

HEALTH

**Part of the “Public Services” Section of the Citizen Report Card
on Public Services, Good Governance and Development from 120 Niger Delta Communities**

(6 States, 13 LGAs, 478 Focus Groups, 9,018 Participants)

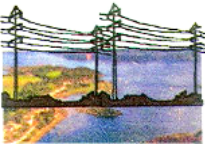
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METHODOLOGY

1. NIDPRODEV programme officers fluent in local languages and culture visited each of the 120 communities, where they first spoke to community members in a Town Hall Meeting to describe the project and answer any questions. Community members were then asked to participate in Focus Group discussions. Those who participated were divided into four (4) different focus groups based on gender and age: Older Men, Younger Men, Older Women, and Younger Women. The age of forty years (40) was given as the distinguishing age between an older person and a younger person. Although NIDPRODEV staff did not verify participants' ages, it did ensure that people who presented themselves in focus groups who were noticeably above or below the appropriate age for that group were asked to join the appropriate Focus Group.
2. Within each Focus Group, participants were asked each survey question and then instructed to discuss the question openly among the group members. When the group reached consensus on an answer, the NIDPRODEV programme officer repeated the answer and asked the group to confirm that the answer given is indeed the one they wished to have recorded. For certain questions that required individual participant answers, such as "Who in this room can read a book out loud to another person," participants were asked to raise their hands as the form of response.
3. In addition to specific answers to survey questions, qualitative responses from each Focus Group were recorded by the NIDPRODEV programme officers. Those narrative answers are provided in whole in the section of the Citizen Report Card of 120 Niger Delta Communities as "Community Member Comments." The comments reinforce the answers given in the survey responses, and in some cases, go further in providing a more contextual understanding of community life and struggles.
4. The responses of women in the Younger Women Focus Groups are used herein for all questions that relate to (a) immunization of children, (b) the distribution of free mosquito nets, and (c) treatment of children for malaria and diarrhoea. This decision was made because of the Younger Women's greater awareness of what is being provided for young children in the community, and because their efforts to treat or seek treatment of young children today may differ from Older Women's efforts or past behavior.
5. All questions were open-ended. NIDPRODEV programme officers did not suggest any possible answers to the focus group members.

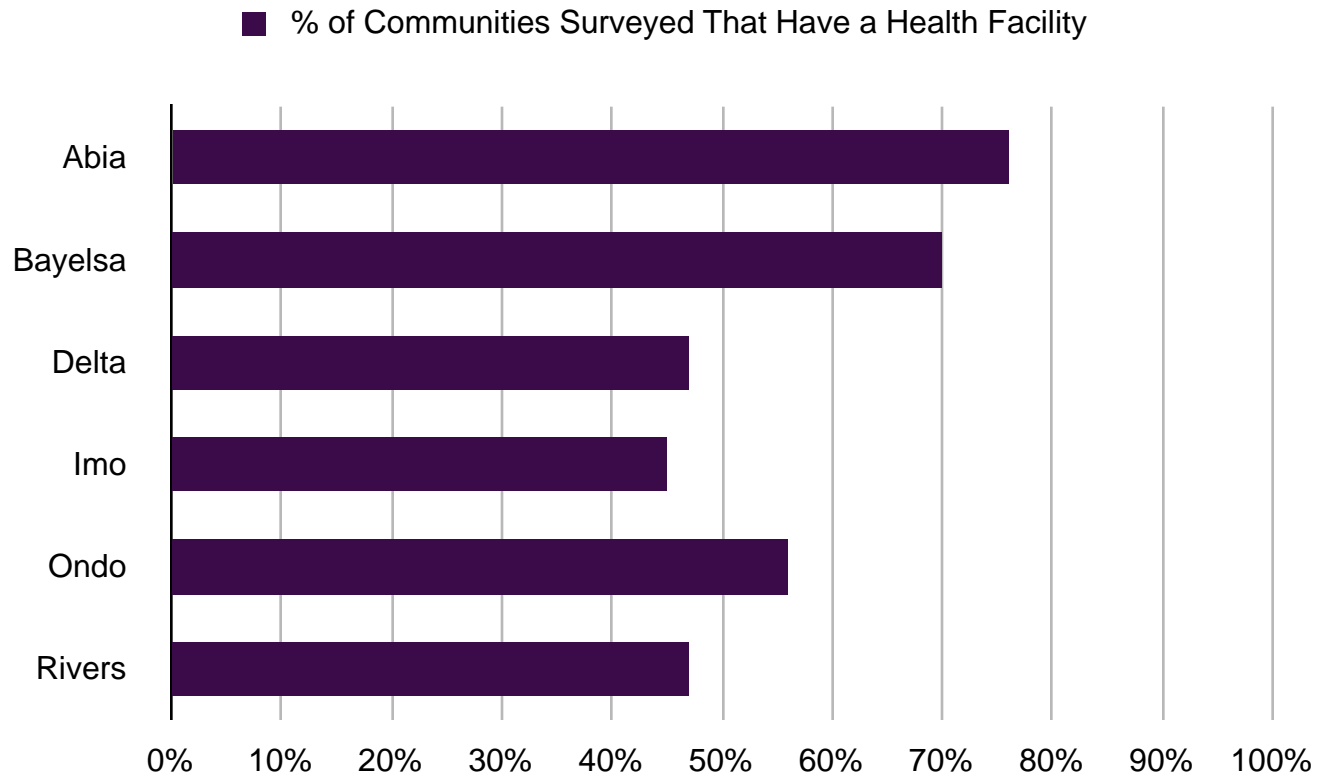
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COMMUNITIES WITH SOME FORM OF HEALTH FACILITY

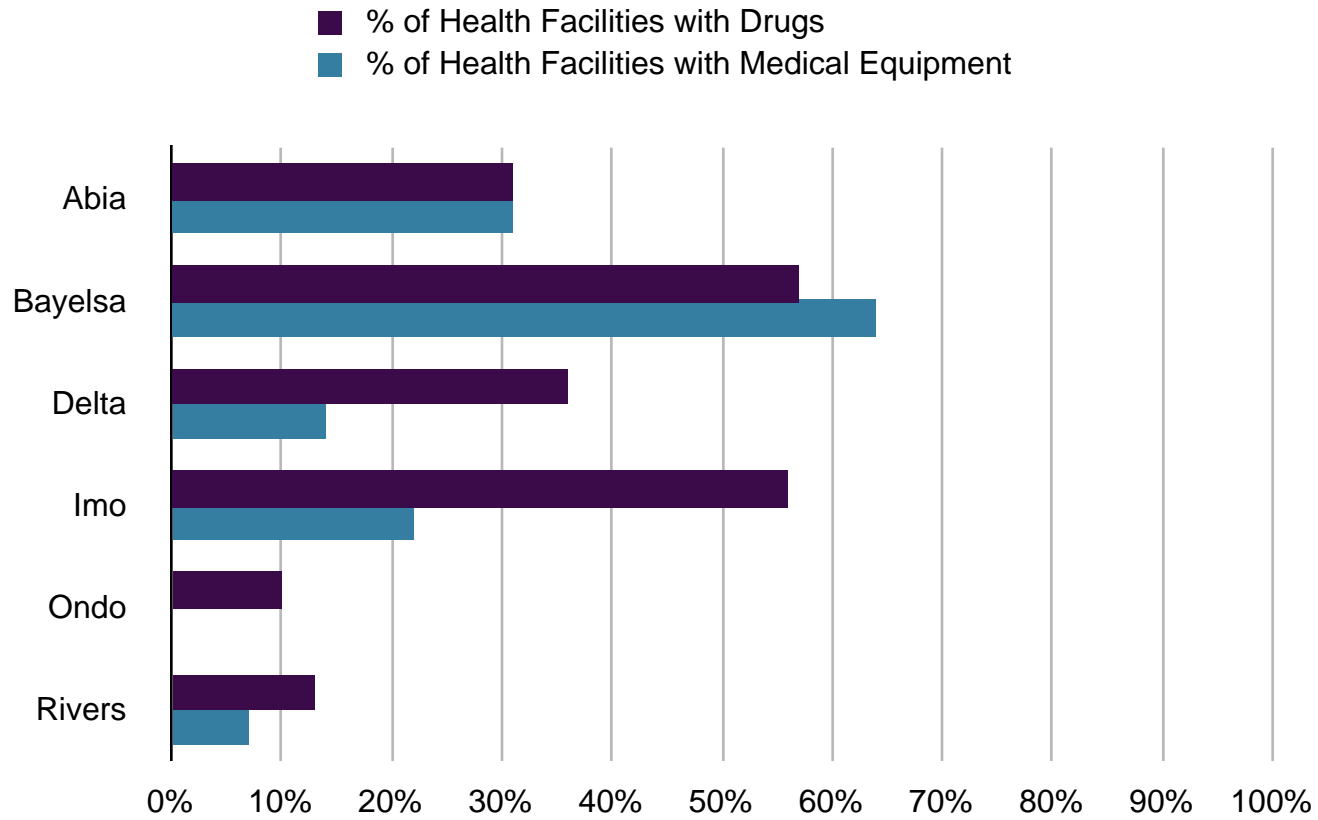
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FUNCTIONALITY OF COMMUNITY HEALTH FACILITIES

