

Bass Line 2008-09: The African Health and Sex Survey

North West Strategic Health Authority data report (n=157, June 2009)

This document reports data from Bass Line 2008-09, an assessment of the sexual HIV prevention needs of African people, conducted by Sigma Research in collaboration with health promoters throughout England. This data supplements the main report which describes the survey methods and sets the questions in context. That report will be available from late July 2009 at:

www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/go.php/reports/african

The survey

Bass Line 2008-09 used two data collection methods, a self-sealing, Freepost addressed booklet distributed by health promotion agencies and online via a dedicated website. The survey was available in English and French. This report contains data from both methods and both languages. To be included here respondents had to: consider themselves African or African-Caribbean; be aged 16 or over; be in England; and have completed sufficient questions.

Data reports

Data reports provide HIV health promotion planners with information about their local population in as much detail as is possible given the number of people who took part in the survey. This report contains data from African people who live in the North West Strategic Health Authority. Respondents are grouped according to the Primary Care Trust in which they live. To access other SHA reports, and an all England report showing data by SHA of residence, go to: www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/go.php/local/african

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The contents page identifies the question number (Q) each table is derived from. The questionnaire is available at:

www.sigmaresearch.org.uk/go.php/quests/african

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SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

1. PCT area of residence

	Frequency	Percent
NHS Manchester	113	72.0
Oldham PCT	13	8.3
Liverpool PCT	6	3.8
NHS Heywood, Middleton and Rochdale	4	2.5
Trafford PCT	4	2.5
Ashton, Leigh and Wigan PCT	2	1.3
NHS Tameside and Glossop	2	1.3
NHS Western Cheshire	2	1.3
NHS Cumbria	1	.6
NHS North Lancashire	1	.6
NHS Blackpool	1	.6
NHS Wirral	1	.6
NHS Knowsley	1	.6
NHS Bolton	1	.6
NHS Bury	1	.6
NHS Warrington	1	.6
Salford PCT	1	.6
NHS Western Cheshire / Central and Eastern Cheshire PCT	1	.6
Unknown	1	.6
Central & Eastern Cheshire PCT	1	.6
Total	157	100.0

2. PCT area with 20+ respondents (for the rest of the report)

	Frequency	Percent
NHS Manchester	113	72.0
All other North West	44	28.0
Total	157	100.0

3. Method of recruitment

% within PCT area of residence

	Method - recruitment type			Total
	On-line English	Booklet English	Booklet French	
NHS Manchester	22.1%	77.0%	.9%	100.0%
All other North West	29.5%	65.9%	4.5%	100.0%
Total	24.2%	73.9%	1.9%	100.0%

4. Gender

% within PCT area of residence

	Demog - Gender		Total
	Male	Female	
NHS Manchester	45.9%	54.1%	100.0%
All other North West	44.2%	55.8%	100.0%
Total	45.5%	54.5%	100.0%

5. Ethnicity

% within PCT area of residence

	Ethnicity						Total
	Black African	Black African British	African Asian	African Arab	White African	Mixed race African	
NHS Manchester	81.4%	11.5%	3.5%	1.8%		1.8%	100.0%
All other North West	77.3%	13.6%	2.3%	2.3%	4.5%		100.0%
Total	80.3%	12.1%	3.2%	1.9%	1.3%	1.3%	100.0%

6. Age groups

% within PCT area of residence

	Age groups					Total
	under 20 years	20-29 years	30-39 years	40-49 years	50 years and older	
NHS Manchester	5.6%	33.3%	32.4%	24.1%	4.6%	100.0%
All other North West	4.5%	29.5%	34.1%	25.0%	6.8%	100.0%
Total	5.3%	32.2%	32.9%	24.3%	5.3%	100.0%

7. Top ten countries of birth

% within PCT area of residence

	Demog - country of birth (modified)											Total	
	Cameroon	Republic of Congo	Ghana	Kenya	Nigeria	Rwanda	Uganda	United Kingdom	Zambia	Zimbabwe	Elsewhere in Africa		Elsewhere in the world
NHS Manchester	1.8%		4.5%	7.1%	10.7%	2.7%	23.2%	1.8%	6.3%	27.7%	13.4%	.9%	100.0%
All other North West	2.3%	9.1%		11.4%	6.8%	4.5%	13.6%	13.6%	6.8%	9.1%	20.5%	2.3%	100.0%
Total	1.9%	2.6%	3.2%	8.3%	9.6%	3.2%	20.5%	5.1%	6.4%	22.4%	15.4%	1.3%	100.0%

