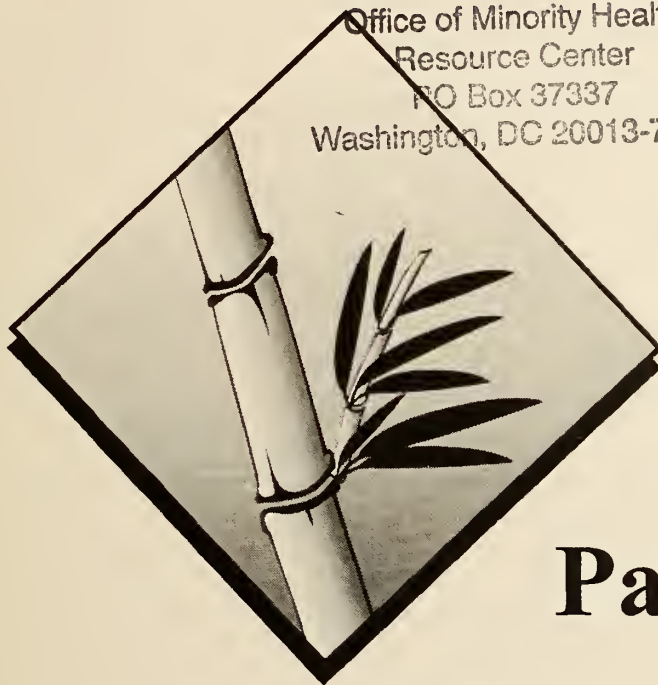


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Introduction

HIV/AIDS and Asians and Pacific Islanders

Materials in this search focus on various aspects of HIV prevention and education as they relate to members of the Asian and Pacific Islander communities. It includes materials that specifically target these communities as well as general materials produced in Asian and Pacific Islander languages. You can use materials listed in this search to train professionals working with these communities about HIV prevention; to educate Asians and Pacific Islanders about HIV prevention; or as background research information.

This database search is drawn from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse's Educational Materials Database. The Educational Materials Database is a unique collection of information about hard-to-find educational materials on HIV and AIDS. It includes more than 17,000 descriptions of brochures, directories, manuals, books, posters, reports, studies, teaching guides, sound recordings, videotapes, and other prevention materials. It includes materials for a variety of audiences as well as items that focus on different aspects of HIV infection.

The information in this database search is organized by format; e.g. brochures, posters, and videorecordings. Within each format type, the entries are sorted by year, with the most recent items listed first, and then alphabetically by title. To order a copy of an item listed in the database search, check the **Availability** section of the entry. Some items are available from the Clearinghouse's Document Delivery service or Publications Distribution service, and all are available directly from the designated vendors. The order form is for CDC NAC materials only.

The Standard Search Series

The Clearinghouse offers the Standard Search Series to provide you with up-to-date information on a variety of key HIV/AIDS-related topics. Each database search is reviewed annually. The searches in this series provide only a sampling of the most recent materials focusing on selected topics. With the exception of a few landmark pieces, only materials published in 1993 or later are included.

If you are interested in locating additional HIV/AIDS information, we invite you to contact the Clearinghouse for a customized search.

Standard Search Topics

- Children and Families and HIV/AIDS
- Condoms, Safer Sex, and Risk Reduction: HIV Prevention Materials
- Educational Materials About HIV/AIDS and Sexually Transmitted Diseases
- HIV/AIDS and Abstinence
- HIV/AIDS and Adolescents: Materials for Parents and Educators
- HIV/AIDS and African Americans
- HIV/AIDS and Asians and Pacific Islanders
- HIV/AIDS and Hispanics
- HIV/AIDS and Incarcerated Populations
- HIV/AIDS and Infection Control
- HIV/AIDS and Issues In Pediatric Care
- HIV/AIDS and Native Americans and Alaska Natives
- HIV/AIDS and Nutrition
- HIV/AIDS and Substance Abuse
- HIV/AIDS and Tuberculosis
- HIV/AIDS and Women
- HIV/AIDS and Women Who Have Sex With Women
- HIV/AIDS Educational Materials for Adolescents
- HIV/AIDS Educational Materials Produced in Spanish
- HIV Prevention and Men Who Have Sex With Men
- HIV Prevention Community Planning: Linking Groups With Proven Technical Resources

CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse

The CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse is the nation's reference, referral, and distribution service for HIV/AIDS-related information. The Clearinghouse collects, organizes, and disseminates materials and information on HIV infection to people and organizations working in the field of HIV/AIDS. All of the Clearinghouse's services are designated to facilitate sharing of information and resources on education and prevention services, published materials, research findings, and trends among Clearinghouse users.

To accomplish its mission, the Clearinghouse offers a number of specialized services including:

- Comprehensive reference and referral services
- Access to databases
- Electronic bulletin board (CDC NAC ONLINE)
- Fax on demand service (NAC FAX)
- Publications distribution
- Business and Labor Resource Service (BLRS)
- AIDS Clinical Trials Information Service (ACTIS)
- HIV/AIDS Treatment Information Service (ATIS)
- Internet services

Clearinghouse staff serve a diverse network of people who work in HIV/AIDS in international, national, state, and local settings.

Other Databases

Resources and Services Database (RDIR) has descriptions of more than 19,000 organizations that provide HIV and AIDS prevention, education, and social services. Included are public health departments, community-based organizations, hospitals, clinics, religious organizations, and professional associations.

Funding Database (FUND) includes private and government funding opportunities for community-based and HIV/AIDS service organizations. Included are details about eligibility requirements, application processes, and deadlines.

Comprehensive School Health Education Database (CSHD) is produced by the Division of Adolescent and School Health of CDC's National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion. Included in the database is information on resources to help educate children and young adults about HIV and AIDS.

AIDS Daily Summary Database (NEWS) consists of abstracts of HIV/AIDS-related articles from major newspapers, wire services, medical journals, and news magazines.

Conference Database (CONF) describes international, national, state, and local HIV/AIDS-related meetings, seminars, and workshops.

CDC *Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR)* Database includes all HIV/AIDS-related articles issued in the MMWR series.

Periodicals Database (PERD) contains bibliographic information for HIV/AIDS-related newsletters and journals.

Federal Information Database (INFO) includes Federal press releases and statements on HIV/AIDS.

How To Get Copies Of Materials

To order copies of the materials listed in this search, please contact the organization or individual listed under the **Availability** section of each item. The Clearinghouse provides copies of **only** those materials listed as available from the CDC NAC (see order form, last page). Journal articles can be found in your local university or medical library.

Photocopies of single copies of selected items are also available through our Document Delivery Service for a small handling charge. The Document Delivery Service is important for users who want to obtain copies of materials that are no longer available from their original distributor and for users who would like to see a photocopy of an item available through another distributor before ordering copies. To help you identify these materials, a special note has been included in the availability section of the record of each item, as shown below:

ACCESSION NO: AD0003598.

TITLE: HIV Infection: Early Intervention and Treatment. A New Perspective.

PRODUCER: Center for Special Immunology Corporate Headquarters.

PUBLISHER: Ft. Lauderdale, FL: Center for Special Immunology Corporate Headquarters.

YEAR: 1989.

AUDIENCE: HIV Positive Persons. Persons with AIDS.

ABSTRACT: This brochure discusses early intervention in Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection through antiviral agents, opportunistic infection-prevention measures, and early diagnosis and treatment of HIV-related cancers. Antibody testing is described, particularly the meaning of its results. Persons who test positive are encouraged to seek early care.

AVAILABILITY: Center for Special Immunology Corporate Headquarters 1625 SE 3rd Ave., Ste. 600 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316. (305) 767-9444.

A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service P.O. Box 6003 Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.00. Use order form.

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): col.

If you would like to order a copy of any item available through the Clearinghouse please use the order form on the last page or call 1-800-458-5231 and press 2 when you hear the options menu.