Drugs and Medical Equipment

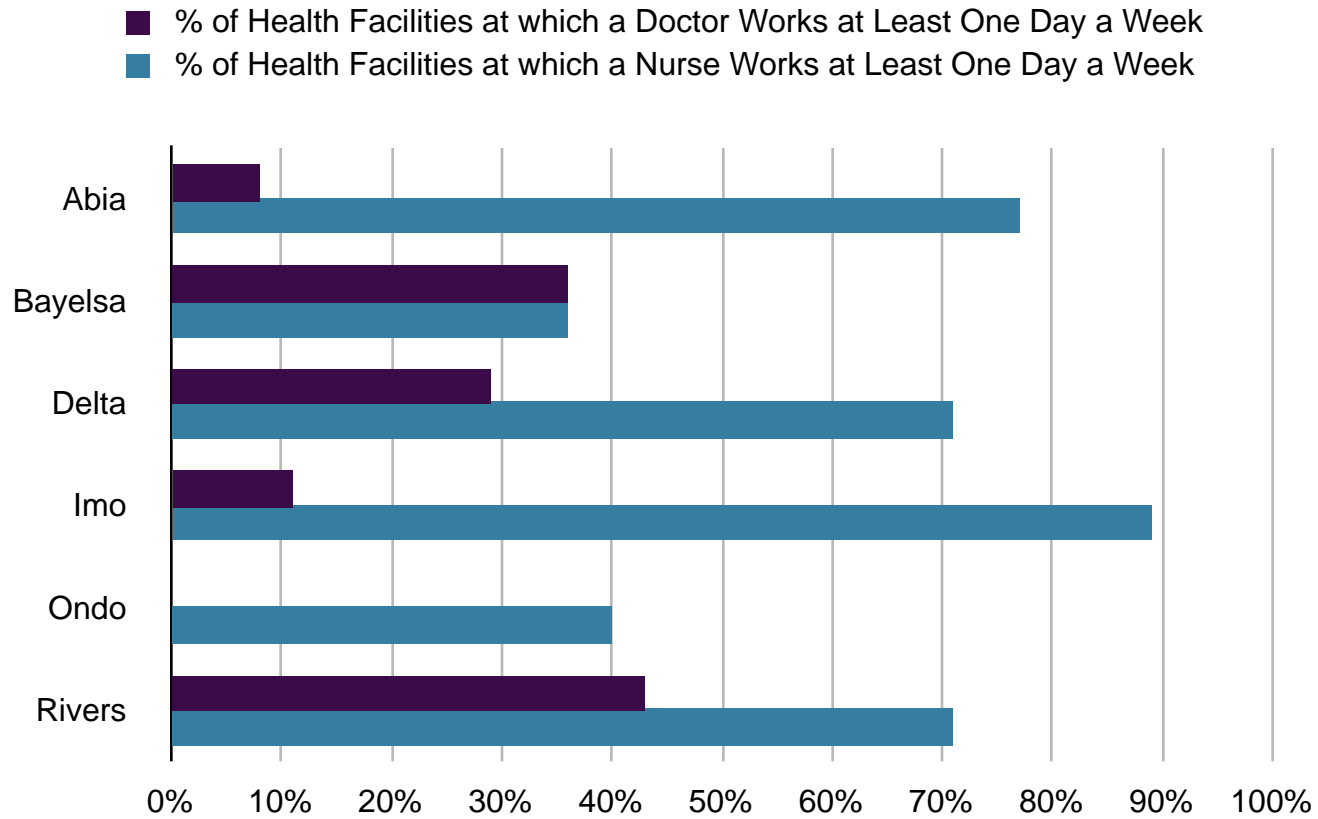
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FUNCTIONALITY OF COMMUNITY HEALTH FACILITIES

Medical Personnel

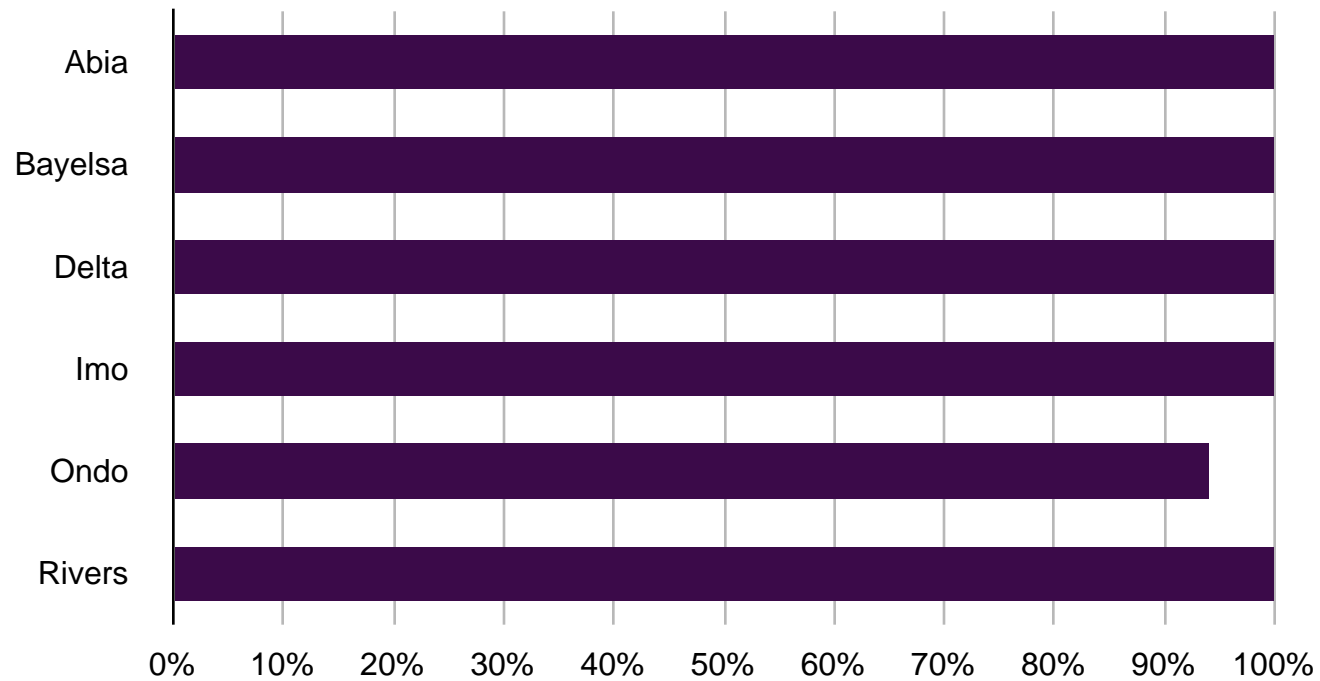
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IMMUNIZATION OF CHILDREN