8. Length of time living in the UK

% within PCT area of residence

	Length of time in the UK					Total
	less than 1 year	over 1 year, less than 3 years	over 3 years, less than 6 years	over 6 years, less than 10 years	10 years or more	
NHS Manchester	6.2%	18.6%	22.1%	31.9%	21.2%	100.0%
All other North West	4.5%	27.3%	20.5%	27.3%	20.5%	100.0%
Total	5.7%	21.0%	21.7%	30.6%	21.0%	100.0%

9. Educational level

% within PCT area of residence

	Educational level			Total
	LOW (None / Primary / Elementary School)	MEDIUM (Secondary / High School)	HIGH (University / College)	
NHS Manchester	6.3%	24.1%	69.6%	100.0%
All other North West	9.3%	11.6%	79.1%	100.0%
Total	7.1%	20.6%	72.3%	100.0%

10. Religion

% within PCT area of residence

	Religion category						Total
	Christian	African traditional	Islam	Buddhism	other	none	
NHS Manchester	56.9%	3.7%	28.4%	2.8%	.9%	7.3%	100.0%
All other North West	48.8%	2.3%	27.9%	2.3%		18.6%	100.0%
Total	54.6%	3.3%	28.3%	2.6%	.7%	10.5%	100.0%

11. Gender of sexual intercourse partners in the last year (males)

% within PCT area of residence

	Gender of sexual intercourse partners in the last year (males)			Total
	NO SEX	Exclusively heterosexual	Behaviourally bisexual	
NHS Manchester	22.9%	64.6%	12.5%	100.0%
All other North West	25.0%	68.8%	6.3%	100.0%
Total	23.4%	65.6%	10.9%	100.0%

12. Gender of sexual intercourse partners in the last year (females)

% within PCT area of residence

	Gender of sexual intercourse partners in the last year (female)				Total
	NO SEX	Exclusively heterosexual	Behaviourally bisexual	Exclusively homosexual	
NHS Manchester	22.4%	62.1%	12.1%	3.4%	100.0%
All other North West	37.5%	58.3%		4.2%	100.0%
Total	26.8%	61.0%	8.5%	3.7%	100.0%

13. Circumcision (males)

% within PCT area of residence

	Circumcision (males)		Total
	Circumcised	Uncircumcised	
NHS Manchester	56.9%	43.1%	100.0%
All other North West	61.1%	38.9%	100.0%
Total	58.0%	42.0%	100.0%

14. Circumcision (females)

% within PCT area of residence

	Circumcision (females)			Total
	Circumcised	Uncircumcised	Don't know	
NHS Manchester	6.7%	91.7%	1.7%	100.0%
All other North West	8.7%	87.0%	4.3%	100.0%
Total	7.2%	90.4%	2.4%	100.0%

HIV AND STI TESTING AND DIAGNOSIS

15. Perceived HIV status

% within PCT area of residence

	HIV - Status belief					Total
	Definitely negative	Probably negative	Not sure / I don't know	Probably positive	Definitely positive	
NHS Manchester	39.8%	18.6%	24.8%	4.4%	12.4%	100.0%
All other North West	47.7%	18.2%	20.5%	6.8%	6.8%	100.0%
Total	42.0%	18.5%	23.6%	5.1%	10.8%	100.0%

16. HIV testing history

% within PCT area of residence

	HIV Testing History			Total
	Never tested	Last test negative	Tested positive	
NHS Manchester	35.4%	51.3%	13.3%	100.0%
All other North West	45.5%	38.6%	15.9%	100.0%
Total	38.2%	47.8%	14.0%	100.0%

17. Desirability of and access to HIV testing

% within PCT area of residence

	Desirability of and access to HIV testing						Total
	Don't want a test but know where to get one	Not sure if want a test but know where to get one	Want a test and know where to get one	Don't want a test and don't know where to get one	Not sure if want a test and don't know where to get one	Want a test and don't know where to get one	
NHS Manchester	31.1%	13.2%	35.8%	4.7%	6.6%	8.5%	100.0%
All other North West	35.0%	22.5%	27.5%	5.0%	5.0%	5.0%	100.0%
Total	32.2%	15.8%	33.6%	4.8%	6.2%	7.5%	100.0%