Abbreviations used in Description field Throughout This Search

b&w black and white

col. color

gloss. glossary

ill. illustrated

in. inch

mono. monochrome

refs. references

sd. sound

v. volume

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Books

- TITLE:** Candles of Hope: The AIDS Programme of the Thai Red Cross Society.
- AUTHOR:** Sittitrai, W.; Williams, G.
- PRODUCER:** ActionAid. Thai Red Cross Society Program on AIDS. United Nations Development Programme, HIV and Development Programme.
- SERIES:** *Strategies for Hope*; No. 9.
- YEAR:** 1994.
- AUDIENCE:** Health Professionals. Community Service Professionals. Advocates. Asians. Organizations.
- ABSTRACT:** The humanitarian projects of the Thai Red Cross (TRC) are described in this book which highlights their efforts to combat AIDS and defend human rights. Fear, confusion, and rejection exist in the medical community in Thailand, and people are not seeking medical treatment for these reasons. Initially, the Thai government used a fear-based approach to HIV and made it a "notifiable disease;" now, however, a National AIDS Prevention and Control Committee (NAPCC) has a five-year plan to reduce HIV transmission and promote understanding among the population. In order to help people cope with health and psychological concerns, the projects of the TRC include an anonymous clinic for testing and counseling, an immune system clinic for treatment and physical examinations, a pediatric clinic for medical care and parent support, and the Wednesday Friends' Club for group support. Future TRC projects involve outpatient care and home-based therapy to ease the burden on the hospitals. Throughout the book, personal histories of people infected and affected by AIDS are presented. An appendix contains the NAPCC AIDS brochure.
- AVAILABILITY:** Thai Red Cross Society, Program on AIDS, 1871 Rama IV Rd., Bangkok, 10330, Thailand. (011) 256-4107. Free for organizations in Thailand.
- United Nations Development Programme, Regional Project on HIV/AIDS, P.O. Box 3059, New Delhi, 110003, India. Free for organizations elsewhere in Asia.
- TALC, P.O. Box 49, St. Albans, AL1 4AX, United Kingdom. (0)727 853869. Free for organizations elsewhere in the world.
- A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$7.25.*
- DESCRIPTION:** 47 p.: b&w, ill., graphs, refs.
- NOTES:** Copyrighted.
- ACCESSION NO:** ADO017063.

Brochures

- TITLE:** The End of Health Care for Immigrants? The Impact of Pending Immigrant Benefits Disqualifications on Asian and Pacific Islander American Health and the Health of the Public.
- AUTHOR:** Sun, D.
- PRODUCER:** Asian and Pacific Islander, American Health Forum, Empowerment through Training and Technical Assistance Program.
- YEAR:** 1996.
- AUDIENCE:** Community Service Professionals. Advocates. Immigrants, Refugees. Community Organizations.

ABSTRACT: This brochure explains the impact that the passage of the Immigration in the National Interest Act (H.R.2202) and the Immigration Control and Financial Responsibility Act (S.1664) will have on Asian and Pacific Islander (A/PI) Americans. This pending legislation contains immigrant benefits disqualifications. These will function through the extension of deeming requirement to current immigrants. Deeming is a process in which an immigrant's sponsor's income is combined with the immigrant's in determining the immigrant's eligibility to receive services. In the pending legislation, this process will be extended to include anyone immigrating since 1992. Up to 10 percent of A/PI immigrants will lose health insurance if this legislation is enacted. A/PI populations have a critical need for preventive services and screening and testing. Many vulnerable members of this population will be disqualified from receiving these critical services. The impact will be greatest among the elderly, women, and children. It is expected that the legislation will have a direct impact on the incidence of chronic diseases, infectious diseases (including hepatitis B, tuberculosis, and HIV/AIDS), and domestic violence; mental health; and reproductive health.

AVAILABILITY: Asian and Pacific Islander American Health Forum, Empowerment through Training and Technical Assistance Program, 116 New Montgomery St., Suite 531, San Francisco, CA 94105. (415) 541-0866.

DESCRIPTION: 11 p.: b&w, graph, refs., tables.

ACCESSION NO: AD0020106.

TITLE: **Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) in Our Life (translated title).**

FOREIGN TITLE: **Benh AIDS Trong Doi Song Chung Ta.**

PRODUCER: Canadian Public Health Association, National AIDS Clearinghouse.

YEAR: 1995.

LANGUAGE: Vietnamese.

AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This fictional story is designed to inform the Vietnamese reader about HIV and AIDS. The main characters, Thu and Tam, a married couple, and Tuan, Thu's younger brother, have been living together in Canada for seven years. Tam had been an injecting drug user (IDU) before he married Thu, and he now has been feeling unwell, with fevers and swollen glands. Tam and Thu visit a clinic, where Laura, who is an AIDS counselor, explains the HIV-antibody test. She discusses what HIV and AIDS are, what the symptoms are, and how HIV can and cannot be transmitted. Laura tells them about safer sex, and urges them to always use a condom. Myths about casual contact transmission are dispelled. When Tam finds out that he is indeed HIV-positive, they seek the support of Tuan, as well as an HIV support group, for emotional support. The booklet concludes by posing questions for the reader about the quality of their lives, and urges the reader not to be confused by cultural and linguistic differences, but to become informed about HIV and AIDS.

AVAILABILITY: Canadian Public Health Association, National AIDS Clearinghouse, 1565 Carling Ave., Suite 400, Ottawa, K1Z 8R1, Canada. (613) 725-3769.

DESCRIPTION: 14 p.: col., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017755.

TITLE: The Common Symptoms of AIDS.
PRODUCER: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program.
YEAR: 1995.
LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.
AUDIENCE: Asians.
ABSTRACT: This brochure describes the common symptoms of AIDS. It reminds readers that symptoms may differ from person to person, but there are several common early stage symptoms. The brochure mentions that only HIV-antibody testing can verify the presence of infection and recurring yeast infections may indicate HIV infection in women.
AVAILABILITY: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program, 480 Broadway, 2nd Fl., New York, NY 10013. (212) 941-0030.
SPONSOR: New York Department of Health, Office of Public Health, AIDS Institute (State).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono.
ACCESSION NO: ADOO18967.

TITLE: If You Want to Prevent AIDS, You Gotta Know About AIDS.
EDITION: Revised, March 1995.
PRODUCER: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program.
YEAR: 1995.
LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.
AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.
ABSTRACT: This brochure reminds Asian Americans that they are not immune to HIV infection. It lists methods of transmission and prevention. Advice on prevention includes using condoms and avoiding drugs, anal sex, and sex with multiple partners.
AVAILABILITY: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program, 480 Broadway, 2nd Fl., New York, NY 10013. (212) 941-0030.
SPONSOR: New York Department of Health, AIDS Institute (Non Government).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono.
ACCESSION NO: ADOO14841.

TITLE: Multi-Lingual Multi-Cultural HIV/AIDS Booklet for Asian/Pacific Islanders of Chicago.
PRODUCER: Asian American AIDS Foundation.
YEAR: 1995.
LANGUAGE: Cambodian. Chinese. English. Gujarati. Japanese. Korean. Lao. Malaysian. Tagalog. Thai. Urdu. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Minorities.
ABSTRACT: This brochure provides basic information on HIV prevention for Asian/Pacific Islanders (APIs). The brochure explains how HIV is and is not transmitted. Free, confidential, and anonymous testing centers available to APIs in the Chicago area are listed. The symptoms and progression of HIV are summarized, and suggestions for protecting oneself from infection are presented. The booklet includes a glossary of terms printed in English, API HIV/AIDS resources, and an evaluation form.

AVAILABILITY: Asian American AIDS Foundation, 1312 Wenneniac, Chicago, IL 60640.
(312) 784-1310.
SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Minority Health
(Federal).
DESCRIPTION: 32 p.: b&w, ill., gloss.
ACCESSION NO: AD0019824.

TITLE: AIDS? (translated title)
PRODUCER: Asian Pacific AIDS Education Project. Korean Health Education, Information and Referral Center.
YEAR: 1994.
LANGUAGE: Korean.
AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.
ABSTRACT: This brochure provides basic information on HIV and AIDS. It discusses what AIDS is, who can get AIDS, and what causes AIDS. Information on transmission and prevention is offered. The symptoms of AIDS are given. The brochure provides tips on staying healthy, discusses the HIV-antibody test, and provides phone numbers for additional information.
AVAILABILITY: Korean Health Education, Information and Referral Center, 545 D. Gramercy Place, Los Angeles, CA 90020. (213) 427-4000.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.40.
SPONSOR: Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, AIDS Programs (County).
DESCRIPTION: 10 p.: mono.
ACCESSION NO: AD0011904.

TITLE: Asian & Pacific Islander Women & HIV/AIDS.
PRODUCER: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team.
YEAR: 1994.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Women.
ABSTRACT: This brochure, aimed at Asian and Pacific Islander women, describes HIV transmission, safer sex practices, and negotiating safer sex. It explains condom and dental dam usage, as well as how to create a dental dam from a condom. The brochure mentions that HIV symptoms in men and women are different. It urges women to seek medical attention for gynecological conditions such as sexually transmitted diseases, vaginal warts, genital herpes, and chronic vaginal yeast infections, as well as abnormal pap smears.
AVAILABILITY: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team, 1313 W. 8th St., Suite 224, Los Angeles, CA 90017. (213) 353-6055.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.00.
SPONSOR: Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, AIDS Programs (County).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0017654.

