



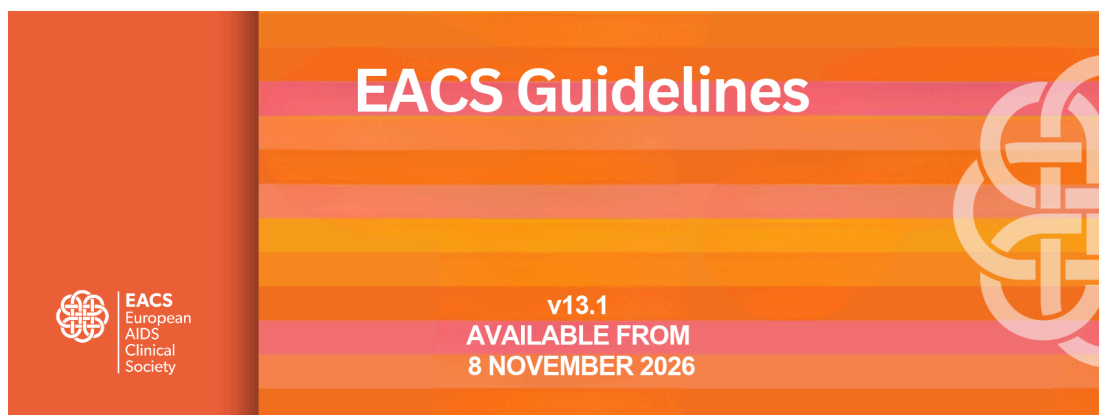
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NEWS



Follow the EACS Guidelines session at HIV Glasgow 2026



On Monday, 9 November 2026, 16:40-17:50 GMT, the **EACS Guidelines session** will take place at **HIV Glasgow 2026**. The session will cover the 2026 updates of the EACS Guidelines. The session will be co-chaired by EACS Guidelines Coordinators and Chair, **Jasmini Alagaratnam** (Chelsea & Westminster Hospital NHS Trust London, UK), **Juan Ambrosioni** (Hospital Clinic-IDIBAPS Barcelona, Spain) and **Jürgen Rockstroh** (University of Bonn, Germany).

Version 13.1 of the EACS Guidelines will be available online from Sunday, 8 November 2026.

[See the full programme and speakers](#)

News from the Standard of Care 2026 Meeting



How can countries reduce inequalities in HIV prevention, testing, and care?

A new article explores key results from the EACS Standard of Care Meeting in Budapest, highlighting challenges in **Hungary** and **Albania** and the role of evidence-based recommendations in driving change. Read how stronger testing, accessible services and sustained community funding can help improve HIV care and prevention across Europe.

[Read the full article](#)

One year to go until the 21st European AIDS Conference



From **6 to 9 October 2027**, the HIV community meets at O2 Universum in Prague, Czechia, under the theme **"Bridge Regions, Reduce Inequalities"**. Across Europe and neighbouring regions, the reality for people living with HIV remains uneven, and differences in access, resources and implementation make collaboration across borders more important than ever.

The scientific programme will bring together clinicians, researchers, public health professionals and community representatives working on HIV and co-infections.

[Watch the video from Paris to Prague, and save the date](#)

ECDC/EACS Standards of Care: Modules and Audits updates

Explore the updated **ECDC/EACS Standards of HIV Care** resources, featuring **new modules and audits** to support the implementation of standards across Europe. Discover the **PrEP and HIV testing audits**, which help assess current practices and identify areas for improvement in services. The newly added module on **antenatal screening** expands the available resources, while an upcoming module on **engagement in care** will further support healthcare professionals and services.

[Explore the latest materials and stay tuned for new resources](#)

WAVE: Do you work with women living with HIV who are experiencing menopause?



The **MenoHealth Study** aims to improve understanding of menopause and health in women living with HIV. Co-created with women living with HIV, this confidential, anonymous survey, available in 13 languages, takes around 20 minutes to complete and will help identify their experiences, needs and priorities to inform future care and support.

[Help us reach the women you care for. Share the survey with your networks](#)

New ECDC guide on DoxyPEP

ECDC has published a **new guide** providing a harmonised, non-prescriptive framework for collecting data on doxycycline post-exposure prophylaxis (**DoxyPEP**) for bacterial sexually transmitted infections (STIs). EACS, in collaboration with CHIP, contributed to its development.