18. Most recent STI test (other than HIV or cervical smears)

% within PCT area of residence

	Most recent STI test other than HIV or cervical smears						Total
	In the last month	In the last 12 months	1 to 5 years ago	More than 5 years ago	Never	Don't know	
NHS Manchester	11.7%	34.2%	18.0%	7.2%	27.0%	1.8%	100.0%
All other North West	2.4%	17.1%	19.5%	19.5%	36.6%	4.9%	100.0%
Total	9.2%	29.6%	18.4%	10.5%	29.6%	2.6%	100.0%

SEXUAL HEALTH AND HIV RISK BEHAVIOURS

19. Current regular sexual relationships

% within PCT area of residence

	Current regular sexual relationships				Total
	NO regular partner at present	One regular partner (mongamous)	One regular partner (but NOT monogamous)	More than one regular partner	
NHS Manchester	42.7%	35.5%	14.5%	7.3%	100.0%
All other North West	48.8%	31.7%	17.1%	2.4%	100.0%
Total	44.4%	34.4%	15.2%	6.0%	100.0%

20. Total number of sexual intercourse partners in the last year

% within PCT area of residence

	Total number of sexual intercourse partners in the last year								Total
	None	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	6 to 12	13 or more	
NHS Manchester	22.4%	38.3%	14.0%	10.3%	1.9%	1.9%	9.3%	1.9%	100.0%
All other North West	34.1%	39.0%	19.5%					7.3%	100.0%
Total	25.7%	38.5%	15.5%	7.4%	1.4%	1.4%	6.8%	3.4%	100.0%

21. Regularity of condom use in the last year

% within PCT area of residence

	Regularity of condom use in the last year						Total
	Always	More than half the time	About half the time	Less than half the time	Never	Not had intercourse in last 12 months	
NHS Manchester	31.2%	11.9%	6.4%	8.3%	18.3%	23.9%	100.0%
All other North West	20.9%	7.0%	7.0%	11.6%	20.9%	32.6%	100.0%
Total	28.3%	10.5%	6.6%	9.2%	19.1%	26.3%	100.0%

22. Experienced condom failure in the last year

% within PCT area of residence

	Experienced condom breakage or slippage in the last year		Total
	No	Yes	
NHS Manchester	77.1%	22.9%	100.0%
All other North West	86.0%	14.0%	100.0%
Total	79.6%	20.4%	100.0%

23. Likelihood of sero-discordant unprotected intercourse in the last year (males)

% within PCT area of residence

	Sex - likelihood of unprotected SDUI (males)					Total
	I definitely have	I probably have	I don't know	I probably have not	I definitely have not	
NHS Manchester	7.8%	3.9%	11.8%	7.8%	68.6%	100.0%
All other North West		11.1%	27.8%	16.7%	44.4%	100.0%
Total	5.8%	5.8%	15.9%	10.1%	62.3%	100.0%

24. Likelihood of sero-discordant unprotected intercourse in the last year (females)

% within PCT area of residence

	Sex - likelihood of unprotected SDUI (females)					Total
	I definitely have	I probably have	I don't know	I probably have not	I definitely have not	
NHS Manchester	3.8%	3.8%	15.4%	19.2%	57.7%	100.0%
All other North West			13.0%	13.0%	73.9%	100.0%
Total	2.7%	2.7%	14.7%	17.3%	62.7%	100.0%

HIV AWARENESS AND KNOWLEDGE NEEDS

25. AIDS caused by virus called HIV

% within PCT area of residence

	AIDS is caused by a virus called HIV				Total
	I knew this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I didn't know this	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	90.3%	8.0%	1.8%		100.0%
All other North West	93.2%	4.5%		2.3%	100.0%
Total	91.1%	7.0%	1.3%	.6%	100.0%

26. You can not be sure that someone is NOT infected by HIV by looking at them

% within PCT area of residence

	You can not be sure that someone is NOT infected by HIV by looking at them				Total
	I knew this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I didn't know this	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	78.8%	11.5%	7.1%	2.7%	100.0%
All other North West	90.9%	2.3%	4.5%	2.3%	100.0%
Total	82.2%	8.9%	6.4%	2.5%	100.0%

27. People can have HIV without knowing it

% within PCT area of residence

	People can have HIV without knowing it				Total
	I knew this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I didn't know this	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	82.4%	9.3%	4.6%	3.7%	100.0%
All other North West	95.3%		4.7%		100.0%
Total	86.1%	6.6%	4.6%	2.6%	100.0%