TITLE: HIV Is a Serious Health Issue Affecting Our Community.

PRODUCER: Asian Society for the Intervention of AIDS.

SERIES: *Open Your Eyes.*

YEAR: 1994.

AUDIENCE: Asians. Community Organizations.

ABSTRACT: This brochure discusses HIV prevention among Asian populations. It reminds the reader that HIV can infect people regardless of race, age, sexual orientation, or gender, and urges the use of condoms and water-based lubricants every time sexual contact is made. Needle sharing is also discouraged. The brochure lists common opportunistic infections associated with HIV/AIDS. Families, friends, and persons living with HIV/AIDS are also encouraged to get support.

AVAILABILITY: Asian Society for the Intervention of AIDS, 507 1033 Davie St., Vancouver, BC, Canada V6E 1M7. (604) 669-5567. (604) 669-7756 (Fax).

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (8 p.): col., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0018676.

TITLE: Moving Mountains; GAPA Community HIV Project Five Year Retrospective 1994.

PRODUCER: Gay Asian Pacific Alliance, Community HIV Project.

YEAR: 1994.

AUDIENCE: Community Service Professionals. Asians. Community Organizations.

ABSTRACT: This brochure presents a 5-year retrospective, from 1994, of the activities and services provided by the GAPA Community HIV Project (GCHP), a comprehensive program of support and prevention services directed to the needs of Asian and Pacific Islander communities in San Francisco, CA. Using the theme of the Foolish Old Man who "moves mountains" through his perseverance, the brochure outlines some of GCHP's efforts in the following areas: volunteerism, community involvement, and skills building; the Living Well Group and other community support programs, which focus on cultural sensitivity and family relationships; and assisting clients in using Qi Gong and acupuncture resources to complement Western medicine.

AVAILABILITY: Gay Asian Pacific Alliance, Community HIV Project, San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 575-3939.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.60.

DESCRIPTION: 14 p.: col., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017989.

TITLE: Please Read... Here Is Important Health Information for Korean Americans. (translated title)

PRODUCER: Asian and Pacific Islander Coalition on HIV/AIDS.

YEAR: 1994.

LANGUAGE: English. Korean.

AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This brochure alerts Korean Americans to the issues they need to know about HIV infection and AIDS, and reminds them that being Korean American does not protect them from disease. It also reminds them that the United States government requires all potential immigrants to be tested for HIV. The brochure provides basic information: what is AIDS; how can HIV be transmitted; and how can this be prevented? It explains that HIV can not be spread through casual contact, such as hugging, shaking hands, or sharing living quarters. It assures the reader that the use of sterile tools can make acupuncture, ear piercing, and dentistry risk-free. The HIV antibody test is described, and early symptoms of infection are given. The brochure explains the concept of safer sex and describes a condom and how to use it. The brochure cautions about HIV transmission during pregnancy, and provides organization names to contact for further information.

AVAILABILITY: Asian and Pacific Islander Coalition on HIV/AIDS, 275 7th Ave., 12 Fl., New York, NY 10001-6708. (212) 620-7287.

SPONSOR: New York City Department of Health (City). New York City AIDS Fund, c/o New York Community Trust (Non Government).

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (8 p.): col., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0016856.

TITLE: Should I Take the Test?
FOREIGN TITLE: Dapat ba Akong Magpasuri? (Tagalog title) Toi Can Nen Thu Nghiem Khong? (Vietnamese title)

PRODUCER: AIDS Project Los Angeles.
YEAR: 1994.
LANGUAGE: Cambodian. Chinese. English. Japanese. Korean. Tagalog. Thai. Vietnamese
AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.

ABSTRACT: This brochure discusses HIV-antibody tests and provides guidelines for decisionmaking for those who have received blood transfusions, engaged in possibly risky sexual behaviors, shared intravenous needles, or are considering pregnancy. Concerns about the confidentiality of test results are addressed, and guidelines for reducing risk are provided.

AVAILABILITY: *A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.10.*

SPONSOR: California Department of Health Services (State).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (8 p.): col., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0002728.

TITLE: Take Care for Our Health: The GAPA Community HIV Project.

PRODUCER: Gay Asian Pacific Alliance, Community HIV Project.
YEAR: 1994.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Homosexuals. Bisexuals.

ABSTRACT: This brochure, targeting Asian and Pacific Islander gay and bisexual men, urges readers to practice safer sex, get tested, and become involved in the community. It describes the efforts of the Gay Asian Pacific Alliance (GAPA) Community HIV Project. These GAPA activities include workshops, discussion groups, and counseling about safer sex, testing, dating, and relationships. The brochure

explains Early Advocacy and Care for HIV (EACH), a treatment options program for people who test HIV-positive that emphasizes the shared cultural backgrounds of GAPA volunteers. It stresses the benefits readers can derive from volunteering. A phone number is given for more information about the GAPA Community HIV Project.

AVAILABILITY: Gay Asian Pacific Alliance Community, HIV Project, 1841 Market St., 3rd Fl., San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 575-3939.

A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.20.

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (16 p.): col., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017799.

TITLE: Teens: Things You Should Know.

PRODUCER: Chinatown Action for Progress, Incorporated, Children's Health Clinic.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.

AUDIENCE: Adolescents. Asians.

YEAR: 1994.

ABSTRACT: This brochure provides basic HIV and AIDS information for adolescents. It calls the idea that teens can never get AIDS a myth. The brochure defines HIV and AIDS, discusses HIV transmission, and stresses the idea that an individual cannot tell who has HIV infection by looking at them. It urges teens to protect themselves through abstinence or safer sexual behavior, and urges them to avoid alcohol and drugs. It concludes with the thought that traditional Chinese culture holds that sex occurs only after marriage, and encourages teens to value themselves enough not to engage in risky behaviors.

AVAILABILITY: Chinatown Action for Progress, Incorporated, Children's Health Clinic, 125 Walker St., New York, NY 10013. (212) 226-8866.

DESCRIPTION: 8 p.: mono., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017791.

TITLE: To: Women.

PRODUCER: Chinatown Action for Progress, Incorporated, Children's Health Clinic.

YEAR: 1994.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.

AUDIENCE: Asians. Women.

ABSTRACT: This brochure, printed in both Chinese and English in the same edition, provides the basic facts about HIV and AIDS for Chinese-American women. It discusses what AIDS is and how women can be infected. Because one cannot tell who may be infected, the brochure urges women to insist on safer sexual behavior and not to share needles. It also stresses that infants can be infected through perinatal transmission.

AVAILABILITY: Chinatown Action for Progress, Incorporated, Children's Health Clinic, 125 Walker St., New York, NY 10013. (212) 226-8866.

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017792.

TITLE: What People With HIV Infection Should Know About Their Legal Rights in California.

PRODUCER: Los Angeles County Bar Association, Barristers AIDS Legal Services Project. Korean Health Education, Information and Referral Center.

YEAR: 1994.

LANGUAGE: English. Korean.

AUDIENCE: HIV Positive Persons.

ABSTRACT: This brochure provides information on the legal rights of HIV-positive individuals in California, based on the law as of June 1994. It tells the reader that discrimination based on HIV-infection is illegal, that an employer cannot fire or not hire someone because they are HIV-positive, and that a medical insurance company cannot require an HIV test as a condition of enrollment. Life insurance companies, are, however, allowed to ask for the test. Medical providers, local government agencies, non-profit or federally funded organizations also are prohibited from discriminating against HIV-positive people. The brochure discusses the confidentiality of medical records, and includes the exceptions to the confidentiality requirement. Information on agencies that deal with discrimination issues is included.

AVAILABILITY: Korean Health Education, Information and Referral Center, 545 D. Gramercy Place, Los Angeles, CA 90020. (213) 427-4000.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.00.

SPONSOR: Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, AIDS Programs (County).

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono.

ACCESSION NO: AD0011903.

TITLE: AIDS Prevention ABC.

PRODUCER: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program.

YEAR: 1993.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.

AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.

ABSTRACT: This brochure urges Asian Americans to adopt the "ABC" prevention methods for avoiding AIDS: Abstinence for most effective prevention; Being wise in dealing with drugs, either by avoiding use or at least by not sharing needles; or by always using condoms.

AVAILABILITY: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program, 480 Broadway, 2nd Fl., New York, NY 10013. (212) 941-0030.

