# ADR reporting and patient safety Influencing audiences; social marketing

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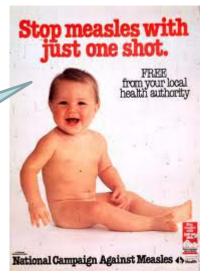


#### In this session



**Safety information** 

Social marketing





**Negotiating skills** 



### Safety information: The big picture

 The provision of drug safety information for prescribers and dispensers that influences their decisions and protects patient safety

### The local picture

 What can we do to improve safety information for prescribers?



### **Question 1**

 What are the current methods available for providing health professionals with the latest safety information about medicines for safe, evidence-based prescribing?





The MedWatch March 2013 Safety Labeling Changes posting includes 53 products with safety labeling changes to the following sections: BOXED WARNINGS. CONTRAINDICATIONS, WARNINGS, PRECAUTIONS, ADVERSE REACTIONS and PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT.

The "Summary Page" provides a listing of drug names and safety labeling sections revised:

http://www.fda.gov/Safety/MedWatch/SafetyInformation/ucm346535.htm

The following drugs had modifications to the CONTRAINDICATIONS, WARNINGS and PRECAUTIONS sections:

Brilinta (ticagrelor)

Carafate (sucralfate)

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Wellbutrin (bupropion hydrochloride) and Wellbutrin SR

Anaprox, Anaprox DS (naproxen sodium tablets)

Avastin (bevacizumab)

Clozaril (clozapine)

Coly-Mycin M Parenteral Solution (colistimethate sodium, USP)

EC-Naprosyn (naproxen delayed-release tablets)

Erbitux (cetuximab)

Firmagon (degarelix for injection)

Geodon (ziprasidone HCI)

Geodon (ziprasidone mesylate)



























### Methods and problems

- 'Dear HCP' letters
- Bulletins
- Email alerts
- Electronic prescribing systems
- Labeling changes and warnings
- Detailing

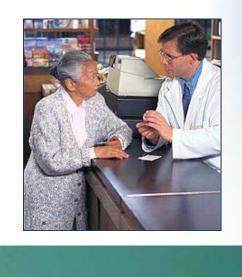
- Training
- Pharmacist advisers
- Journals
- Formularies
- Social media
- Smart phone apps
- More?

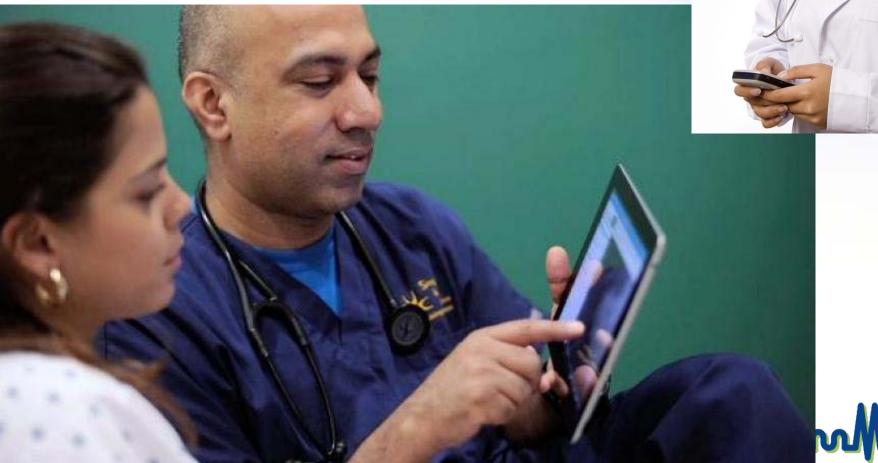


### **Question 2**

 What are the most effective methods for ensuring health professionals have the latest safety information about medicines for safe, evidencebased prescribing?







### **Question 3**

- What are PV centres doing to ensure the latest safety information influences prescribing?
- How effective is it?
- What can we do to improve safety information for prescribers?



### Assessing the effectiveness of communications

- Compare before and after data
  - Prescriptions
  - ADRs
- Examine trends in prescribing
- Examine sales figures
- More?



