

Précis of Canon Gideon's talks

There are three pieces of good news

- God has given us knowledge to know how HIV can be prevented.
- We know how to care for and support HIV positive loved ones to live healthier and more productive lives
- We know how to break the transmission chain from HIV positive parents to their unborn children

Ambassadors of life: we can be ambassadors by involvement through the 8 P's

- Policy formulation
- Planning
- Programming
- Personnel training
- Partnership building
- Purse allocation
- Proclamation
- Prayer

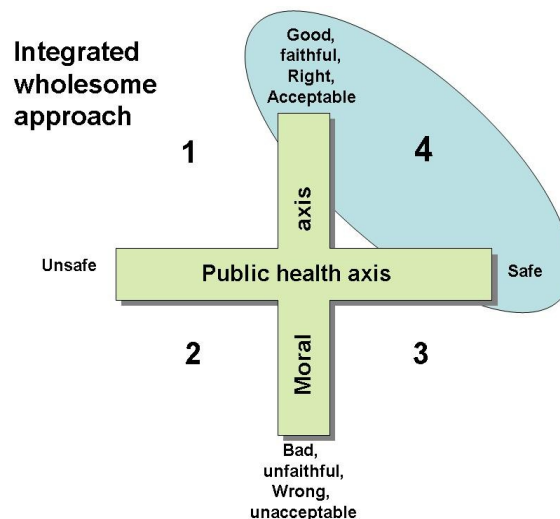
SAVE families, communities & nations from HIV and AIDS -Take the Lead

To S.A.V.E. lives we need to provide:

- Safe Practices (A+B+C+PMTCT 1, Safe blood+ safe injections+ safe Circumcision etc)
- Access to treatment (for opportunistic infections, STDs + ARVs) & Nutrition
- Voluntary, Routine & Stigma-free HIV Counselling & testing
- Empowerment of children, young people, women, men, families, local communities & nations living with or vulnerable to HIV & AIDS (Spiritually, Socially, Economically, Psychologically, Culturally and Politically)

At one location he also spoke of **the integrated approach to providing this care using good moral behaviour combined with good public health safe practices**. He outlined three other common approaches to trying to solve the problem and indicated that he got HIV because while he was following a good moral behaviour, and was faithful to one wife he was not using safe practices.

- 1 Good moral behaviour/ but unsafe public health practice – some benefits
- 2 Bad moral behaviour/ unsafe public health – bad result
- 3 Bad moral behaviour / safe public health measures – some benefits
- 4 Good moral behaviour / safe public health – promotes wholeness & best results



Footnote 1

A = Abstinence, B= be faithful, C= Condom,
PMTCT = Prevention of Maternal To Child Transfer.