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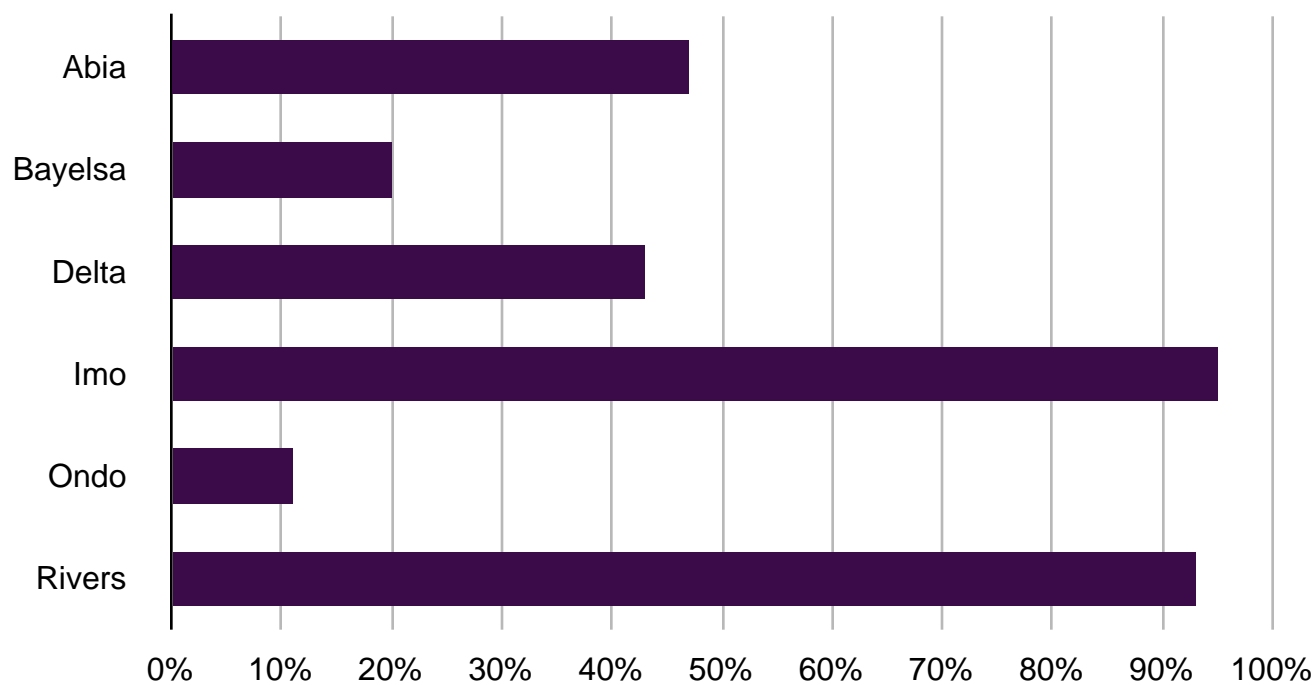
■ % of Communities Surveyed That State Their Children Received Immunizations Over the Past Year



FREE MOSQUITO NET DISTRIBUTION

(a State-to-State comparison)

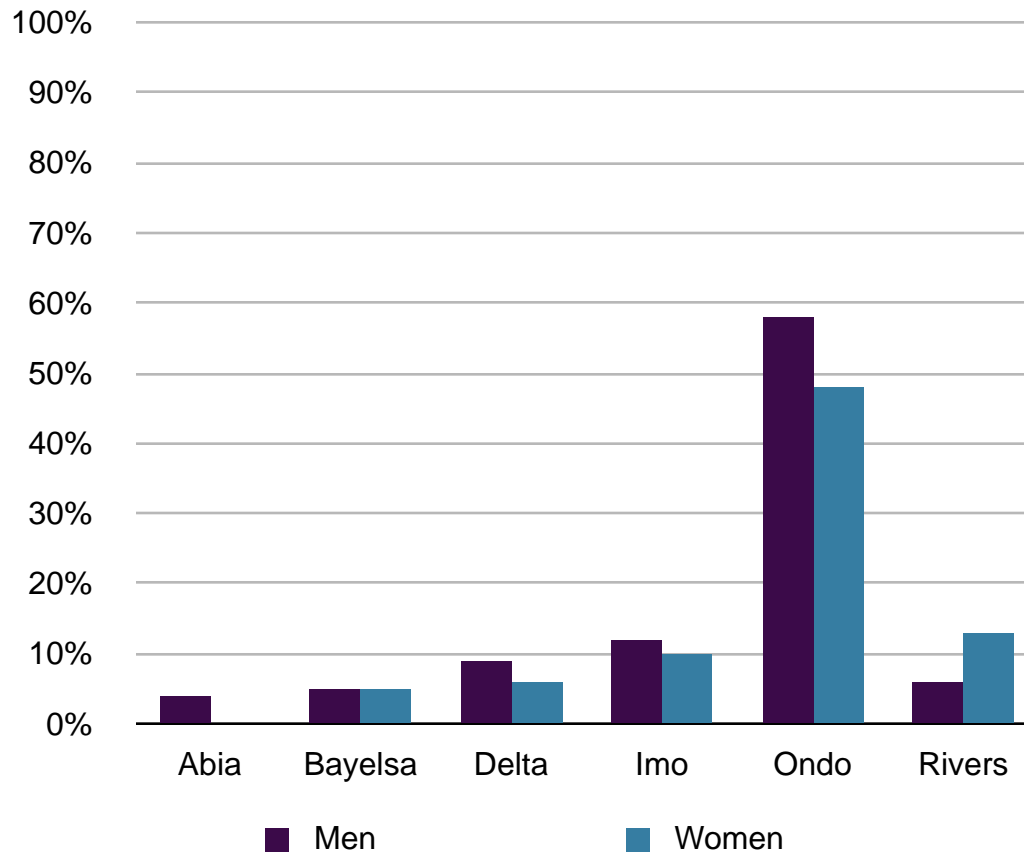
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MOSQUITO NET USAGE

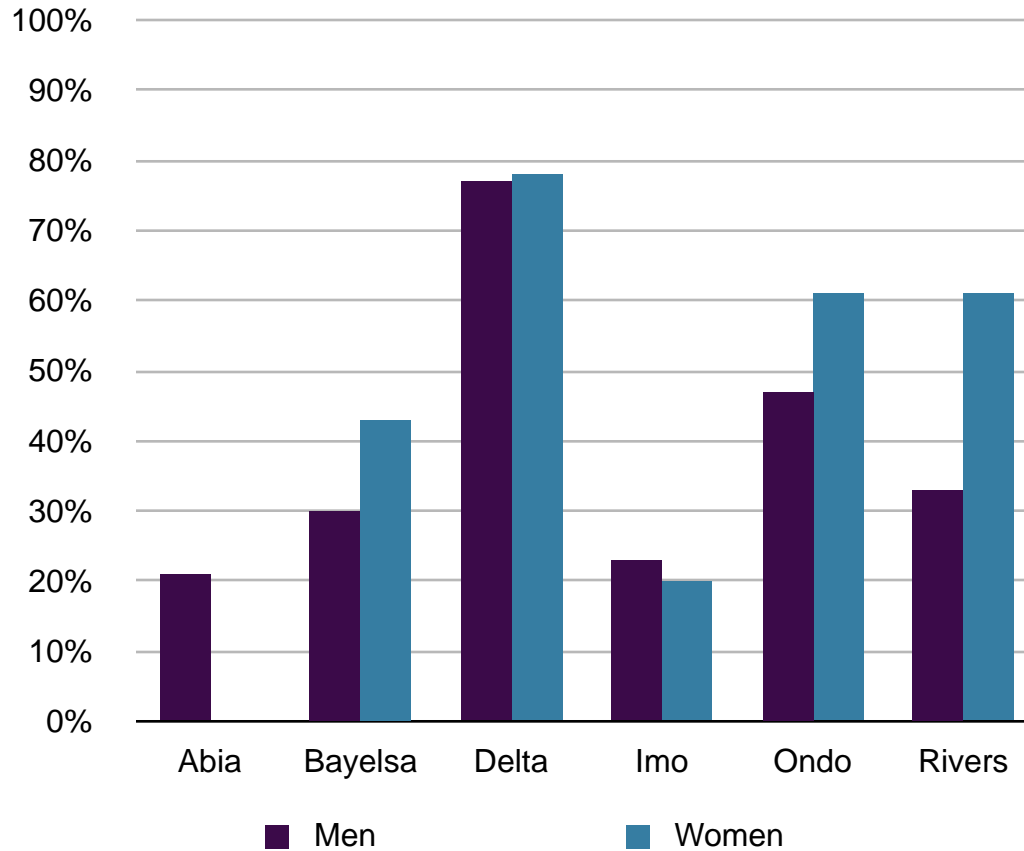
PERCENTAGE OF PARTICIPANTS WHO SAY THEY SLEPT UNDER A MOSQUITO NET THE NIGHT BEFORE