### Issues

- Awareness among HCPs about the necessity of keeping up-to-date
- Awareness of the risks of 'blind' or habitual prescribing
- Problems of volume of information (e.g. dozens of US FDA changes in one month)
- How to get relevant information rapidly available at the exact point of need
- How to monitor effectiveness of communications



### **Identify priorities**



Sandwell NHS Trust UK

### World Alliance for Patient Safety Mianza Mundial para la Seguridad del Paciente **Safety in Action Standard Operating Protocols** Managing Concentrated **Injectable Medicines** Assuring Medication **Accuracy at Transitions** in Care Communication during **Patient Care Handovers** Performance of **Correct Procedure at Correct Body Site** Improved Hand Hygiene to Prevent Health Care-**Associated Infections**





### What are your thoughts?





### Takeaway lessons

- The IDEAL: enforced, updated electronic information at the point of prescribing/dispensing
- Instant electronic information available on demand (PDA, smartphone)
- Brief, critical, headline information through audience-driven channel (print, electronic)
- Motivation of all involved (culture, priorities)
- Critical role of pharmacists





### Why negotiation?







Most official, bureaucratic communications fall into this segment

I lose You lose



I lose You win



# What do we mean by negotiating?

- Solving a problem or achieving a goal through collaboration with others who may see the problem differently or have different goals
  - Buyer and seller
  - Provider and consumer
  - Employee and manager
  - Parent and child
  - Patient and HCP
  - PV Centre and HCPs



### Procuring drugs or devices

- The purchase of medicines from a pharma company
  - Pharmacist wants best quality, lowest price, continuity of supply
  - Pharma company wants to sell medicines and maximise revenue and profit
- What are the areas where there is agreement?
  - Pharmacist wants reliable supply of quality drugs
  - Pharma company wants to sell drugs and be preferred supplier over time (maintenance of quality and supply)
- What is the area of difference?
  - Pharmacist wants lowest possible price
  - Pharma company wants highest possible price



### The settlement zone

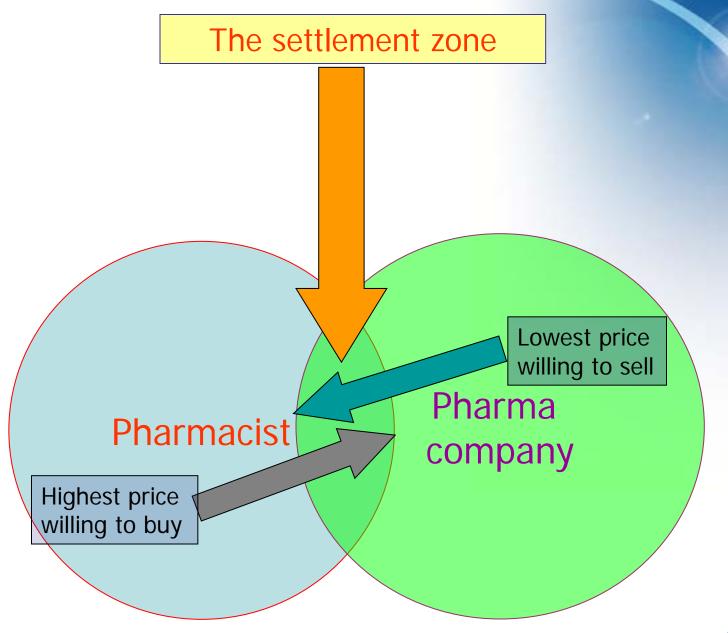
- Pharmacist will have highest price willing to pay; pharma company will have lowest price willing to sell – between these is the settlement zone
- The settlement zone is the area in which the negotiation takes place and an agreement can be reached



### The settlement zone

- Pharmacist is willing to pay a maximum of €43,500 for supply of a drug
- Supplier is willing to sell for a minimum of €41,750
- There is room for agreement between
   €41,750 and €43,500