SPONSOR: New York Department of Health, AIDS Institute (State).

DESCRIPTION: 4 p.: mono.

ACCESSION NO: AD0014840.

TITLE: AIDS: Your Questions Answered.

PRODUCER: Victoria Health Department, Health & Community Services, AIDS/STD Unit.

YEAR: 1993.

LANGUAGE: English. Bahasa. Chinese. Khmer. Lao. Tagalog. Vietnamese

AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.

ABSTRACT: This brochure answers the most commonly asked questions relating to AIDS and HIV. The cause of HIV infection is discussed. Information is given about the HIV-antibody test, what a positive test result means, and how HIV can and cannot be transmitted. It also lists the symptoms of AIDS and says that AZT is one of many current treatment programs for HIV-positive persons. Safer sex behaviors and condom use are discussed. It also addresses common misconceptions about donating blood and receiving transfusions. Government efforts made in response to the AIDS epidemic are presented.

AVAILABILITY: Victoria Health Department, Health & Community Services, AIDS/STD Unit, GPO Box 4057, Melbourne 3000, Australia. (011) 616-7777.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.75.

DESCRIPTION: 17 p.: col.

ACCESSION NO: AD0011780.

TITLE: Asians & AIDS.

PRODUCER: Chinatown Action for Progress, Incorporated, Children's Health Clinic.

YEAR: 1993.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.

AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: The message of this brochure is that Asians can get AIDS. It describes AIDS and how HIV is spread as well as how to prevent HIV infection. For the sake of one's health and one's family, the reader is urged not to engage in behavior that could lead to AIDS.

AVAILABILITY: Chinatown Action for Progress, Incorporated, Children's Health Clinic, 125 Walker St., New York, NY 10013. (212) 226-8866.

DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (8 p.): mono., ill.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017906.

TITLE: Diagram Showing HIV Infection and Developments.

PRODUCER: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program.

YEAR: 1993.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.

AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This brochure, written in both English and Chinese in the same edition, diagrams HIV transmission and the development of HIV infection. It lists risky behaviors, factors, and situations. It emphasizes that exposure can lead to HIV infection and HIV infection can result in AIDS.

AVAILABILITY: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program, 480 Broadway, 2nd Fl., New York, NY 10013. (212) 941-0030.
SPONSOR: New York Department of Health, AIDS Institute (State).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono., graph.
ACCESSION NO: AD0014838.

TITLE: How Asian Women Can Live Healthier and Longer: The Diseases That Every Woman Needs to Know (translated title).

PRODUCER: Asian AIDS Project.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: Chinese. Thai.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Women.

ABSTRACT: This brochure provides basic health information for Asian women. It encourages women to understand their bodies and take care of their own health, even though they may be busy with work, school, or family. Breast cancer is very common in Asian women, and women are urged to perform self-examinations. To protect themselves from sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and HIV, women should use condoms, know their partners' sexual history, and recognize the symptoms. Good hygiene and routine checkups are good practices. The brochure defines what HIV and AIDS are, how HIV is transmitted, and how it can be prevented. Myths about casual contact transmission are dispelled. The symptoms of HIV infection are listed, and information is provided on HIV-antibody testing. The brochure also includes information on discussing safer sexual practices and condom use with a woman's partner. The brochure concludes with a summary of resource organizations available to Asian women in the greater San Francisco area, and reminds women to practice healthy lifestyles and behaviors.

AVAILABILITY: Asian AIDS Project, 785 Market St., Suite 420, San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 227-0946. Price: \$1.10 in 1996.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.60.

DESCRIPTION: 14 p.: col., ill.
NOTES: Copyrighted.
ACCESSION NO: AD0018034.

TITLE: Living With HIV/AIDS.
FOREIGN TITLE: Nabubuhay Sa HIV/AIDS. (Tagalog title) Song Voi Benh HIV/AIDS. (Vietnamese title)

PRODUCER: Gay Asians of Toronto, Gay Asian AIDS Project.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: Chinese. English. Tagalog. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians. HIV Positive Persons.

ABSTRACT: This brochure presents information on managing HIV. It discusses various treatments such as antivirals, immune boosters, and prophylaxis, and refers to nontraditional treatments including Asian and Western herbal medicines. A major portion of the brochure is devoted to suggestions for selecting and working with a doctor.

AVAILABILITY: Asian Community AIDS Service, 33 Isabella St., Suite 107, Toronto, ON, M4Y 2P7, Canada. (416) 963-4300.
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): col., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0015373.

TITLE: Love in the Time of AIDS.
PRODUCER: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: Chinese. English.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Sex Partners.
ABSTRACT: This brochure illustrates condom use and encourages safer sexual practice. It describes putting a condom on, using one during sexual intercourse, and taking it off. It tells about condom effectiveness and offers information about condoms, spermicides, and lubrication. (This material contains sexually explicit language and/or pictorials that may offend some readers/viewers.)
AVAILABILITY: Chinese-American Planning Council, Incorporated, AIDS Education Program, 480 Broadway, 2nd Fl., New York, NY 10013. (212) 941-0030.
SPONSOR: New York Department of Health, AIDS Institute (State).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0014839.

TITLE: Nutrition and HIV/AIDS.
FOREIGN TITLE: Ang Pagkain at HIV/AIDS. (Tagalog title) Chat Dinh Duong va Benh HIV/AIDS. (Vietnamese title)
PRODUCER: Gay Asians of Toronto, Gay Asian AIDS Project.
YEAR: 1993.
ABSTRACT: This brochure discusses the value of a nutritious diet in maintaining the health of persons with HIV. The four major food groups are presented, with an emphasis on cooking techniques that preserve nutrients. A reference to Asian food therapy points out the usefulness of incorporating herbal remedies into various dishes. The brochure includes a table of tips on what type of foods to eat to alleviate various HIV symptoms, focusing on foods commonly found in Asian diets.
AVAILABILITY: Asian Community AIDS Service, 33 Isabella St., Suite 107, Toronto, ON, M4Y 2P7, Canada. (416) 963-4300.
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): col., ill., table.
ACCESSION NO: AD0015374.

TITLE: What Can You Do When You Find Out That Someone Close to You Is HIV Positive or Has AIDS?
FOREIGN TITLE: Ana Ang Maaaring Mangyari Kung Ang Isang Taong Matalik sa Iyo ay HIV Positive o Mayroong AIDS? (Tagalog title) Ban Phai Lam Sao Khi Biet Duoc Nguoi Than Bi Nhiem Trung HIV Hoac Bi Benh AIDS. (Vietnamese title)
PRODUCER: Gay Asians of Toronto, Gay Asian AIDS Project.
YEAR: 1993.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English. Tagalog. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Families of AIDS Patients. Friends.
ABSTRACT: This brochure uses a question-and-answer format to discuss what one should do after finding out that someone close is HIV positive or has AIDS. It provides some basic facts about HIV, mentions that there is no cure, and lists a few behaviors that do not transmit HIV. The brochure suggests ways to assist an HIV-positive person, lists helpful options for the reader and the PWA, and recommends contacting the Gay Asian AIDS Project (GAAP) for more information.
AVAILABILITY: Asian Community AIDS Service, 33 Isabella St., Suite 107, Toronto, ON, M4Y 2P7, Canada. (416) 963-4300.
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): col.
ACCESSION NO: AD0015375.

TITLE: I'm Vietnamese. There's No Way I Can Get AIDS. Are You Sure? (translated title)
FOREIGN TITLE: Toi La Ngu Oi Vietnam Suc May Ma Toi Bi Benh AIDS. Ban Co Chac Khong Do?
PRODUCER: Center For Southeast Asian Refugee Resettlement.
YEAR: 1991.
LANGUAGE: Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians.
ABSTRACT: This brochure provides basic information on HIV and AIDS. It argues that individuals in the Vietnamese community need to be aware of the disease, because anyone can transmit the virus. HIV transmission and prevention are explained. Casual contact myths, such as sharing food, using the same bowls or chopsticks, hugging or kissing, or donating blood, are dispelled. Safer sexual behavior, including condom use, is encouraged. The brochure also provides information on actions an individual can do to protect the rest of the Vietnamese community. These include becoming educated and educating others, and providing support to individuals with HIV infection.
AVAILABILITY: Center For Southeast Asian Refugee Resettlement, 875 O'Farrell St., San Francisco, CA 94109. (415) 885-2743.
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): b&w.
ACCESSION NO: AD0009392.

