WORLD AIDS DAY
DECEMBER 1

HIV CENTER
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Join the HIV Center in observing **World AIDS Day 2014**

HIV Center Rounds
Thursday, December 4
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TOPICAL ARVS FOR PREVENTION OF HIV
Sharon Hillier, Ph.D.
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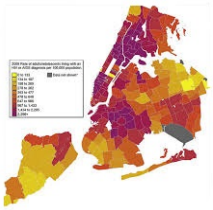
Looking back on 2014…

Four HIV Center investigators were named by Governor Andrew Cuomo as members of the **NYS Governor's Task Force to End the AIDS epidemic in New York**. HIV Center Director Robert H. Remien co-chairs the Task Force's Data Subcommittee; the other members from the HIV Center are Alex Carballo-Diéguez, Denis Nash, and Don DesJarlais.



The HIV Center has been a strategic planning and research partner with both the **NYSDOH and NYCDOHMH** in initiatives including rolling out routinized HIV testing in NYC; addressing the challenges of adopting new prevention technologies in clinical settings; and implementing the US National AIDS Strategy. The HIV Center and the NYSDOH AIDS Institute and the NYCDOHMH are partners on three major grants from NIMH.

The HIV Center's **international research projects** collaborate closely not only with local researchers, but also with local care providers and departments/ministries of health to build research capacity. Our international research addresses the critical needs of HIV-affected youth and families in South Africa, Uganda, and Thailand; youth with mental illness in Brazil; patients on antiretroviral treatment in South Africa; MSM in South Africa; and serodiscordant couples in Lesotho.

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