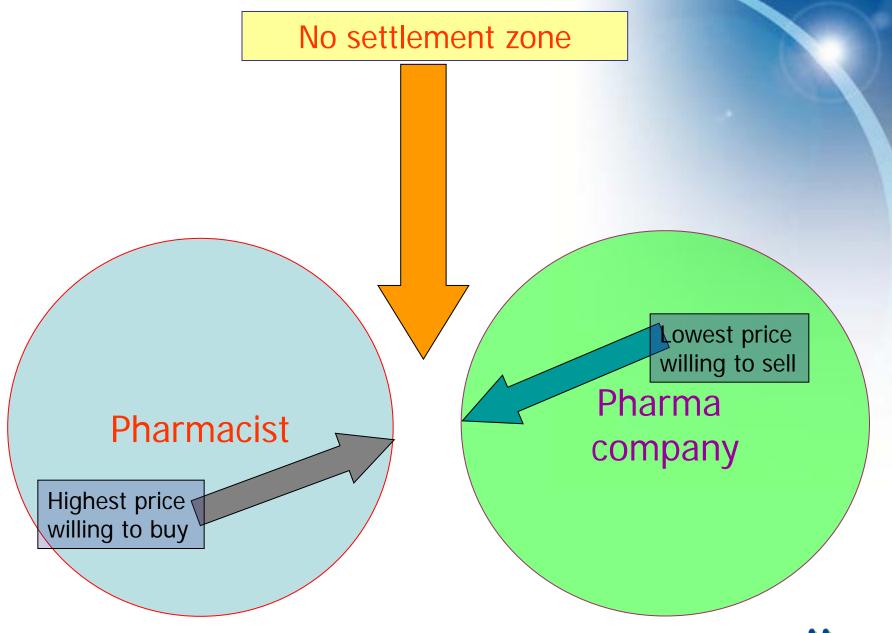
- This model applies in principle to all negotiations: success in negotiation depends on the skills used in the settlement zone
- There may appear to be no settlement zone early in a negotiation



### No settlement zone

- Pharmacist is willing to pay a maximum of €13,000 for supply of a drug
- Supplier is willing to sell for a minimum of €15,750
- There is no room for agreement





### Skilled negotiators

- Will create a settlement zone from initial distance and possible failure
- They will establish even a large settlement zone and then narrow it down



### Skilled negotiators

- Will use all their communication skills
  - Empathy
  - Reading and using nonverbal behaviour
  - Listening
  - Questioning
  - Proposing
  - ...and more



# What do we mean by a successful negotiation?

- An agreement which leaves both sides feeling good, in which neither side feels defeated
- Good negotiations do not end up with a winner and a loser: if one side feels defeated, or humiliated, then there is no future in the relationship
- It is not an unsatisfactory compromise; it is an active, positive result (neither conflict nor compromise model) – meeting the needs of both parties



### Influencing







# How do you influence someone to do something?

A: There's a great CD sale in Siam Square

B:I'm busy and I haven't any cash

A:They're really cheap; it's one day only

B: How much?

A: All less than \$200, lots less than \$50

B: Really? OK. I'll come. Lend me a few baht, will you?



### How do you influence someone to do something?

M:Come and have a drink with us

R: No, I'm too busy

M: Oh, come on, we'll miss you

R: I've got an exam tomorrow

M: How much work have you got to do?

R: A couple of hours at least

M: OK, why not join us in a couple of hours? We'll keep a seat for you.