28. There is a medical test that can show whether or not you have HIV

% within PCT area of residence

	There is a medical test that can show whether or not you have HIV				Total
	I knew this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I didn't know this	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	86.7%	1.8%	9.7%	1.8%	100.0%
All other North West	90.9%	4.5%	4.5%		100.0%
Total	87.9%	2.5%	8.3%	1.3%	100.0%

29. Africans are NOT deported from the UK solely because they have HIV

% within PCT area of residence

	African are NOT deported from the UK just because they have HIV				Total
	I knew this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I didn't know this	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	52.3%	14.4%	25.2%	8.1%	100.0%
All other North West	59.1%	11.4%	18.2%	11.4%	100.0%
Total	54.2%	13.5%	23.2%	9.0%	100.0%

30. There is no cure for HIV infection once someone has it

% within PCT area of residence

	There is no cure for HIV infection once someone has it				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	86.5%	2.7%	9.9%	.9%	100.0%
All other North West	90.7%	4.7%	4.7%		100.0%
Total	87.7%	3.2%	8.4%	.6%	100.0%

31. At least 1-in-20 of all Africans living in England have HIV infection

% within PCT area of residence

	At least 1-in-20 of all Africans living in England have HIV infection				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	31.8%	44.5%	20.9%	2.7%	100.0%
All other North West	28.6%	47.6%	19.0%	4.8%	100.0%
Total	30.9%	45.4%	20.4%	3.3%	100.0%

32. There are HIV medicines that can help people with HIV infection

% within PCT area of residence

	There are HIV medicines that can help people with HIV to stay healthy				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	80.9%	6.4%	8.2%	4.5%	100.0%
All other North West	86.0%	9.3%	4.7%		100.0%
Total	82.4%	7.2%	7.2%	3.3%	100.0%

33. HIV medicines work better if people with HIV take them before they become ill

% within PCT area of residence

	HIV medicines work better if people with HIV take them before they become ill				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	66.4%	18.2%	11.8%	3.6%	100.0%
All other North West	66.7%	23.8%	9.5%		100.0%
Total	66.4%	19.7%	11.2%	2.6%	100.0%

34. HIV is never passed on through shaking hands or touching people

% within PCT area of residence

	HIV is never passed on through shaking hands or touching people				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	88.2%	2.7%	8.2%	.9%	100.0%
All other North West	95.3%	2.3%	2.3%		100.0%
Total	90.2%	2.6%	6.5%	.7%	100.0%

35. A person with HIV can pass it to a partner during sexual intercourse

% within PCT area of residence

	A person with HIV can pass it to a partner during sexual intercourse				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	86.4%	5.5%	4.5%	3.6%	100.0%
All other North West	95.3%	2.3%	2.3%		100.0%
Total	88.9%	4.6%	3.9%	2.6%	100.0%

36. Condoms are free from sexual health clinics, family planning clinics and some community organisations

% within PCT area of residence

	Condoms are free from sexual health clinics, family planning clinics and some community organisations				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	63.6%	20.6%	14.0%	1.9%	100.0%
All other North West	72.1%	16.3%	9.3%	2.3%	100.0%
Total	66.0%	19.3%	12.7%	2.0%	100.0%

37. Some people with HIV have been imprisoned in the UK for passing their infection to a sexual partner

% within PCT area of residence

	Some people with HIV have been imprisoned in the UK for passing their infection to a sexual partner				Total
	I knew this before today	I didn't know this before today	I wasn't sure if this was true or not	I don't understand this	
NHS Manchester	52.7%	32.7%	10.0%	4.5%	100.0%
All other North West	55.8%	34.9%	7.0%	2.3%	100.0%
Total	53.6%	33.3%	9.2%	3.9%	100.0%

OTHER HIV PREVENTION NEEDS

38. I can use condoms with a sexual partner if I want to

% within PCT area of residence

	I can use condoms with a sexual partner if I want to					Total
	strongly agree	agree	don't know / does not apply	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	54.7%	17.9%	12.3%	8.5%	6.6%	100.0%
All other North West	47.6%	28.6%	11.9%	11.9%		100.0%
Total	52.7%	20.9%	12.2%	9.5%	4.7%	100.0%

39. I sometimes have a problem getting hold of condoms

% within PCT area of residence

	I sometimes have a problem getting hold of condoms					Total
	strongly agree	agree	don't know / does not apply	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	4.8%	21.9%	21.9%	20.0%	31.4%	100.0%
All other North West	4.8%	21.4%	31.0%	28.6%	14.3%	100.0%
Total	4.8%	21.8%	24.5%	22.4%	26.5%	100.0%