(State-to-State Comparison)



HIV/AIDS AWARENESS: Percentage of Focus Groups That State That They Do Not Know the Causes of HIV/AIDS or Have Glaring Misperceptions About the Causes of HIV/AIDS*

(State-to-State Comparison)



* “Glaring misperceptions” include mosquitos, dogs, dirty water, dirty toilets, foreign travel, long-term hunger and deep kissing. See tables within each State section for specific Focus Group responses.

HEALTH INFORMATION

BY

STATE,
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA, and COMMUNITY

ABIA STATE

Ukwa East LGA (9 Communities)

and

Ukwa West LGA (8 Communities)

Focus Group Questions about Health Facilities, Medical Staff, Medical Equipment, and Drugs:

*** 13 of the 17 communities have some form of health facility.**

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Abia	Ukwa East	Akirika Nta	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Obuozu (Ikwoorieator West)	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Azumini	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Obeaku	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Ohambele	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Obohia	health centre	yes	no	yes	yes	yes
		Okotoko	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Akwete	maternity only	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Ohuru Ndoki	health centre	yes	no	yes	yes	yes
Abia	Ukwa West	Owaza	hospital	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
		Umudiobia	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Obehie	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Umuorie	health centre	yes	no	yes	yes	yes
		Umuokwor Asa	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Ezendioma	no health facility	n/a	no	no	no	no
		Umuebulungwu	health centre	no	no	no	no	no
		Umuiku	health centre	no	no	no	no	no

Focus Group Questions about Immunizations, Mosquito Nets Distribution, and Malaria and Diarrhea Treatment:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Abia	Ukwa East	Akirika Nta	yes	no	use herbs for treatment	use herbs for treatment
		Obuozu (Ikwoorieator West)	yes	no	go to chemist to buy drugs at the neighbouring community about 5 miles away.	go to chemist to buy drugs at the neighbouring community about 5 miles away.
		Azumini	yes	no	visit the health centre	visit the health centre
		Obeaku	yes	no	visit the chemist to buy drugs	visit the health centre for treatment
		Ohambele	yes	no	visit the chemist	visit the chemist
		Obohia	yes	no	visit the health centre	visit the chemist
		Okotoko	yes	no	visit hospital at Aba	visit the hospital at Aba

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Akwete	yes	no	visit the chemist	visit the chemist
		Ohuru Ndoki	yes	no	visit health centre	visit health centre
Abia	Ukwa West	Owaza	yes	yes	visit hospital for treatments	visit hospital for treatments
		Umudiobia	yes	yes	We go to private hospital at Obehie.	We go to private hospital at Obehie.
		Obehie	yes	yes	go to chemist to buy drugs	go to chemist to buy drugs
		Umuorie	yes	yes	visit health centre for treatment	visit health centre for treatments
		Umuokwor Asa	yes	yes	go far distance for treatments	go far distance for treatments
		Ezendioma	yes	yes	go to neighboring hospital for treatment	go to neighboring community hospital for treatment

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Umuebulungwu	yes	yes	visit the chemist	visit the chemist
		Umuiku	yes	yes	visit the chemist	visit the chemist

FOCUS GROUP QUESTION ABOUT HIV/AIDS AWARENESS:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Abia	Ukwa East	Akirika Nta	unprotected sex, unscreened blood transfusion	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sex	unprotected sex
		Obuozu (Ikwoorieator West)	unsterilized objects, unprotected sex	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects, environment	unprotected sex	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects
		Azumini	unprotected sex, blood transfusion, sharing of sharp objects	carelessness, unsterilized sharp objects, unprotected sex	unprotected sex	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects
		Obeaku	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, unsterilized objects	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects.	unprotected sexual intercourse, unsterilized objects, salon	use of unsterilized sharp objects, unprotected sex

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Ohambele	blood transfusion, unprotected sexual intercourse, salon, unsterilized objects	unprotected sexual intercourse, unsterilized sharp objects	blood transfusion, unprotected sexual intercourse	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects, use of syringe for more than one person
		Obohia	unprotected sexual intercourse, unsterilized objects, salon	unsterilized sharp objects, unprotected sex	blood transfusion, salon	don't know
		Okotoko	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects	unscreened blood transfusion, unprotected sex, using of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sexual intercourse, salon, unsterilized sharp object	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Akwete	salon, unprotected sexual intercourse, sharing of sharp objects	unscreened blood transfusion, unsterilized sharp objects, unprotected sex, multiple sex partners	blood transfusion, sharp objects, unprotected sexual intercourse	unscreened blood transfusion, unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects
		Ohuru Ndoki	unprotected sexual intercourse, unsterilized objects, salon	unprotected sex, using sharp objects	unprotected sexual intercourse, salon, unsterilized object	transfusion of unscreened blood, unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects
Abia	Ukwa West	Owaza	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects	casual sex without protection; sharing of contaminated sharp objects	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Umudiobia	unprotected sex	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects, untreated STDS, mosquito bites	unprotected sex, salon, use of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects used by a contaminated person.
		Obehie	unprotected sex, unscreened blood transfusion	unprotected sexual intercourse; sharing sharp objects; unscreened blood transfusion	use of unsterilized sharp objects, unprotected sex, salon, blood transfusion	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects
		Umuorie	unprotected sex	unprotected sex, using unsterilized sharp objects, untreated STD	unprotected sex	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Umuokwor Asa	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects	sexual intercourse, using unsterilized sharp objects, environmental uncleanliness	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sex
		Ezendioma	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sex, contaminated sharp objects	unprotected sex, blood transfusion, use of unsterilized sharp objects	HIV Virus
		Umuebulungwu	unprotected sex, blood transfusion, salon	we don't know	unprotected sex, salon, blood transfusion, unsterilized objects	don't know
		Umuiku	unprotected sex, blood transfusion, unsterilized objects	mosquitos, unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects.	unprotected sex, salon, unsterilized objects	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects

BAYELSA STATE

Kolokuma/Opokuma LGA (10 Communities)

and

Sagbama LGA (10 Communities)

Focus Group Questions about Health Facilities, Medical Staff, Medical Equipment, and Drugs:

* 14 of the 20 communities have some form of health facility.

