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INSTRUMENT TITLE: AIDS Knowledge (unspecified)

SOURCE ARTICLE: Im-Em, W., VanLandingham, M., Knodel, J., & Saengtienchai, C. (2002). HIV/AIDS-related knowledge and attitudes: A comparison of older persons and young adults in Thailand. *AIDS Education and Prevention, 14*, 246-262.

POPULATION: women, men, general population

RESPONSE OPTIONS: *Correct* or *Incorrect* (in reference to the given statement)

SCORING: Summed total of right answers

SURVEY ITEMS: Please see attached for formatted version

RELIABILITY INFORMATION: Overall Cronbach's $\alpha = 0.70$;

VALIDITY INFORMATION: Known Group Validity and Factor Structure were reported

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AIDS Knowledge Question

- Get AIDS by having unprotected sexual relations with a PHA *** (q34)
- Get AIDS from sharing needles used for drug injection with a PHA* (q32)
- Get AIDS from tainted blood transfusion* (q25)
- Newborn can get AIDS from being nursed by a PHA mother*** (q31)
- Get AIDS from coming into contact with the blood of a PHA, for example during care giving?*** (q28)
- Get AIDS by living in the same household with a PHA** (q36)
- Get AIDS from sharing meal with PHA** (q24)
- Get AIDS by using the same toilet as a PHA** (q35)
- Get AIDS by sharing a drinking glass with a PHA** (q33)
- Get AIDS from PHA funeral** (q26)
- Get AIDS from mosquitoes that have bitten a PHA** (q29)
- No cure for AIDS at present* (q42)
- Infected persons may be asymptomatic* (q37)
- Modern drugs exist that can lengthen the life of a PHA**** (q39)
- Modern drugs are available to public that can prevent HIV contraction** (q38)
- Traditional drugs exist that can prevent HIV contraction** (q40)
- Traditional drugs exist that can lengthen the life of a PHA** (q41)

AIDS Knowledge Question

- Caregiver should wear plastic gloves if PHA has open sores or diarrhea (q43)
- Caregiver should wear plastic gloves if PHA has no open sores or diarrhea (q44)
- Caretaker of PHA with TB should wear a mask (q47)
- Caretaker of PHA with no TB should wear a mask (q48)
- Housemates of PHA can safely share (q49):
 - Laundered clothes
 - Washed dishes
 - A washed drinking glass
 - A book
 - A pen
- Total number

Note. PHA = person living with HIV and/or AIDS.

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