TITLE: AIDS: Information for Seafarers.
PRODUCER: Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey.
YEAR: 1990.
LANGUAGE: Chinese. English. Japanese. Korean. Urdu.
AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.
ABSTRACT: This multilingual brochure provides basic information on HIV and AIDS, including HIV transmission, high-risk behaviors, symptoms, HIV prevention, and available treatment programs. Targeted specifically toward sailors, the brochure warns readers that sex workers in every port are infected with HIV and they should take appropriate precautions.

AVAILABILITY: Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey, 50 West Broadway,
New York, NY 10004. (212) 269-2710.
DESCRIPTION: 24 p.: col.
ACCESSION NO: AD0007772.

TITLE: AIDS: What Is It?
FOREIGN TITLE: AIDS: Yog Dlaab Tsi?

PRODUCER: United Migrant Opportunity Services, Incorporated .
YEAR: 1990.
LANGUAGE: English. Hmong.

ABSTRACT: This brochure answers the question, "AIDS: What Is It?" It uses a question-and-answer format to cover the definition of AIDS, how HIV enters the body, and how it spreads. It cautions readers that one cannot tell who has HIV infection just by looking at them and reminds readers that there is no cure. The pamphlet includes information on how HIV is not spread, suggests ways to protect oneself against HIV, and lists common symptoms of AIDS. Phone numbers and addresses for more information are included.

AVAILABILITY: United Migrant Opportunity Services, Incorporated, P.O. Box 04129, Milwaukee,
WI 53204. (414) 671-5700.
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (6 p.): mono., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0008765.

TITLE: Understanding AIDS.

PRODUCER: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for
Disease Control and Prevention.
YEAR: 1988.
LANGUAGE: Braille. Cambodian. Chinese.
AUDIENCE: General Public, Consumers.

ABSTRACT: In this brochure, former U.S. Surgeon General C. Everett Koop announces the government's national mailing of this document to every home and residential office in the United States in May and June 1988, and urges everyone to read it. It informs citizens about AIDS. The two main ways to become infected are discussed: having sexual intercourse with an HIV-infected person, or sharing drug needles and syringes with an infected person. Behaviors that prevent HIV infection are outlined, with emphasis on the use of condoms. Casual contact is emphasized as not being a method of transmission. Parents are encouraged to communicate this clearly to their children to avoid alarm. Giving blood is also cited as being safe. The risk of infection from receiving blood is noted as being greatly reduced. The brochure notes that a person can be infected with HIV and display no symptoms. An infected pregnant mother can transmit the disease to her unborn child. The only way to confirm infection is to take an HIV-antibody test. This brochure advocates HIV-antibody testing for persons who have engaged in high-risk behaviors. Citizens are encouraged to provide support and understanding to persons with AIDS (PWAs). The brochure concludes with a self-test to check knowledge about AIDS.

AVAILABILITY: *CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. CDC NAC Inventory no. D040 (Braille); CDC NAC Inventory no. D471 (Haitian Creole); CDC NAC Inventory no. D473 (Cambodian); Inventory no. D112 (Chinese). Single copies free of charge; Distribution fee for multiple copies;*

DESCRIPTION: 8 p.: col., ill.

NOTES: Translations of this material are available in: French, Tongan, Kiribati, Kunie, Pijin, Bislama, Cook Island Maori, Tuvaluan, Motu, Fijian, Hindi, Niuean, Tahitian, Pidgin, Wallisian, Yap, Chuuk, Tokelau, Faga Uvea, Samoan, Elimbari, Mortlockese, Iouaga, Futuna, Tok Gamoze, Hwen Iai, Huli, Kuman, Drehu, Kuanua.

ACCESSION NO: AD0004540.

Catalogs

TITLE: Pacific Islanders Sources of Health Materials.

PRODUCER: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Office of Minority Health Resource Center.

YEAR: 1994.

AUDIENCE: Asians. Patient Educators. Educators. Administrators.

ABSTRACT: This directory is a compilation of health materials for Pacific Islanders and other minority populations. Publications discuss topics such as cancer, alcohol and drug abuse, suicide, infant mortality, and HIV/AIDS.

AVAILABILITY: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Office of Minority Health Resource Center, P.O. Box 37337, Washington, D.C. 20013-7337. (800) 444-6472.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.25.

DESCRIPTION: 7 p.: b&w.

ACCESSION NO: AD0017787.

TITLE: Sources of Health Materials for Asian Languages.

PRODUCER: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Office of Minority Health Resource Center.

YEAR: 1994.

AUDIENCE: Patient Educators. Educators. Administrators.

ABSTRACT: This catalog alphabetically lists sources of health educational materials for Asian and Pacific Islander populations. A cross index by subject follows. Areas covered include: cancer; AIDS; chemical dependency; heart disease and stroke; drug and alcohol abuse; infant mortality; homicide, suicide, and unintentional injuries; diabetes; and domestic violence.

AVAILABILITY: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Office of Minority Health Resource Center, P.O. Box 37337, Washington, D.C. 20013-7337. (800) 444-6472.

A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.45.

DESCRIPTION: 11 p.: b&w.
ACCESSION NO: AD0004490.

Comic Book

TITLE: Do You Know? (translated title)
FOREIGN TITLE: Ban Co Biet.

AUTHOR: Nguyen, N.; Eatley, T.N.; Bui, T.
PRODUCER: Indochinese Community Center.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: Cambodian. Lao. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This comic book tells the story of Mai, a young Vietnamese woman, who has engaged in unprotected sexual intercourse with her boyfriend, Tuan. She thinks she may be pregnant, or have AIDS, but her friends tell her that AIDS is a disease of only gay white males. Mai takes an overdose of contraceptive pills and Tuan takes her to a clinic, where they find out that Mai is not pregnant and also obtain information on HIV/AIDS. The comic book provides basic information on transmission and prevention of HIV, lists early symptoms of HIV infection, and explains the HIV-antibody test. It reassures the reader that HIV/AIDS cannot be transmitted through casual contact, including hugging, sharing food, utensils, or toilets; or from mosquito bites. The comic book also informs the reader that HIV can indeed affect Vietnamese individuals in America or Vietnam, and has been identified in refugee camps. Condom use is encouraged.

AVAILABILITY: Indochinese Community Center, 1628 16th St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20009. (202) 462-4330. Price: \$1.00 in 1996.
SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Federal).
DESCRIPTION: 11 p.: col., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0013783.

Information Package

TITLE: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team's Condom Package.
PRODUCER: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team.
YEAR: 1995.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Sex Partners.

ABSTRACT: This information package contain two condoms, a tube of water-based lubricant, directions for proper condom use, and a flyer recruiting Asian/Pacific Islanders living with HIV/AIDS to participate in a study sponsored by UCLA. The card describing proper condom usage also lists examples of safest sex — no exchange of body fluids; safer sex — condom usage; and unsafe sex — exchange of body fluids. (This material contains sexually explicit language and/or pictorials that may offend some readers/viewers.)

AVAILABILITY: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team, 1313 W. 8th St., Suite 224, Los Angeles, CA 90017. (213) 353-6055.
DESCRIPTION: 1 condom packet: includes 1 wallet card, 2 condoms, 1 tube of light formula lubricant, and 1 name card.
ACCESSION NO: AD0019405.

Journal Articles

TITLE: AIDS, Asians & Pacific Islanders.

PRODUCER: People With AIDS Coalition of New York.
SOURCE: In: *PWAC NY Newslines*; March 1994.
YEAR: 1994.
AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This journal article is the transcript of a roundtable discussion of Asian and Pacific Islanders (A&PIs) living in New York State. The roundtable was conducted to dispel preconceptions and address some of the issues surrounding A&PIs and HIV/AIDS. The first discussion was among people of mixed serostatus, during which issues of community and identity were addressed. A second session was attended by seropositive persons only. Members of the roundtable discussion expressed anger and disappointment over the way in which the HIV/AIDS epidemic in the A&PI community is being handled. The HIV-positive A&PIs described themselves as invisible to the government and the health care system because of their minority and immigrant status. Other issues discussed during this roundtable include the A&PI sociocultural norms that prevent gay and HIV-positive individuals from revealing their status to friends and family, a lack of education and prevention programs, and family relations/communication. (This material contains sexually explicit language and/or pictorials that may offend some readers/viewers.)

AVAILABILITY: People With AIDS Coalition of New York, 50 W. 17th St., 8th Fl., New York, NY 10011-1607. (212) 647-1415.
DESCRIPTION: p. 8-15.
NOTES: Copyrighted.
ACCESSION NO: AD0017731.

TITLE: HIV Prevention Among Asian-American College Students: Does the Health Belief Model Work?