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Bayelsa	Kolokuma /Opokuma	Igbedi	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Okoloba	health centre	yes	yes	yes	no	no
		Sabagreia	health centre	yes	yes	yes	yes	no
		Kaiama	hospital	yes	yes	yes	no	no
		Ayibabiri	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Orubiri	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ayakoroama	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Akaranbiri	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Odi	hospital, health centre	yes	yes	yes	no	yes
		Olobiri	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Bayelsa	Sagbama	Toru-Ebeni	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Trofani	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Odoni	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Agbere	hospital	yes	yes	yes	no	no

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Adagbabiri	health centre	yes	no	yes	yes	yes
		Sagbama	hospital, health centre	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
		Bulou-Orua	health centre	yes	yes	yes	no	yes
		Ebedebiri	hospital	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
		Tungbo-Ebe	health centre	no	no	no	yes	no
		Toru-Angiama	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no

Focus Group Questions about Immunizations, Mosquito Nets Distribution, and Malaria and Diarrhea Treatment:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed <i>free</i> mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Bayelsa	Kolokuma /Opokuma	Igbedi	yes	yes	native herbs or take them to Okolobiri General hospital (for those that has money)	visit chemist for tablets and treatment
		Okoloba	yes	no	take them to health centre	take them to health centre
		Sabagreia	yes	no	buy paracetamol/ visit chemist	take them to health centre and chemist
		Kaiama	yes	no	take them to the cottage hospital	take them to the cottage hospital
		Ayibabiri	yes	no	take them to a near by clan health centre for treatment	visit the same health centre for proper check up/treatment
		Orubiri	yes	no	we use native medication	go to hospital or native medication

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed <i>free</i> mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Ayakoroama	yes	no	local herbs,take to the next communities for treatment	sugar and salt solution
		Akaranbiri	yes	no	take them to a clinic outside the community	take them to a clinic outside the community.
		Odi	yes	yes	use of chemist and hospital	use hospital
		Olobiri	yes	no	take them to Okolobiri hospital or Sagbama.	take them to Okolobiri hospital or Sagbama, or self medication.
Bayelsa	Sagbama	Toru-Ebeni	yes	no	talk to chemists; take to general hospital at Amasomma	talk to chemists; take to general hospital at Amasomma

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed <i>free</i> mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Trofani	yes	no	buy paracetamol from chemist	local herbs, cross over to Delta state for proper check up and treatment
		Odoni	yes	no	take to chemist or use herbs (Agbo)	boil guava leaf and give them to drink or take to chemist, some buy capsules and give to them (self medication)
		Agbere	yes	no	take them to cottage hospital	take them to cottage hospital
		Adagbabiri	yes	yes	take them to our health centre for treatment	prepare salt and sugar solution for them before taking them to the health centre

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed <i>free</i> mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Sagbama	yes	no	take them to hospital	take them to hospital, mix capsule with gin and give it to them, give them starch to drink.
		Bulou-Orua	yes	no	take the child to the health centre for treatment	take the child to the health centre for treatment
		Ebedebiri	yes	yes	take our children to the hospital for treatment	go to the hospital
		Tungbo-Ebe	yes	no	take our children to Sagbama hospital	take them to any hospital that is closer.
		Toru-Angiama	yes	no	rush them to Sagbama hospital, visit chemist in our community	buy tetracycline and Flaggy from the chemist within our community and give them.

FOCUS GROUP QUESTION ABOUT HIV/AIDS AWARENESS:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Bayelsa	Kolokuma /Opokuma	Igbedi	sexual intercourse with affected person, through blade/ needles	unprotected sex, contaminated shared objects been used by effected person or contaminated blood	don't know	don't know
		Okoloba	using same sharp objects with an effected persons,or through unprotected sex	sharp objects,casual sex,blood transfusion	using the same sharp objects with effected person, unprotected sex	sexual intercourse, kiss, sharp objects and bad toilet (public toilet)
		Sabagreia	use of sharp objects	sex,sharp object and blood transfusion	no idea	unprotected sex or contaminated sharp objects

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Kaiama	use of sharp objects, sexual intercourse, blood transfusion	sexual intercourse, sharp objects	unprotected sex, using sharp object with an infected person	illicit sexual act, hair cuts, blood transfusion, sharp objects
		Ayibabiri	sharp objects,sex,blood transfusion	sharp objects,sex	unprotected sex,effected blood transfusion,using sharp objects with effected person.	blood transfusion
		Orubiri	through sharp object,having sex with effected person.	sex,through clippers,razor blades	unprotected sex or through effected blood transfusion	walker-walker,clipper,blade,man/woman
		Ayakoroama	use of sharp objects,sexual intercourse	unprotected sex,use of infected needle,blood transfusion	unprotected sex and blood transfusion	indiscriminate sex, using sharp object,blood transfusion, unhealthy toilet.

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Akaranbiri	don't know	having sex with the effected person,through sharp objects.	no idea	casual sex,unprotected toilet
		Odi	sexual relationship with infected partners,unsterilized needle.	unprotected sex with effected person.	through man and woman contact,by using sharp object that infected has used,through barbing salon.	sex with infected partner,syringes,needles,blades,blood transfusion.
		Olobiri	through unprotected sex,through sharp object.	don't know	don't know	woman, man, sharp objects, injection
Bayelsa	Sagbama	Toru-Ebeni	don't know	blood transfusion and sex	unprotected sex and using expired drugs and contaminated sharp objects	sexing, using unsterilized objects like slippers, needles and razors. From evil doing (raping or evil plans)

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Trofani	unprotected sex, sharp objects, blood transfusion	sharp objects, unprotected sex	sex, sharp objects and blood transfusion. Some don't know	wayward sexual affairs
		Odoni	sex, blood, blade	unprotected sex	no idea	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects
		Agbere	don't know	don't know	contaminated sharp objects, unprotected sex	use of contaminated shaving systems, poor toilet system, using sharp objects that has been used by an infected person

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Adagbabiri	unprotected sexual intercourse, deep kissing,through the use of sharp objects	unprotected sex with affected person,use of sharp objects like razor blade,unsterilized syringe,clippers ,and unscreened blood	no answer	dirty toilet,unscreened blood transfusion,through sharp objects
		Sagbama	unprotected sexual intercourse,unsterilized instruments,unscreened blood transfusion	through unprotected sex	through blood transfusion,unsafe sexual act,through the use of sharp objects.	blood transfusion,through sex
		Bulou-Orua	unprotected sex with effected person.	unprotected sex with effected person.	no idea	unsterilized needles and syringes,unprotected sexual intercourse with effected person.

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Ebedebiri	through unprotected sex	through unprotected sex, sex hawking, unfaithful to partner.	no idea	no idea
		Tungbo-Ebe	through unprotected sex	sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, using of sharp objects.	though unprotected sex	interchange of fluid, infection through various means.
		Toru-Angiama	dog, through unfaithful sexual act, unprotected sexual intercourse with affected person	through unprotected sex	don't know	through unprotected sex

DELTA STATE

Ughelli South LGA (10 Communities),

Uvwie LGA (10 Communities)

and

Warri South LGA (10 Communities)

Focus Group Questions about Health Facilities, Medical Staff, Medical Equipment, and Drugs:

* 14 of the 30 communities have some form of health facility

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Delta	Ughelli South	Ekakpamre	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Otu- Jeremi	hospital, health centre	yes	yes	yes	no	yes
		Iwhrekan	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Okpavuerhe	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Olodiama	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Arhagba	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

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		Usiefrun	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Ewu	hospital, health centre	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
		Oginibo	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Okwagbe Waterside	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
Delta	Uvwie	Jakpa	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ugbomro	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Ugbolokposo	health centre	no	no	no	no	no

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Ohorhe 1	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ugborikoko	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	yes
		Erovie	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ugboroke	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Ebrumede	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Alaka	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Urhumarho/ Okotogbo	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Delta	Warri South	Aja-Etan	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ijala	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Usele	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ekurede Itsekiri	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ugbori	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ajigba	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ugbuwangue	health centre	yes	yes	yes	no	yes
		Obodo	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Orugbo	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Omadino	hospital	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes

