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SABI Database

**INSTRUMENT TITLE:** Perceived HIV transmissibility


**RESPONSE OPTIONS:** 5-point Likert scale, ranging from strongly disagree (1 point) to strongly agree (5 points), or I don’t know

**SURVEY ITEMS:**

**Reduced HIV transmissibility belief (unprotected sex):**

1. By taking HIV medicines, an HIV+ person reduces the chance of infecting someone with HIV through unprotected sex
2. If an HIV+ person does not have any HIV virus detected in the blood, it is harder for him/her to infect someone through unprotected sex

**Reduced HIV transmissibility belief (needle sharing):**

1. By taking HIV medicines, an HIV+ person reduces the chance of infecting someone with HIV through sharing needles
2. If an HIV+ person does not have any HIV virus detected in the blood, it is harder for him/her to infect someone through sharing needles

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