AUTHOR: Yep, G.A.
PRODUCER: Heldref Publications. American College Health Association.
SOURCE: In: *Journal of American College Health*; Vol. 41, March 1993.
YEAR: 1993.
AUDIENCE: Researchers. Educators.

ABSTRACT: A group of Asian-American college students from the Southern California area was questioned concerning their perceived susceptibility to HIV, the severity of HIV, and the benefits of, and barriers to, HIV-preventive behaviors. The behaviors included: 1) more careful choice of sexual partners, 2) condom use, 3) reducing the number of sexual partners, 4) making sure the partner is not HIV infected, and 5) overall positive change in sexual behavior. These Health Behavior Model components were analyzed for their ability to predict the adoption of

HIV-preventive behaviors in this population. The perception of HIV infection as very to extremely serious and perceived barriers to HIV-preventive sexual behaviors proved to be significant predictors of the adoption of HIV-preventive behaviors.

AVAILABILITY: Heldref Publications, 4000 Albemarle St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20016. (202) 362-6445.
DESCRIPTION: p. 199-205
NOTES: Copyrighted.
ACCESSION NO: AD0014028.

TITLE: Sexual Practices of Heterosexual Asian-American Young Adults: Implications for Risk of HIV Infection.

AUTHOR: Cochran, S.D.; Mays, V.M.; Leung, L.
PRODUCER: Plenum Publishing Corporation, Plenum Medical Book Company.
SOURCE: In: *Archives of Sexual Behavior*; Vol. 20, No. 4, 1991.
YEAR: 1991.
AUDIENCE: Mental Health Professionals. Researchers.

ABSTRACT: The sexual behaviors of Asian American young adults are examined in this article, which notes that Asian Americans have a lower incidence of HIV infection than other minority groups. From a sampling of 153 Asian American students in California, this study supports previous findings of sexual conservatism in Asians with regard to initiation of sexual activity. However, once sexually active, this population practices the same HIV risk-behaviors as other minorities, such as low rates of condom use. Gender differences as motivations for delaying sexual activity are noted. Women tend to wait because of moral beliefs, while men delay intercourse for fear of pregnancy and AIDS. Future studies are urged, but this study points to the influence of familial and cultural norms in delaying exposure to HIV.

AVAILABILITY: University of California, Department of Psychology, 405 Hilgard Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90024-1563. Attn: Dr. Vickie M. Mays.
DESCRIPTION: p. 381-391.
NOTES: Copyrighted.
ACCESSION NO: AD0017229.

Postcards

TITLE: Love Your Asian Body! Be Safe, Get Tested for HIV.

PRODUCER: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team.
YEAR: 1994.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Lesbians.

ABSTRACT: This postcard, targeting Asian lesbians, urges the reader to be safe and to have an HIV-antibody test. It lists phone numbers for more information. (This material contains sexually explicit language and/or pictorials that may offend some readers/viewers.)

AVAILABILITY: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team, 1313 W. 8th St., Suite 224, Los Angeles, CA 90017. (213) 353-6055.
SPONSOR: Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, AIDS Programs (County).

DESCRIPTION: 1 post card: col., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0017653.

TITLE: Use Your Noodle! Get Tested for HIV.
PRODUCER: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team.
YEAR: 1994.
AUDIENCE: Asians.
ABSTRACT: This postcard, targeting Asians, urges the reader to have a free, anonymous HIV test. It lists phone numbers for more information on HIV testing and safer sex practices.
AVAILABILITY: Asian Pacific AIDS Intervention Team, 1313 W. 8th St., Suite 224, Los Angeles, CA 90017. (213) 353-6055.
SPONSOR: Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, AIDS Programs (County).
DESCRIPTION: 1 post card: col., ill.
ACCESSION NO: AD0017652.

TITLE: Safe Sex Comes in All Languages: Postcards From the Land of Safer Sex.
PRODUCER: Gay Asian Pacific Alliance, Community HIV Project.
YEAR: 1991.
LANGUAGE: Cambodian. Chinese. English. Japanese. Korean. Pidgin. Tagalog. Thai. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Homosexuals.
ABSTRACT: This material contains 8 postcards in Asian and Pacific Islander languages which describe safer sex between gay men and stress condom use. (This material contains sexually explicit language and/or pictorials that may offend some readers/viewers.)
AVAILABILITY: Living Well Project, Asian & Pacific Islander AIDS Services, 1841 Market St., 3rd Fl., San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 575-3939. Price: \$1.50/unit in 1993.
SPONSOR: San Francisco AIDS Foundation, Client Services (Non Government). Levi Strauss Foundation (Non Government).
DESCRIPTION: 1 folded sheet (20 p.), includes 8 postcards: col., ill.
NOTES: Copyrighted.
ACCESSION NO: AD0013663.

Posters

TITLE: Life Is Heeding the Signs: The Best Way to Preserve the Past Is to Have a Future.
PRODUCER: Making a Difference.
YEAR: 1995.
AUDIENCE: Asians.
ABSTRACT: This poster shows an outside wall with carved dragons and fire to emphasize the fact that life is preserved and cultural traditions maintained when people heed signs of danger. It urges the reader to heed warnings about HIV/AIDS and lists a telephone number for more information.

AVAILABILITY: Making a Difference, 6927 Wise Ave., Saint Louis, MO 63139. (314) 644-5059.
DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col., ill.; 22 x 34 in.
ACCESSION NO: AD0018759.

TITLE: AIDS.
PRODUCER: Japanese Community Youth Council/Asian American Communities Against AIDS.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: English. Japanese.
AUDIENCE: Adolescents. Asians. Students, Young Adults.
ABSTRACT: This poster presents basic information about AIDS in the Asian community, with a focus on the higher incidence among Japanese. It describes routes of HIV transmission, the most common symptoms, and precautionary measures that reduce the risk of contracting HIV. In particular, the poster lists safer, possibly safer, and unsafe sex practices. Hints are also included for helping those with AIDS.

AVAILABILITY: Japanese Community Youth Council/Asian American Communities Against AIDS, 1596 Post St., San Francisco, CA 94115. (415) 202-7907.
SPONSOR: San Francisco City/County Department of Public Health (City).
DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col., 11 x 16.5 in.
ACCESSION NO: AD0005659.

TITLE: Remember the Promises We Made in the Moonlight to Always Love Safely.
PRODUCER: Center For Southeast Asian Refugee Resettlement.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: English. Lao.
AUDIENCE: Sex Partners.
ABSTRACT: This poster features a drawing of a young man and a young woman in an exotic tropical Eastern setting, holding hands while facing each other. The text, in both Lao and English, urges them to practice safer sex and to use condoms to prevent the spread of HIV and AIDS in their culture.
AVAILABILITY: Center For Southeast Asian Refugee Resettlement, 875 O'Farrell St., San Francisco, CA 94109. (415) 885-2743.
SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Federal).
DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col., ill., 14 x 20 in.
ACCESSION NO: AD0016754.

TITLE: Stay Healthy, Use Condoms.
PRODUCER: Center For Southeast Asian Refugee Resettlement.
YEAR: 1993.
LANGUAGE: Cambodian. English.

ABSTRACT: This poster has a drawing of Angkor Wat at the top and features six Cambodians of varying ages holding unwrapped condoms. The message, in both Cambodian and English, urges viewers to get information about HIV and AIDS, and to protect themselves from HIV through the use of condoms.

AVAILABILITY: Center For Southeast Asian Refugee Resettlement, 875 O'Farrell St., San Francisco, CA 94109. (415) 885-2743.

SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Federal).

DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col., ill., 20 x 15 in.

ACCESSION NO: AD0016756.

TITLE: **It's Natural: Life is Precious, Please Value It. (translated title)**

PRODUCER: Asian AIDS Project.

YEAR: 1992.

LANGUAGE: Cambodian. Chinese.

AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This poster, which pictures five Asian men unclothed from the waist up, urges viewers to value their lives and use condoms.

AVAILABILITY: Asian AIDS Project, 785 Market St., Suite 420, San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 227-0946. Price: \$8.50, plus S&H, in 1996.

SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Federal).

DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: b&w, ill., 24 x 18 in.

NOTES: Copyrighted.

ACCESSION NO: AD0011583.

TITLE: **AIDS Can Happen to You.**

FOREIGN TITLE: **Le SIDA Ca Peut Vous Arriver.**

PRODUCER: Canadian Public Health Association, National AIDS Clearinghouse. Health and Welfare Canada, Health Protection Branch, Federal Centre for AIDS.

YEAR: 1990.