Focus Group Questions about Immunizations, Mosquito Nets Distribution, and Malaria and Diarrhea Treatment:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Delta	Ughelli South	Ekakpamre	yes	no	local herbs or take child to chemist	take child to chemist or nearby clinic
		Otu- Jeremi	yes	yes	take to hospital or chemist for treatment	local herbs
		Iwhrekan	yes	yes	take to a nearby health centre at Otu-Jeremi and Edjophe	salt and sugar solution or take the child to health centre
		Okpavuerhe	yes	no	take children to the near by health centre	take children to near by health centre
		Olodiana	yes	no	take to the clinic	take to the clinic
		Arhagba	yes	no	herbs like dogo yaro, fruit leaves, pawpaw leaves and mango leaves	herbs like Ogbuke Oyeke leaves

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Usiefrun	yes	yes	take child to health centre	take the child to health centre
		Ewu	yes	yes	native medicine	native treatment or take the child to clinic
		Oginibo	yes	yes	buy drug from the chemist,take them to the health centre,use local herbs	take them to the health centre,use local herbs
		Okwagbe Waterside	yes	no	use local herbs	use local herbs
Delta	Uvwie	Jakpa	yes	no	take to hospitals in neighboring communities	local herbs (Ogbukeyeko leaves)
		Ugbomro	yes	no	take to health centre and nearby hospital	take to chemist

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Ugbolokposo	yes	yes	traditional medication like Agbo, like Dry pawpaw leaves, lime, lemon grass, scent leaves	drugs from chemist or we take them outside of town for medical care
		Ohorhe 1	yes	no	local herbs	local herbs
		Ugborikoko	yes	yes	take to health centre or nearby clinic	mixed salt, water and sugar
		Erovie	yes	no	visit chemist for drugs and treatment	take them to Ekpan general hospital for proper treatment and medication
		Ugboroke	yes	no	take our children to health centre	take the child to the hospital
		Ebrumede	yes	no	take them to the nearest health centre	take them to the nearest health centre

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Alaka	yes	no	take them to the health centre	take them to the health centre
		Urhumarho/ Okotogbo	yes	yes	take them to the health centre	take them to the health centre
Delta	Warri South	Aja-Etan	yes	no	herbs	herbs such as paw paw leaf and hot gin
		Ijala	yes	no	native herbs	native herbs
		Usele	yes	no	rush them to warri for treatment,we cook local herbs for them	rush them to warri for treatment,we cook local herbs for them
		Ekurede Itsekiri	yes	yes	take them to hospital at nearby community,use herbs	take them to hospital at nearby community,use herbs

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Ugbori	yes	yes	take them to general hospital at NPA Road	Take them to general hospital at NPA Road
		Ajigba	yes	no	give local herbs	give local herbs
		Ugbuwangue	yes	yes	take them to clinic	take them to clinic
		Obodo	yes	yes	buy medicine from ljedo,we also cook local herbs	buy medicine from ljedo, we also cook local herbs
		Orugbo	yes	no	take them to Warri for treatment, give them herbs (native)	take them to Warri for treatment, give them herbs (native)
		Omadino	yes	yes	go our hospital,use herbs	go to our hospital, use herbs

FOCUS GROUP QUESTION ABOUT HIV/AIDS AWARENESS:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Delta	Ughelli South	Ekakpamre	sex and sharp objects	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Otu- Jeremi	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Iwhrekan	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Okpavuerhe	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Olodiana	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Arhagba	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Usiefrun	unprotected sex	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Ewu	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Oginibo	don't know	sharp object, sex, blood transmission	don't know	through sex, blood transfusion, uses of instrument such as clippers, syringes, blood covenant by boys and girls
		Okwagbe Waterside	don't know	sex, blood contact	don't know	sexual intercourse, injection, razor, clippers

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Delta	Uvwie	Jakpa	dirty water	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Ugbomro	sexual intercourse, blood transmission, use of sharp objects	sex (unprotected), sharp objects	don't know	sexual intercourse, blood transmission, use of sharp objects such as razor blade
		Ugbolokposo	blood transfusion, sexual intercourse, sharing sharp objects	don't know	We don't know and we don't want to hear about it.	don't know
		Ohorhe 1	don't know	don't know	don't know	sexual intercourse, use of sharp objects, barbing blade.
		Ugborikoko	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Erovie	sex, prostitution, sharp objects, injection needles	don't know	me and you, mosquito bite, some girls came back with bad blood from overseas, from barbing salon	don't know
		Ugboroke	don't know	tetanus for a long time, long term hunger, Ogogoro (local gin), sickness	don't know	don't know
		Ebrumede	don't know	sharing of sharp objects, unprotected sex	sexual intercourse, use of contaminated sharp objects.	don't know
		Alaka	unprotected sexual intercourse, unscreened blood transmission	don't know	don't know	don't know

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Urhumarho/ Okotogbo	don't know	don't know	unprotected sex,toilet,contaminated needle	don't know
Delta	Warri South	Aja-Etan	sexual intercourse and sharp objects such as needle, blade	don't know	sex	don't know
		Ijala	blood transfusion, sharing of sharp objects, unprotected sex.	unprotected sex, unsterilized clippers and sharp objects	don't know	don't know
		Usele	don't know	through virus, sexual transmission, contaminated syringe, blade, clipper	don't know	don't know
		Ekurede Itsekiri	don't know	sex, affected blade, clipper	don't know	don't know

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Ugbori	razor blade, effect rusted materials, unprotected sex	sexual intercourse, sharing of sharp objects, blood transmission	through sex, sharing of sharp objects	don't know
		Ajigba	don't know	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Ugbuwangue	don't know	unprotected sex, unsterilized clipper, blade	don't know	don't know
		Obodo	don't know	sexual intercourse, clipper, sharp object	don't know	don't know
		Orugbo	any sharp object used by effected person, through sex, clippers	don't know	don't know	don't know
		Omadino	through needle, blade, sexual intercourse, clipper	don't know	don't know	don't know

IMO STATE

Oguta LGA (10 Communities)

and

Ohaji Egbema LGA (10 Communities)

Focus Group Questions about Health Facilities, Medical Staff, Medical Equipment, and Drugs:

*** 9 of 20 communities have some form of health facility.**

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Imo	Oguta	Ndi-Uloukwu Izombe	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Mgbele	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ndionyemaobi	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Egwe	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Ejemekwuru	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Umunwama-Izombe	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Eziorsu	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	yes

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Aborshi-Izombe	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Egbuoma	health centre	yes	no	yes	yes	yes
		Obudi Agwa	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
Imo	Ohaji-Egbema	Umuapu	health centre	no	no	no	no	no
		Obitti	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Umuagwo	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Etekwuru	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Ihie	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Obosima	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	yes
		Mmahu	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Opuoma	health centre	yes	no	yes	yes	yes
		Obiakpu	hospital	yes	yes	yes	no	yes
		Obokofia	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Focus Group Questions about Immunizations, Mosquito Nets Distribution, and Malaria and Diarrhea Treatment:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Imo	Oguta	Ndi-Uloukwu Izombe	yes	yes	go to nearby community to buy drugs from chemist	go to nearby community to buy drugs from chemist
		Mgbele	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Ndionyemaobi	yes	no	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Egwe	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Ejemekwuru	yes	yes	visit chemist for drugs and treatment	visit chemist
		Umunwama-Izombe	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Eziorsu	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Aborshi-Izombe	yes	yes	visit FMC at Umuele	visit federal medical centre at Umuele
		Egbuoma	yes	yes	go to chemist	visit health centre
		Obudi Agwa	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Imo	Ohaji-Egbema	Umuapu	yes	yes	drugs from chemist	drugs from chemist
		Obitti	yes	yes	go to chemist	visit health centre
		Umuagwo	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Etekwuru	yes	yes	go to chemist	cook herbs and give to child
		Ihie	yes	yes	buy drugs from chemist; if serious, go to hospital	buy drugs from chemist; if serious, go to hospital
		Obosima	yes	yes	visit health centre	visit health centre
		Mmahu	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Opuoma	yes	yes	go to chemist	go to chemist
		Obiakpu	yes	yes	buy drugs from chemist; if it gets worse, visit hospital	buy drugs from chemist first; if it gets worse, visit hospital

