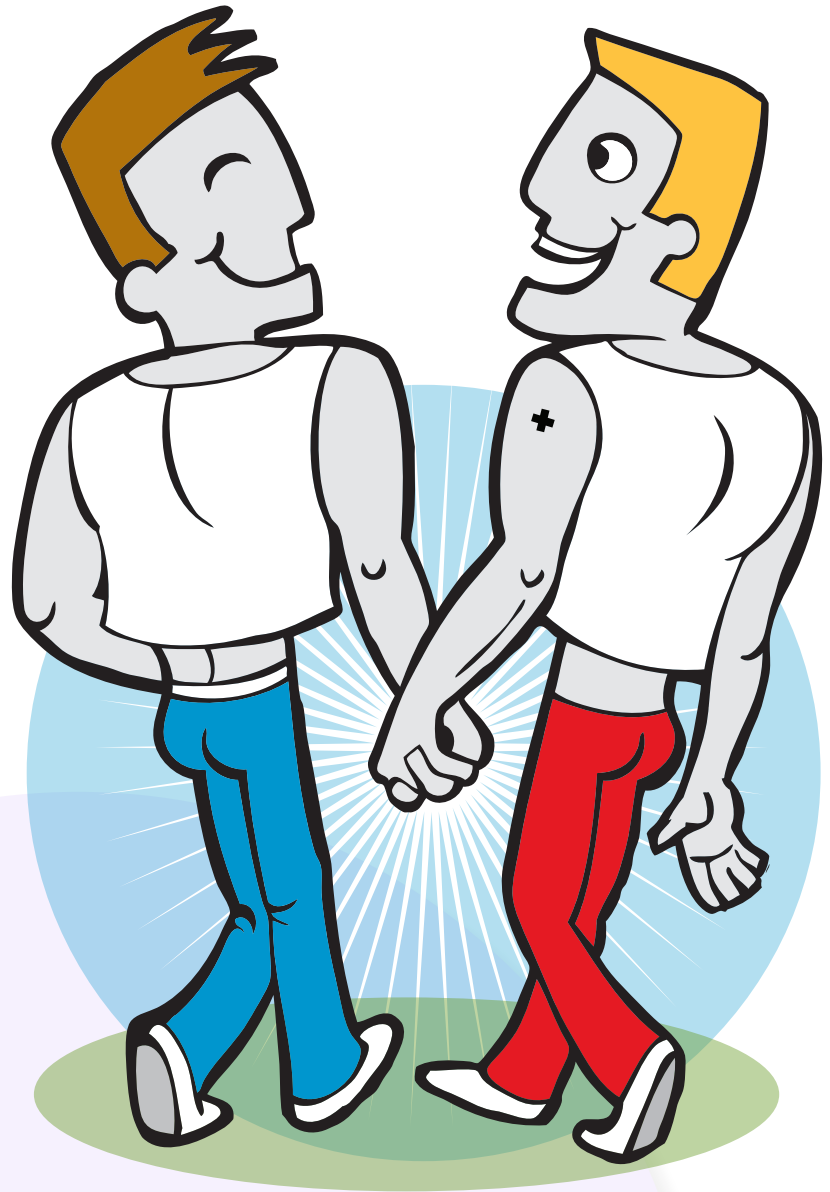
11.9%

BEFORE ANY PENETRATIVE SEX (E.G. ORAL OR ANAL) WITHOUT A CONDOM

5.1%

NEVER

0.9%



EXPECTATIONS

84.5% expected a casual sexual partner to say if he is HIV-positive.

71.4% expected a casual sexual partner to say if he did not know his HIV status.

62.5% expected a casual sexual partner to say if he is HIV-negative.

**IMPORTANCE OF KNOWING A PARTNER'S HIV STATUS
BEFORE ENGAGING IN THE FOLLOWING SEXUAL ACTS**

96.3%

before unprotected anal sex.

84.4%

before protected anal sex.

75.4%

before oral sex.

43.3%

before mutual masturbation.