LANGUAGE: Chinese. English. Jamil. Khmer. Lao. Somali. Tigrinya. Urdu. Vietnamese.

AUDIENCE: Adolescents. Students, Young Adults.

ABSTRACT: This poster, which depicts a faceless crowd of young adults and adolescents, warns readers that they could contract HIV, and urges them to protect themselves.

AVAILABILITY: Canadian Public Health Association, National AIDS Clearinghouse, 1565 Carling Ave., Suite 400, Ottawa, K1Z 8R1, Canada. (613) 725-3769. Free in 3/92.

DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col.; 22 x 16 1/2 in.

ACCESSION NO: AD0004690.

TITLE: **You and Your Family; Protect Yourself From AIDS. (translated title)**

PRODUCER: Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Western Regional Health Office, AIDS Program.

YEAR: 1990.
LANGUAGE: Khmer. Lao. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Families.
ABSTRACT: This poster, depicting Asian parents and their two children, urges readers to protect themselves and their families against AIDS.
AVAILABILITY: Massachusetts Department of Public Health, HIV and AIDS Bureau, 150 Tremont St., 9th Fl., Boston, MA 02111. (617) 727-0368.
DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col., ill.; 11 1/2 x 15 in.
ACCESSION NO: AD0006982.

TITLE: AIDS the Disease: A New Kind of Threat?
PRODUCER: United Cambodian Community. Community Research and Services.
YEAR: 1989.
LANGUAGE: Cambodian. English.
AUDIENCE: Asians.
ABSTRACT: This poster tries to enhance awareness about AIDS among the Cambodian community. It portrays a youth looking at a crumbling shrine, some of which is constructed with blocks spelling out "AIDS."
AVAILABILITY: United Cambodian Community, 936 Atlantic Ave., Long Beach, CA 90813. (310) 433-2490.
Community Research and Services, 920 Pacific Ave., Long Beach, CA 90813. (310) 491-0230.
SPONSOR: California Department of Health Services, Office of AIDS (State).
DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col.; 11 x 17 in.
ACCESSION NO: AD0004077.

TITLE: AIDS the Disease: Protect Yourself and Your Family.
FOREIGN TITLE: Ban Hay Tu Bao Ve Minh Va Gia Dinh Bang Cach Tim Hieu Them Ve Benh Ai Tu (AIDS).
PRODUCER: United Cambodian Community. Community Research and Services.
YEAR: 1989.
LANGUAGE: English. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians.
ABSTRACT: This poster, depicting a worried-looking young Asian couple, urges readers to protect themselves and their families from HIV. It provides a listing of local community information sources.
AVAILABILITY: United Cambodian Community, 936 Atlantic Ave., Long Beach, CA 90813. (310) 433-2490.
Community Research and Services, 920 Pacific Ave., Long Beach, CA 90813. (310) 491-0230.
SPONSOR: California Department of Health Services, Office of AIDS (State).
DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col.; 11 x 17 in.
ACCESSION NO: AD0004067.

TITLE: Worried About AIDS? Please Learn All the Facts.

PRODUCER: United Cambodian Community. Community Research and Services.

YEAR: 1989.

LANGUAGE: Cambodian. English.

AUDIENCE: Asians.

ABSTRACT: This poster, depicting a worried-looking young Asian couple, urges readers who are afraid of AIDS to seek out information about the disease and its prevention.

AVAILABILITY: United Cambodian Community, 936 Atlantic Ave., Long Beach, CA 90813. (310) 433-2490.
Community Research and Services, 920 Pacific Ave., Long Beach, CA 90813. (310) 491-0230.

SPONSOR: California Department of Health Services, Office of AIDS (State).

DESCRIPTION: 1 poster: col., 11 x 17 in.

ACCESSION NO: AD0004070.

Reports

TITLE: U.S. National Asian and Pacific Islander HIV/AIDS Agenda.

AUTHOR: Chang, R.; editor.

PRODUCER: Asian Pacific AIDS Coalition.

YEAR: 199.

AUDIENCE: Planners. Researchers. Community Service Professionals. Advocates. Government Agencies. Community Organizations.

ABSTRACT: This report presents a national HIV/AIDS policy agenda reflecting the needs of Asian and Pacific Islander (API) communities. A discussion of the epidemiology of AIDS among APIs points out that certain risk category rates for APIs are collectively higher than the national averages for all racial/ethnic groups, specifically men who have sex with men and pediatric cases from perinatal transmission and blood transfusions. The report describes the Asian and Pacific Islander communities in the United States, and provides background information on programs for the prevention and care of HIV/AIDS among APIs. The main body of the report summarizes policy recommendations for action in the following areas: leadership; community-based organizations; surveillance and data collection; legal issues; HIV education and prevention; and research. It also addresses health care reform needs, and proposes policies for early diagnosis, care, treatment, and primary care.

AVAILABILITY: Asian Pacific AIDS Coalition, 995 Market St., Suite 1120, San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 563-0553.
A photocopy of this material is available from the CDC National AIDS Clearinghouse Document Delivery Service, P.O. Box 6003, Rockville, MD 20849-6003. (800) 458-5231. Price: \$5.75.

DESCRIPTION: 17 p.: b&w.

ACCESSION NO: AD0019825.

TITLE: Tuberculosis Among Foreign-Born Persons Who Had Recently Arrived in the United States — Hawaii, 1992-1993, Los Angeles County, 1993.

PRODUCER: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

SOURCE: In: *Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report*; Vol. 44, No. 38; September 29, 1995.

YEAR: 1995.

AUDIENCE: Health Professionals. Allied Health Professionals.

ABSTRACT: During 1986-1994, the number of tuberculosis (TB) cases reported annually among foreign-born persons in the United States increased 55 percent (from 4,925 to 7,627); the proportion of all cases accounted for by persons who were foreign-born increased from 22 percent to 33 percent, reflecting, in part, effects of recent immigration. The largest numbers of foreign-born persons with TB emigrated from Mexico, the Philippines, and Vietnam; persons from these countries currently account for the largest numbers of recent immigrants to the United States. This report summarizes a review of foreign-born persons in whom TB was diagnosed in Hawaii between 1992-1993 and in Los Angeles County during 1993, and assesses the impact of TB screening on foreign-born persons residing in the United States for less than 1 year at the time of diagnosis.

AVAILABILITY: U.S. Government Printing Office, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954. (202) 512-1800.

DESCRIPTION: 5 p.: b&w, ill., info. sources, refs.

ACCESSION NO: AD0019649.

TITLE: HIV/AIDS: Work Group on Health Care Access Issues for Asian and Pacific Islanders; May 9-10, 1994.

PRODUCER: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Health Resources and Services Administration, Bureau of Health Resources Development, Division of HIV Services.

YEAR: 1994.

AUDIENCE: Planners. Researchers. Community Service Professionals. Advocates.

ABSTRACT: This book summarizes goals and objectives, issues identified, and the roundtable discussions of a 2-day working group. The participants identified and described barriers encountered by Asian and Pacific Islanders (APIs) when using or attempting to use HIV/AIDS services. Within API populations, the diversity of ethnic groups and languages presents challenges in identifying appropriate strategies for delivering culturally appropriate HIV/AIDS services. Specifically, this working group discussed the barriers faced by APIs when accessing services funded by the Ryan White CARE Act; discussed the types of technical assistance needed to overcome these barriers; and developed potential questions for the evaluation of HIV/AIDS services for APIs. The working group reviewed case studies that illustrated structural barriers, cultural barriers, and other barriers, and then divided into three groups to examine the barriers, and devise and recommend specific strategies to address and alleviate them.

AVAILABILITY: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Health Resources and Services Administration, Bureau of Health Resources Development, Division of HIV Services, Parklawn Bldg., Rm. 9A-05, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857. (301) 443-6652. DHHS Publication no. HRSA-RD-SP-95-5.

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DESCRIPTION: 46 p.: b&w, appendixes.
ACCESSION NO: AD0019786.

TITLE: AIDS Prevention Among Adolescents: An Intervention Study in Northeast Thailand; Report in Brief.

AUTHOR: Thongkrajai, E.; Stoeckel, J.; Kievying, M.; et al.

PRODUCER: International Center for Research on Women.

YEAR: 1993.

AUDIENCE: Researchers. Social Workers. Community Service Professionals.