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Obokofia	yes	yes	go to hospital at Mmahu Community	go to hospital at Mmahu Community

FOCUS GROUP QUESTION ABOUT HIV/AIDS AWARENESS:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Imo	Oguta	Ndi-Uloukwu Izombe	blood transfusion, unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp object	unprotected sexual intercourse, use of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sexual intercourse, injection, salon	unprotected sex, unsterilized needle, contaminated sharp object like Razor blade.
		Mgbele	sharing of sharp objects, injection, unprotected sexual intercourse.	unprotected sex with an affected partner, use of unsterilized sharp objects.	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp object, injection, salon	unprotected sex
		Ndionyemaobi	barbing salon, sharp objects, unprotected sexual intercourse	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized and transfusion of unsterilized infected blood	unprotected sexual intercourse	unprotected sex, blood transfusion

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Egwe	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, sharp objects	transfusion of unscreened blood	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, sharp objects unsterilized objects, needles	engage in unprotected sex and transfusion of unscreened blood
		Ejemekwuru	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, sharp objects	don't know	unprotected sexual intercourse	blood transfusion, using contaminated sharp instrument
		Umunwama-Izombe	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects, blood transfusions	unprotected sexual intercourse, use of unsterilized sharp objects, transfusion of unscreened blood	unprotected sex, sharp objects, blood transfusions, injections	unprotected sex, unsterilized needle by Chemist Men

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Eziorsu	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects	unscreened blood transfusion, use of unsterilized sharp objects and unprotected sex	infidelity, sharp objects, injection, blood transfusion	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transmission
		Aborshi-Izombe	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects, injections	unprotected sex and use of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sexual intercourse	unprotected sexual intercourse, unsterilized needles
		Egbuoma	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharing of sharp objects, blood transfusion	unprotected sex, use of infected sharp objects.	unprotected sexual intercourse, mosquito bites	unprotected sex, unfaithfulness
		Obudi Agwa	unscreened blood transfusion, unprotected sex	transfusion of unscreened blood, unprotected sexual intercourse	sharp objects, needles, unprotected sexual intercourse	unprotected sex

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Imo	Ohaji-Egbema	Umuapu	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects, barbing salon, kissing	unprotected sexual intercourse, unsterilized sharp object	unprotected sexual intercourse, using contaminated instrument, blood transfusion	unprotected sexual intercourse, and use of unsterilized sharp objects
		Obitti	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects.	unprotected sex, use of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sexual intercourse	unprotected sex, using contaminated sharp object
		Umuagwo	unprotected sexual intercourse, salon, unsterilized objects	unprotected sexual intercourse, use of unsterilized sharp objects	unprotected sexual intercourse, sharp objects.	unprotected sex, sexual intercourse, sharp contaminate instrument

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Etekwuru	sexual intercourse, blood transfusion	unprotected sexual intercourse, unscreened blood transfusion, using of unsterilized needles or objects	we don't know; but will be happy if lectured on it	unprotected sex, mosquito bites, use of contaminated objects
		Ihie	don't know	HIV virus	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion	no idea
		Obosima	sharp objects, blood transfusion	unprotected sexual intercourse, unscreened blood transfusion, use of unsterilized sharp objects	sharp objects, blood transfusion, unprotected sexual intercourse	we don't know

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Mmahu	sharp objects, unprotected sexual intercourse	unscreened blood transfusion	barbing salon, blood transfusion, sharp objects, sexual intercourse	unprotected sex, use of contaminated object, blood transfusion
		Opuoma	sexual intercourse, blood transfusion	unprotected sex; unscreened blood transfusion; use of unsterilized sharp objects	no idea	unprotected sex, use of contaminated instruments like a blade
		Obiakpu	virus	lack of sex education; unprotected sex; poverty that compels engagement in prostitution	no idea	unprotected sex, blood transfusion
		Obokofia	blood transfusion, sexual intercourse	don't know	sexual intercourse, transmission of blood	casual sex, blood transmission, use of contaminated objects

ONDO STATE

Ese Odo LGA (9 Communities)

and

Ilaje LGA (9 Communities)

Focus Group Questions about Health Facilities, Medical Staff, Medical Equipment, and Drugs:

* 10 of 18 communities have some form of health facility.

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Ondo	Ese Odo	Osari	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Isreal Kiri	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Biagbini	health centre	no	no	no	no	no
		Opuba	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Ukpe	health centre	no	no	no	no	no
		Arogbo	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Akpata	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Igbotu	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
		Kiribo	health centre	no	no	no	no	no
Ondo	Ilaje	Anehin	no health facility	no	no	no	no	no
		Aiyetoro	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Ode-Mahin	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Mese	no health facility	no	no	no	no	no
		Ilowo	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	yes

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
		Ojumole	health centre	no	no	no	no	no
		Gbagira	no health facility	no	no	no	no	no
		Rewoye	no health facility	no	no	no	no	no
		Awoye	no health facility	no	no	no	no	no

Focus Group Questions about Immunizations, Mosquito Nets Distribution, and Malaria and Diarrhea Treatment:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Ondo	Ese Odo	Osari	yes	no	herbs, we carry them to Igbekebor for treatment at the general hospital	rush them to general hospital at Igbekebor
		Isreal Kiri	yes	no	we use drugs	we use drugs
		Biagbini	yes	no	buy drugs, herbs	we buy drugs
		Opuba	yes	no	use bitter leave and watch the child	use bitter leave and watch the child
		Ukpe	yes	no	grind leaves to rub their body, use blade to cut their body, sometime we buy medicine to give them	grind leaves to rub their body, use blade to cut their body, sometime we buy medicine to give them
		Arogbo	yes	no	buy drugs, some use herbs	buy drugs, sometime we rush them to Ore, Irele

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Akpata	yes	no	use herbal treatment, buy drugs, when case is serious take to hospital	use herbal treatment, buy drugs, when case is serious take to hospital
		Igbotu	yes	no	cook leaves (herb) for them to drink and bath, buy drugs for them to use	cook leaves (herb) for them to drink and bath, buy drugs for them to use
		Kiribo	yes	no	use herbs, buy drugs	use herbs, buy drugs
Ondo	Ilaje	Anehin	yes	no	we use drugs,we cook herbs	we use drugs,we rush them to Igbokoda
		Aiyetoro	yes	yes	we buy drugs,we use herbs	we take them to hospital
		Ode-Mahin	yes	no	take them to hospital,use herbs	take them to hospital,use herbs

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Mese	yes	no	we buy drugs,when it gets serious we rush them to Igbokoda	we use herbs,drugs
		Ilowo	yes	no	take them to health centre,take them to nearest community hospital if the condition is critical	take them to health centre,take them to nearest community hospital if the condition is critical
		Ojumole	no	no	herbs,rush them to Igbokoda general hospital	rush them to general hospital at Igbekebor
		Gbagira	yes	no	buy drug, rush them to Igbokoda general hospital	use drug,use herbs
		Rewoye	no	no	buy drugs, cook herbs, rush them to Igbokoda	cook water and add salt to it to sustain them before we get to Igbokoda general hospital

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Awoye	yes	yes	buy drug,use herbs,rush them to Igbokoda	use drugs,go to Igbokoda

FOCUS GROUP QUESTIONS ABOUT HIV/AIDS AWARENESS:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Ondo	Ese Odo	Osari	don't know	adultery	don't know	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, contaminated instruments like razor blades, syringes
		Isreal Kiri	don't know	blade, clipper, sexual intercourse at the hotel	don't know	no idea
		Biagbini	sexual intercourse, don't know	sex, sharing blade, sharing of comb and clipper	malnutrition, sex	sexual contact with infected persons, blood transfusion, contact with contaminated object like razor blade, needles, syringes, clippers

