

RESEARCH BASED HIV INTERVENTIONS AND STRATEGY DEFINITIONS

Biomedical Interventions	Biomedical Interventions – interventions using medical, clinical, and public health approaches designed to moderate biological and physiological factors to prevent HIV infection, reduce susceptibility to HIV and/or decrease HIV infectiousness.
Public Health Strategies	Public Health Strategies - are time tested protocols used by public health practitioners in the prevention, screening, diagnostic, or treatment processes for HIV/AIDS prevention.
Behavioral Interventions	Behavioral Interventions - interventions intended to teach skills and strategies demonstrated to influence changes in the behaviors that place persons at risk for STD or HIV infection
Structural Interventions	Structural interventions - interventions designed to implement or change laws, policies, physical structures, social or organizational structures, or standard operating procedures to affect environmental or societal change.