40. If I carried a condom I would worry about what people thought of me

% within PCT area of residence

	If I carried a condom I would worry about what people thought of me					Total
	strongly agree	agree	don't know / does not apply	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	24.1%	16.7%	9.3%	19.4%	30.6%	100.0%
All other North West	32.6%	18.6%	11.6%	23.3%	14.0%	100.0%
Total	26.5%	17.2%	9.9%	20.5%	25.8%	100.0%

41. I would find it easy to talk about safer sex and HIV with new sexual partners

% within PCT area of residence

	I would find it easy to talk about safer sex and HIV with new sexual partners					Total
	strongly agree	agree	don't know / does not apply	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	37.4%	27.1%	25.2%	6.5%	3.7%	100.0%
All other North West	39.5%	27.9%	20.9%	11.6%		100.0%
Total	38.0%	27.3%	24.0%	8.0%	2.7%	100.0%

42. I do not want to get HIV (if I haven't already got it) [Among those who had NOT tested HIV positive]

% within PCT area of residence

	ION - I do not want to get or pass on HIV (not tested HIV positive)					Total
	strongly agree	agree	not sure	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	82.8%	8.6%	4.3%	3.2%	1.1%	100.0%
All other North West	88.6%	5.7%	5.7%			100.0%
Total	84.4%	7.8%	4.7%	2.3%	.8%	100.0%

43. I think I am at risk of getting HIV [Among those who had NOT tested HIV positive]

% within PCT area of residence

	ION - Think I am at risk of getting or passing on HIV (not tested HIV positive)					Total
	strongly agree	agree	not sure	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	6.5%	7.5%	19.4%	29.0%	37.6%	100.0%
All other North West	5.7%	14.3%	17.1%	17.1%	45.7%	100.0%
Total	6.3%	9.4%	18.8%	25.8%	39.8%	100.0%

44. I have the power to reduce my risk of getting HIV [Among those who had NOT tested HIV positive]

% within PCT area of residence

	ION - I have power to reduce risk of getting or passing on HIV (not tested HIV positive)					Total
	strongly agree	agree	not sure	disagree	strongly disagree	
NHS Manchester	73.1%	11.8%	8.6%	3.2%	3.2%	100.0%
All other North West	80.0%	14.3%	5.7%			100.0%
Total	75.0%	12.5%	7.8%	2.3%	2.3%	100.0%

45. Desire for more sexual health and HIV knowledge

% within PCT area of residence

	Desire for more sexual health and HIV knowledge		Total
	No	Yes	
NHS Manchester	10.1%	89.9%	100.0%
All other North West	7.3%	92.7%	100.0%
Total	9.3%	90.7%	100.0%

46. Desire to learn about sexual health and HIV through reading

% within PCT area of residence

	Desire to learn about sexual health and HIV through reading		Total
	No	Yes	
NHS Manchester	28.0%	72.0%	100.0%
All other North West	12.2%	87.8%	100.0%
Total	23.6%	76.4%	100.0%

47. Desire to learn more about sexual health and HIV through talking to an individual

% within PCT area of residence

	Desire to learn about sexual health and HIV through talking to an individual		Total
	No	Yes	
NHS Manchester	41.1%	58.9%	100.0%
All other North West	53.7%	46.3%	100.0%
Total	44.6%	55.4%	100.0%

48. Desire to learn more about sexual health and HIV through taking part in a group

% within PCT area of residence

	Desire to learn about sexual health and HIV through taking part in group/workshop		Total
	No	Yes	
NHS Manchester	84.1%	15.9%	100.0%
All other North West	85.4%	14.6%	100.0%
Total	84.5%	15.5%	100.0%

49. Heard of PEP

% within PCT area of residence

	Heard of PEP		Total
	No	Yes	
NHS Manchester	65.1%	34.9%	100.0%
All other North West	59.5%	40.5%	100.0%
Total	63.6%	36.4%	100.0%

50. Willingness to use PEP [Among those who had NOT tested HIV positive]

% within PCT area of residence

	Willingness to use PEP (amongst those who have not tested HIV positive)			Total
	No	Yes	Maybe	
NHS Manchester	5.4%	63.0%	31.5%	100.0%
All other North West	5.9%	61.8%	32.4%	100.0%
Total	5.6%	62.7%	31.7%	100.0%

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