

THE JSI AND WORLD EDUCATION APPROACH TO COMBATING HIV

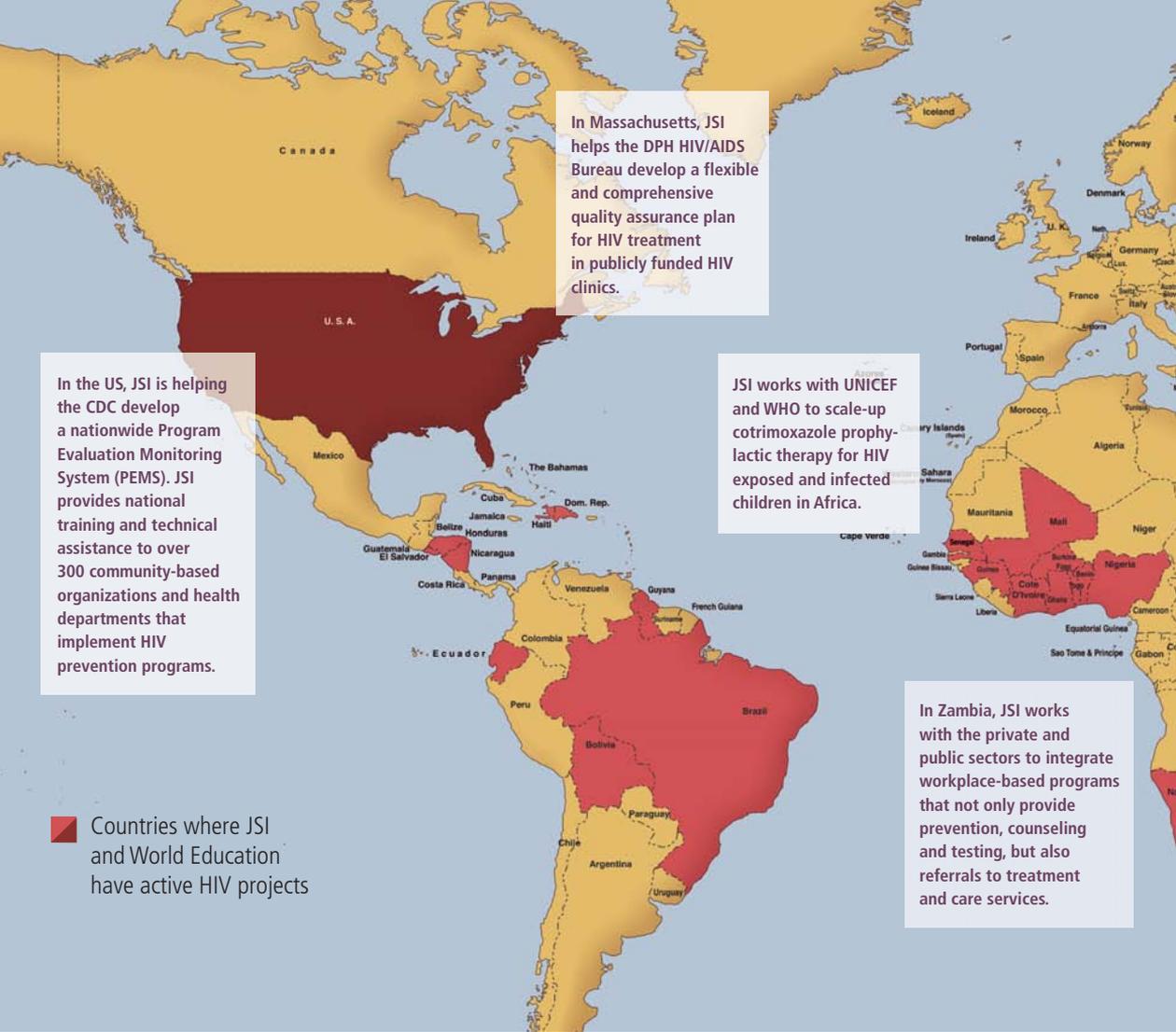
focuses on collaboration. With two decades of work in HIV, both in the United States and internationally, the JSI/World Education Center for HIV & AIDS and its partners work together to shape and advance programs that aim to halt the spread of HIV, and address the needs of affected individuals, households, and communities.

JSI and World Education interventions are context-specific, integrated into existing program activities, and based on the latest best practices, technology, and research—all in response to locally identified needs.

Knowledge alone cannot stop HIV. The Center therefore supports programs that change individual and community behavior, link people to critical services, and reduce stigmatization of those infected with and affected by HIV.