[Explore the guide](#)

Discover the latest EACS News



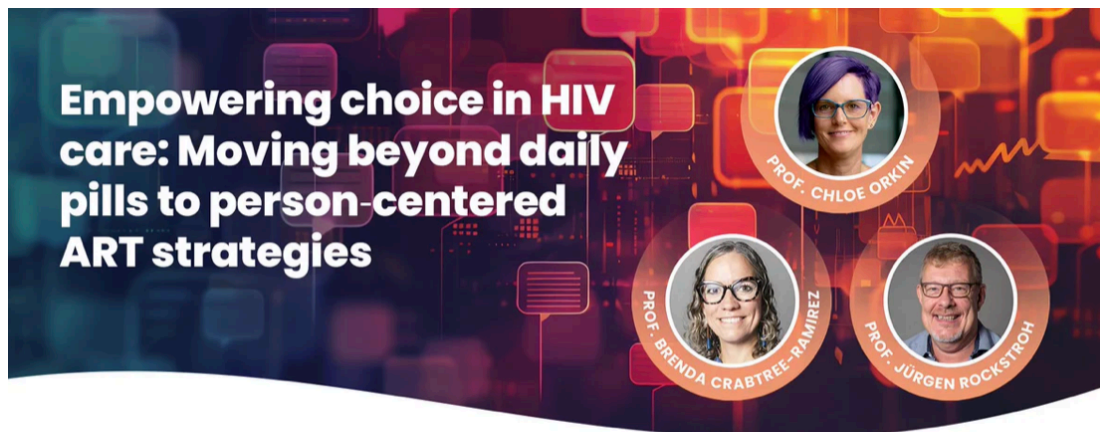
Join us in Prague in 2027

The 21st European AIDS Conference (#EACS2027) will take place in Prague, Czechia, from 6–8 October 2027.

Located in the heart of Europe, Prague is a key centre of science and culture and will offer a great setting to continue our shared commitment to advancing HIV research and care.

[Stay tuned!](#)

Touch IME | Empowering choice in HIV care: Moving beyond daily pills to person-centered ART strategies



This activity is funded by an independent medical education grant from ViiV Healthcare.
touchIME is an EBAC[®] accredited provider.

As HIV treatment options expand beyond the traditional daily pill, how can healthcare professionals ensure that treatment decisions reflect individual needs and preferences?

In this touch EXPERT FOCUS learning module, **Prof. Chloe Orkin**, **Prof. Brenda E. Crabtree Ramirez** and **Prof. Jürgen Rockstroh** explore simplified and long-acting ART, shared decision-making, patient-reported outcomes, and the impact of treatment burden, stigma and psychosocial factors.

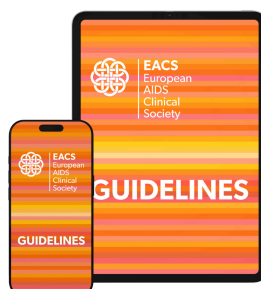
[Watch now and earn CME credits](#)

Pasteur Course | Pandemics: Origins & Response

SARS, pandemic flu A(H1N1), MERS, Ebola, Zika, pulmonary plague, COVID-19, mpox. During the last 25 years, we have witnessed an acceleration in the emergence of infectious diseases and pandemics.

The course, provided by Institut Pasteur, will take place **from 18 to 29 January 2027 in Paris**. **Applications to participate are open until 31 October 2026.**

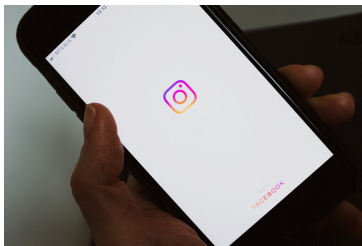
[Learn more about the course](#)



EACS Guidelines version 13.0

Have a look at the website of the latest version of the European Guidelines for the treatment of people living with HIV in Europe.

[More info](#)



We are back on Instagram

Don't forget to check EACS social media accounts to stay updated on the most important news related to HIV care. We're back on [Instagram!](#) Follow us and stay connected with the EACS community.



EACS Management of HIV and Co-infections Online Course

Follow the practical and comprehensive course on management of HIV, including: the latest findings and guidelines on how to manage, treat and prevent HIV and related diseases; optimisation of HIV treatment programmes and other related topics.

[More info](#)



CALENDAR

EACS Activities

- 6-9 October 2027: [21st European AIDS Conference](#)

Other activities

- 2-3 November 2026: [HepHIV2026](#)
- 8-11 November 2026: [HIV Glasgow](#)
- 20-22 November 2026: [JSAR](#)

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