

## WHO work

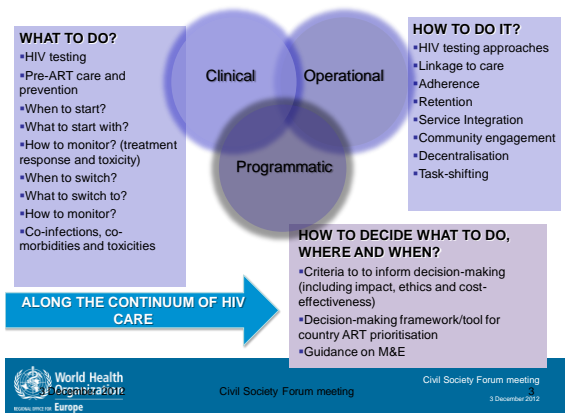
### Highlights

Civil Society Forum meeting  
3 December 2012



## WHO consolidated ARV guidelines

- Objective: provide evidence-based recommendations on the use of ARVs in different populations along the continuum of HIV care.
- Reflect the most current knowledge, available medicines, diagnostics and good practices for service delivery
- Move beyond clinical recommendations (What to do?) to include operational (How to do?) and programmatic (How to decide what to do and where?)
- Start: end of 2011, expected release: July 2013, biannual updates



## Scope and key features

KEY FEATURE	SCOPE
<b>Expanded Guidance</b>	Clinical, programmatic, operational
<b>Addressing all ages and populations</b>	Adults, adolescents, children, pregnant women, MARPS (MSM, PWID, sex workers, prisoners) TB-HIV and HIV-HBV and HCV
<b>Guidance across continuum of HIV care</b>	HIV testing, linkages to care, pre-ART care, ART care
<b>Expanded evidence-base</b>	Systematic reviews, modelling of epidemiological impact and cost-effectiveness, grey literature/case studies of best practice
<b>Target audience and approach</b>	Programme managers in RLS, but also concentrated epidemic settings in middle income countries Public health approach



## Community representation

- Two community representatives for each guidelines development group
- Criteria for selection:
  - Technical expertise / practical knowledge
  - Field experience in resource limited settings
  - Constituency representation
  - Participation in previous guideline processes
  - Participation in specifically WHO guideline processes
  - Regional and Gender balance contribution to the GDG proposed



## TB/HIV work

- Integrated TB, HIV and drug dependence treatment delivery in Porto
- Photo story and rapid assessment (joint project with the Executive Agency for Health and Consumers)
- Partners: LSHTM, Institute of Public Health and Faculty of Medicine of Porto University
- Unique one-stop-shop for three conditions in Portugal
- Solutions applicable to other contexts



### Outreach program



### Drug dependence



### One-stop-shop



Link to photo story and full assessment:

[www.euro.who.int/aids](http://www.euro.who.int/aids)

**Thank you**

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