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CENTER CORE COMPETENCIES	CENTER PRIORITIES	KEY MEASURES OF SUCCESS
Service Delivery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decentralized, integrated prevention, treatment, and support programs Community mobilization Tailored approaches for most affected and marginalized populations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Referral systems for appropriate services Adoption of safer sex practices PLHIV and affected households reached by community support and services
Institutional Capacity Building	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human resource development Participatory training Performance improvement programs Organizational development Quality improvement Comprehensive local planning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human resource needs met Process of care improved Organizational & governance systems in place Improved clinical outcomes Health care workers able to provide prevention, treatment, and support services
Changing Behavior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Client-centered support for prevention, treatment, and care Peer education Engaging media Interpersonal interventions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People know their HIV status HIV-positive people enter care Fewer missed clinical visits At-risk people change behavior PLHIV report less stigma
Policy Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidence-based policy change Engaging affected populations Policies appropriate to available resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Policies reflect best practices National policies consistent with international standards National policies support universal access to prevention, treatment, and care services



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Supply Chain Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commodity security Customer-oriented logistics systems Tools & procedures for commodity management Supply chain data used for decisionmaking 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improved commodity availability Enabling policy environment for supply chain decisionmaking Fewer stockouts of key commodities (ARV drugs, HIV test kits)
Monitoring & Evaluation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Performance of national HIV M&E system Program assessment, including quality of care Individual & organizational capacity building Routine HIS & surveillance systems Data collection & survey tools Using data for decisionmaking 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidence-based programs Well-performing national HIV M&E systems Skilled data collectors, analysts, & users Timely and accurate reporting
Public-private Partnerships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collaboration Workplace-based programs Workplace policy development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Referral networks between private & public sectors District mapping and gap analysis Supportive workplace policies On-site HIV services
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Curriculum development Teacher training educational materials 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parental involvement Teachers trained Increased awareness among school-based youth



In Central Asia, where HIV rates are increasing dramatically, JSI is building the technical capacity of local organizations to launch large-scale prevention, treatment, and care programs.

In Cambodia, World Education is working to reduce vulnerability to HIV infection among youth in- and out-of-school by improving HIV awareness, attitudes and behaviors; and improving the capacity of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport to design, implement, and monitor interventions related to HIV prevention education for youth.

In Swaziland, the World Education/JSI Bantwana Initiative is addressing the needs of orphans and other vulnerable youth with a comprehensive approach to care.

ILLUSTRATIVE LIST OF CLIENTS & FUNDERS

United States

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
- City Health Departments (Boston, Denver, Hartford, New Haven, Phoenix)
- County Health Department (Santa Clara, CA; Maricopa, AZ)
- Delaware Health Care Commission
- Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
- Office of HIV/AIDS Policy
- Office of Population Affairs
- State Departments of Health (CA, CO, MA, NY, NH, RI)

International

- Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)
- Columbia University
- Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation
- Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB & Malaria
- Harvard University
- Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)
- New York AIDS Institute
- Open Society Institute
- Pfizer
- The World Bank
- UN Children's Fund (UNICEF)
- UN Development Program (UNDP)
- U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID)
- U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL)



JSI/WORLD EDUCATION CENTER FOR HIV & AIDS bridges the U.S.-international divide, shares learning across communities and countries, and addresses the epidemic using a comprehensive community-based approach. The Center promotes an integrated approach linking prevention, treatment, and support—an essential triad—to meet the complex needs of people at risk for acquiring HIV, those living with the virus, and those affected by its consequences. Rather than focusing on a single aspect of the epidemic, we engage with partners across the spectrum of interventions that will fully meet the needs of clients, providers, and program managers to ensure and strengthen a continuum of care.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

All Center activities apply the following principles:

1. Active participation of project beneficiaries, including those infected with and affected by HIV and AIDS, so that programs are relevant and locally-owned.
2. Internal and external partnership and collaboration.
3. Multisectoral approaches that address the underlying economic, social, and cultural factors that increase individual, family, and community vulnerability to HIV.
4. Commitment to building individual and institutional capacity.
5. Advocacy to improve the HIV and AIDS policy environment.

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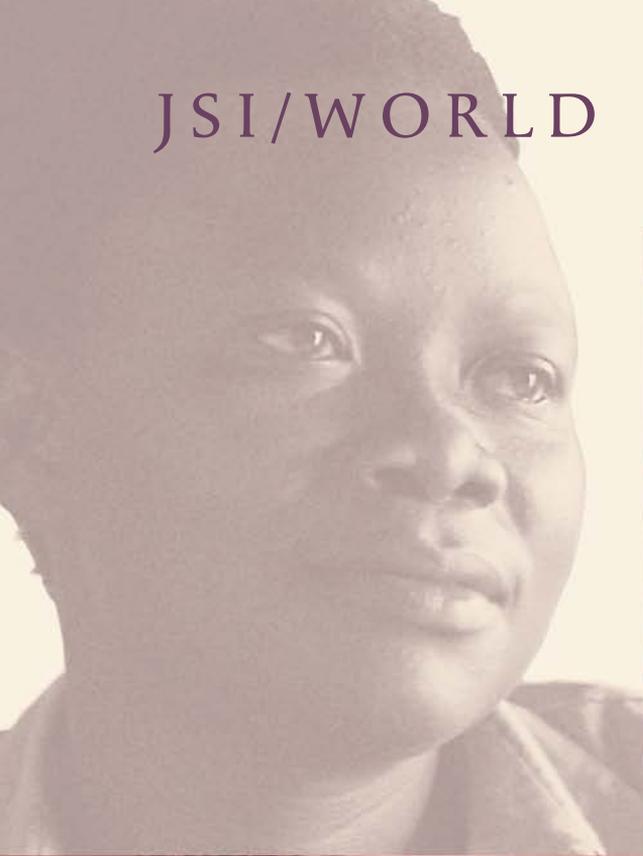
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