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Opuba	don't know	sex, blade, blood transmission, sharing sharp objects	don't know	indiscriminate and unprotected sexual behaviour
		Ukpe	don't know	sexual intercourse, razor blade	unprotected sex	casual sex, using same razor blades by two persons, blood contact, using clippers/syringes of infected person
		Arogbo	don't know, sexual intercourse	sex	sexual intercourse	indiscriminate sexual intercourse, sharing of sharp objects like razor blades, needles etc.
		Akpata	sex	don't know	using of sharp objects, sexual intercourse.	don't know

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Igbotu	sex, spoons, plates, share sharp objects	sexual intercourse, use of unsterilized needles, blood transfusion, sharp objects.	don't know	women, razor and sharp objects, sex.
		Kiribo	transmission of blood, sexual intercourse	don't know	don't know, sharp objects, unprotected sex, sharing toilet and cup, housefly can transmit it from toilet	sexual intercourse with infected person
Ondo	Ilaje	Anehin	we don't know	Virus, sexual intercourse, when our woman go to out the country they said they sleep with dog and contact AIDS from there.	unprotected sex, sharing sharp objects	no idea

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Aiyetoro	sexual intercourse, sharp objects	don't know	blood transfusion, using razor, unprotected sex	uncontrolled sexual intercourse between man and woman
		Ode-Mahin	mosquitoes, cups sharing, blade cut, sexual contact	sexual contact without condom, blade, clipper, blood transmitting	sexual intercourse	not aware
		Mese	clippers, blade, sexual intercourse	sexual intercourse, sharp objects, clippers	don't know	no idea
		Ilowo	don't know	sexual intercourse, blood contact	don't know	don't know
		Ojumole	clippers, blade, sexual intercourse	don't know	unprotected sex	no idea
		Gbagira	don't know	unprotected sex, blood transfusion via sharp objects	don't know	no idea

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Rewoye	adultery, some white women came that have slept with dogs spread the disease among us	indiscriminate sex, sharp objects	indiscriminate sex, unprotected sex	sexual intercourse, blood transfusion
		Awoye	needle, tooth brush, sexual intercourse, blade, clipper, blood transmission, any sharp object	using razor, unprotected sex	using sharp objects, unprotected sex	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood contact with infected person

RIVERS STATE

Ahoada East LGA (9 Communities)

and

Obio-Akpor LGA (6 Communities)

Focus Group Questions about Health Facilities, Medical Staff, Medical Equipment, and Drugs:

*** 7 of 15 communities have some form of health facility.**

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Type of Community Health Facility?	Does Community Use the Health Facility?	Does Doctor Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does a Nurse Work at Least One Time Per Week?	Does Health Facility Have Medical Equipment?	Does Health Facility Have Drugs?
Rivers	Ahoada East	Ihuowo	health centre	yes	yes	no	no	no
		Ikata	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Okporowo	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Odiabidi	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Ula-Ehuda	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	yes
		Ihuaje	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Udebu	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

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		Ogbo	health centre	yes	no	yes	no	no
		Edeoha	health centre	yes	no	no	no	no
Rivers	Obio-Akpor	Elikpokwuodu	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Rumuodomaya	health centre	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
		Orokwuruola-Nu-Orofu	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Choba	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
		Woji	no health facility	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

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		Eliozu	health centre	yes	yes	yes	no	yes

Focus Group Questions about Immunizations, Mosquito Nets Distribution, and Malaria and Diarrhea Treatment:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
Rivers	Ahoada East	Ihuowo	yes	yes	give them local herbs and roots	give them local herbs and roots.
		Ikata	yes	yes	prepare a solution of bitter leaf and cent leaf and give them	use fresh Guava leaf for the treatment of diarrhea.
		Okporowo	yes	yes	take them to chemist for treatment	take them to chemist for treatment
		Odiabidi	yes	yes	take them to chemist, buy paracetamol or chloroquine and give them	take them to chemist to advice on the type of drug to give him/her
		Ula-Ehuda	yes	yes	health centre, chemist	health centre, chemist

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Ihuaje	yes	yes	take to health centre in Agbarikpo (neighbouring community)	take to health centre in Agbarikpo (neighbouring community)
		Udebu	yes	yes	buy drugs from chemist and treat them	give them salt and sugar solution before taking them to the hospital.
		Ogbo	yes	yes	take to health centre and chemist	take to health centre and chemist
		Edeoha	yes	yes	take to health centre	take to health centre
Rivers	Obio-Akpor	Elikpokwuodu	yes	yes	take them to chemist	take them to chemist
		Rumuodomaya	yes	yes	take them to our health centre, buy drugs from pharmacy around.	give them salt/sugar solution, take them to the health centre.

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	Over past year, have community children been immunized ?	Over past year, has someone distributed free mosquito nets?	When a child gets malaria, what do you do?	When a child gets diarrhea, what do you do?
		Orokwuruola-Nu-Orofu	yes	yes	take them to chemist/pharmacy for treatment	use ORT solution before taking them to chemist or pharmacy, but if persist we do take them to health centre in a near by community.
		Choba	yes	yes	take to private clinics and chemists	take to private clinics and chemists
		Woji	yes	no	take to private clinic	take to private clinic
		Eliozu	yes	yes	take to health centre, buy drugs at chemist, take to private hospital	take to health centre, buy drugs from chemist, take to private hospital

FOCUS GROUP QUESTION ABOUT HIV/AIDS AWARENESS:

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Rivers	Ahoada East	Ihuowo	sexual intercourse, use of sharp objects	using of sharp objects that has been used by an infected person, engaging in unprotected sexual intercourse	through the use of sharp objects	no idea
		Ikata	transfusion of blood, use of sharp objects used by infected person, public toilet and bathroom	sexual intercourse	don't know	no idea
		Okporowo	don't know	unprotected sex, blood transfusion, unsterilized objects.	no idea	no idea
		Odiabidi	dog, don't know	don't know	don't know	no idea

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Ula-Ehuda	don't know	don't know	don't know	unprotected sex, blood transfusion, use of sharp objects
		Ihuaje	don't know	sexual intercourse	don't know	unprotected sex, use of sharp objects
		Udebu	women and men, sharing of sharp objects, blood transfusion	don't know	no idea of causes	women that do not stay with one partner
		Ogbo	sharp objects, sexual intercourse	unprotected sex	malaria, dog, woman and man, fornication	unprotected sex
		Edeoha	it is men that bring it	sexual intercourse	no idea	sexual intercourse, mosquito, using of any used sharp objects

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
Rivers	Obio-Akpor	Elikpokwuodu	sex,use of unsterilized sharp objects	barbing of hair, unprotected sex, using of sharp object	sexual intercourse, unsterilized sharp object	indiscriminate sexual intercourse, needles/sharp objects that has been used by another person, blood transfusion
		Rumuodomaya	needle,razor blade, through unprotected sexual intercourse.	unprotected sex	virus	no idea
		Orokwuruola-Nu-Orofu	unprotected sex, sharp object, transfusion of unscreened blood.	unprotected, casual sex,unsterilized sharp objects	through unscreened blood transfusion, careless sexual intercourse	using sharp objects, uncontrolled sexual activities.
		Choba	sexual interaction (unprotected), unsterilized sharp objects	sex,transfusion of unscreened blood,sharp objects	no idea,some said through mosquitoes,razor blades,sharp objects.	sexual intercourse,blood transfusion

STATE	LGA	COMMUNITY	What do you think causes HIV/AIDS?			
			Younger Women	Younger Men	Older Women	Older Men
		Woji	No YW FG	unprotected sex, unsterilized sharp objects	through barbing of hair, cutting of nails, injection, and sexual intercourse	unprotected sexual intercourse, blood transfusion, sharing of sharp object
		Eliozu	unprotected sex, unsterilized needles, blood transfusion	unprotected sex, sharing of sharp objects	No OW FG	unprotected sex, use of sharp objects