ABSTRACT: This report addresses preventing HIV among adolescents in Northeast Thailand. It describes a study designed and evaluated to increase AIDS awareness and to promote safer sexual behavior among adolescents by using a school-based intervention. The four study objectives target current level of knowledge about HIV prevention and transmission, development of appropriate techniques for the population, evaluation of peer counseling effectiveness, and observation of methodology development. The report states the survey results were unable to show significant differences between the experimental and control group schools. It concludes that a breadth of supporting methodologies are required to assess the true effectiveness of an intervention.

AVAILABILITY: International Center for Research on Women, 1717 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Suite 302, Washington, D.C. 20036. (202) 797-0007.

SPONSOR: U.S. Agency for International Development, Bureau for Research and Development, Office of Health, HIV/AIDS Division (Federal). Cooperative Agreement No. DPE-5972-A-00-0036-00.

DESCRIPTION: 4 p.: col.

ACCESSION NO: AD0018337.

TITLE: Experimental Educational Interventions for AIDS Prevention Among Northern Thai Single Migratory Female Factory Workers; Report-in-Brief.

AUTHOR: Cash, K.; Anasuchatkul, B.

PRODUCER: International Center for Research on Women.

YEAR: 1993.

AUDIENCE: Researchers. Social Workers. Educators.

ABSTRACT: This report covers a study conducted to determine the knowledge, attitudes, beliefs, intentions, and risky sexual behaviors of female adolescents who have migrated to the Chaing Mai section of northern Thailand. The authors sought to develop and test three educational interventions: materials only, materials plus informal education facilitated by health promoters, and materials plus informal education facilitated by peer leaders. The study showed that young single women were sexually active and engaged in a variety of sexual activities, including multiple partnerships and lesbian relationships. This study population reported that they did not use condoms and viewed them as inappropriate in their romantic relationships. Many of the young women felt only promiscuous women or prostitutes were at risk for HIV infection. Of the three interventions tested, the most effective means for influencing beliefs and behavioral interventions

associated with HIV prevention among the target group was through the use of peer leaders.

AVAILABILITY: International Center for Research on Women, 1717 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Suite 302, Washington, D.C. 20036. (202) 797-0007.
SPONSOR: U.S. Agency for International Development, Bureau for Research and Development, Office of Health, HIV/AIDS Division (Federal). Cooperative Agreement No. DPE-5972-A-00-0036-00.
DESCRIPTION: 4 p.: b&w.
ACCESSION NO: AD0018471.

Videorecordings

TITLE: **Not A Simple Story/Out in Silence; AIDS in the Asian Pacific American Community.**

PRODUCER: Filmmakers Library, Incorporated.

YEAR: 1994.

AUDIENCE: Adolescents. Asians. Homosexuals. HIV Positive Persons.

ABSTRACT: These two videos relate the stories of two Asian Americans who have been infected with HIV, and how it has affected their lives. In "Not A Simple Story," the viewer meets Robin, a widow who lost her husband to AIDS and who is herself HIV-positive. She voices her worries and fears about her future and that of her daughter. She recounts her experiences as the only Asian female in an activist group of AIDS educators. "Out In Silence" introduces the viewer to Vince, a young, gay, HIV-positive man, who educates Asian Americans by performing with a gay theater group and speaking to students. Vince speaks of his isolation from family and community, and his realization, too late, about the consequences of unsafe sexual behaviors. A brief poignant episode occurs when Vince relates his acceptance of the knowledge that a lover of his had knowingly exposed him to the virus, which led to his eventual positive status.

AVAILABILITY: Filmmakers Library, Incorporated, 124 East 40th St., New York, NY 10016. (212) 808-4980. Price: \$150.00 for sale, \$50.00 for rent.

DESCRIPTION: 1 video cassette, (37 min: track 1, 8 min.; track 2, 29 min.): sd., col., ½ in. (VHS).

NOTES: Copyrighted.

ACCESSION NO: AD0018753.

TITLE: **Bolo! Bolo! Talking About Silence, AIDS and Gay Sexuality.**

PRODUCER: Alliance for South Asian AIDS Prevention.

YEAR: 1991.

AUDIENCE: Homosexuals. Sex Partners.

ABSTRACT: This videotape focuses on the isolation and cultural differences affecting gay South Asians, and the denial that persists in their communities toward AIDS. A gay Indian photographer living in Montreal recounts how his homosexual identity evolved as a boy in India, where sex between men occurs but is not talked about or regarded even by practitioners as "gay." He points out that gay white men of the West have defined the parameters of homosexuality in ways that do not apply to South Asian culture, creating further isolation for gay South Asians. The

speakers all emphasize that sexuality is not discussed in South Asian communities; therefore, homosexuality is treated as if it does not exist and AIDS is regarded as the "public symptom of a private shame." An AIDS activist adds that in South Asian countries, AIDS is seen as a moral and cultural issue, rather than a medical issue, and is perceived as an American gay male disease. Stating that AIDS is a yardstick of the political attitudes of the country, an Indian writer points out that gay Asians with HIV are affected by sexism, homophobia, and racism.

AVAILABILITY: V Tape, 401 Richmond Street West, Toronto, M5T 3A8, Canada. (416) 351-1317.

DESCRIPTION: 1 video cassette track (30 min.): sd., col., ½ in. (VHS).

ACCESSION NO: AD0019023.

TITLE: Coming Out of Denial.

PRODUCER: University of Hawaii Manoa, Student Health Service, Student Educators Against AIDS.

YEAR: 1991.

AUDIENCE: Asians. Students, Young Adults.

ABSTRACT: This videorecording uses short interviews with five Hawaiian persons with HIV infection or AIDS, and a role-play exercise by student health educators, to make points about discrimination, loneliness, and the difficulties involved in telling others of their diagnosis. The five persons with AIDS (PWAs), one of whom chooses to remain disguised, talk about coping with their diagnoses and dealing with their feelings. They speak of losing support from their families and friends, and emphasize that while many people think that AIDS does not affect Hawaii, that the incidence of infection on the islands is increasing rapidly. A group of student health educators then perform a role-play exercise about dating, safer sex, and the difficulties involved in negotiating safer sex.

AVAILABILITY: University of Hawaii Manoa, Student Health Service, Student Educators Against AIDS, 1710 East West Rd., Honolulu, HI 96822. (808) 956-8965.

SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Federal).

DESCRIPTION: 1 video cassette (16 min.): sd., col.; ½ in. (VHS).

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ACCESSION NO: AD0011358.

TITLE: Fighting Chance.

PRODUCER: Fungus Productions.

YEAR: 1990.

AUDIENCE: Asians. Homosexuals. Lesbians.

ABSTRACT: This videorecording examines the mostly hidden issues surrounding gay and lesbian Asians with HIV/AIDS. The introductory segment points out that most materials on gays and lesbians do not mention Asians, and that most materials on the Asian community do not mention gays and lesbians. The video then uses the stories of four gay Asian men to address issues such as discrimination, coping with diagnosis, grieving for lost partners, coming out to families and friends, and taking charge of one's health through the use of alternative therapies and

Traditional Chinese Medicine. The underlying message is that AIDS affects Asian gays and lesbians in the same ways that it affects everyone else.

AVAILABILITY: V Tape, 401 Richmond Street West, Toronto, M5T 3A8, Canada. (416) 351-1317. Data No. 183; Price: \$250.00 per copy.
SPONSOR: Toronto Living with AIDS, Metro AIDS Network (Non Government).
DESCRIPTION: 1 video cassette (31 min.): sd., col., 1/2 in. (VHS).
NOTES: Copyrighted.
ACCESSION NO: AD0015870.

TITLE: Behind the Mask: AIDS...It Affects All of Us.
PRODUCER: Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations.
YEAR: 1989.
LANGUAGE: English. Cantonese. Cambodian. Khmer. Korean. Lao. Mandarin. Mien. Samoan. Tagalog. Vietnamese.
AUDIENCE: Asians. Families. Parents of AIDS Patients.
ABSTRACT: This videorecording stresses the fact that AIDS is not restricted to any one segment of the population. Narration accompanying street and family scenes of Asian groups is interwoven with the personal stories of three individuals with AIDS: a young Filipino male, a Chinese male, and a Japanese female. The videorecording stresses the need for AIDS education, which must surmount cultural factors in the Asian community to avoid or ignore painful subjects. Action of HIV in the body is discussed, along with methods of its transmission and possible safety precautions to stop its spread.
AVAILABILITY: Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations, 1440, Suite 510 Broadway, Suite 730, Oakland, CA 94612. (510) 272-9536. Price: \$20 for nonprofit organizations, \$30 for others, in 1996.
SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Federal).
DESCRIPTION: 1 video cassette (14 1/2 min.): sd., col.; 1/2 in (VHS); plus discussion guide.
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