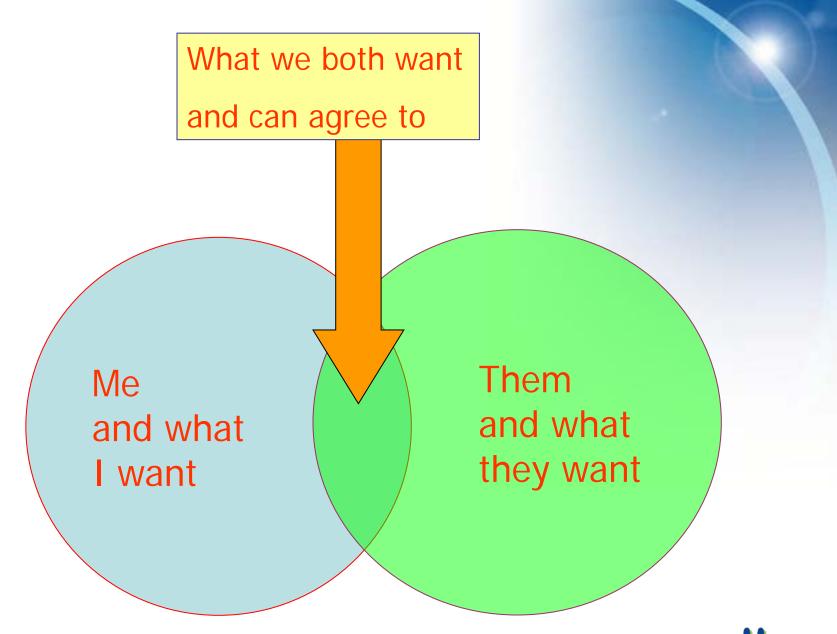
R: OK. Maybe. See you.



# How do you influence someone to do something?

- Make a proposal, suggestion, offer (use empathy)
- Anticipate or deal with resistance (use empathy)
  - Show benefits (for that person)
  - Minimise or negotiate objections
  - Suggest alternatives
- Reward (reinforce) compliance (use empathy)

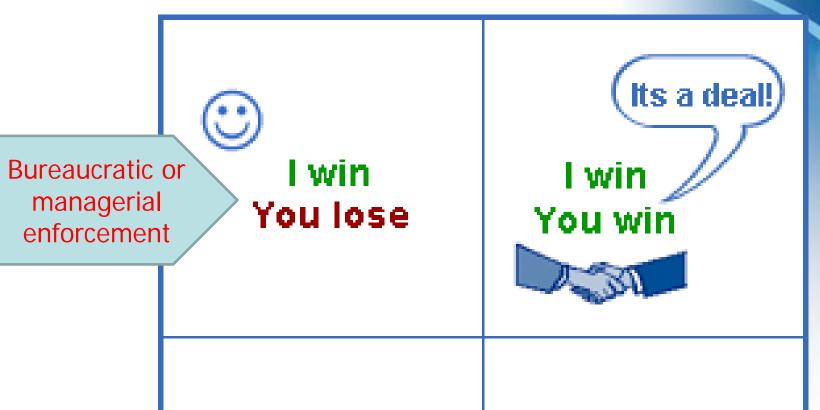




### How does this apply to relationships with HCPs?







No common ground or shared purpose

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Ineffective communications

## Negotiated arrangements

- What we have in common with HCPs
  - A commitment to the safest possible therapy for patients
- We want HCPs to make use of every piece of evidence and safety information
- They want a quiet life and to carry on as usual
- · If we find a maximally effective, acceptable way of communicating information, then...
- They will take notice of it (some of the time)

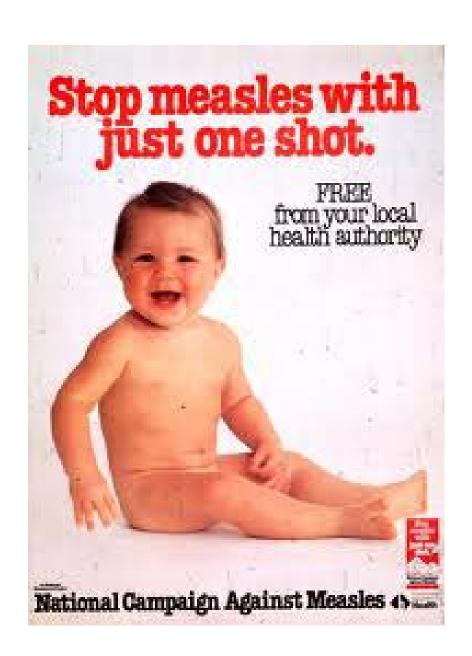
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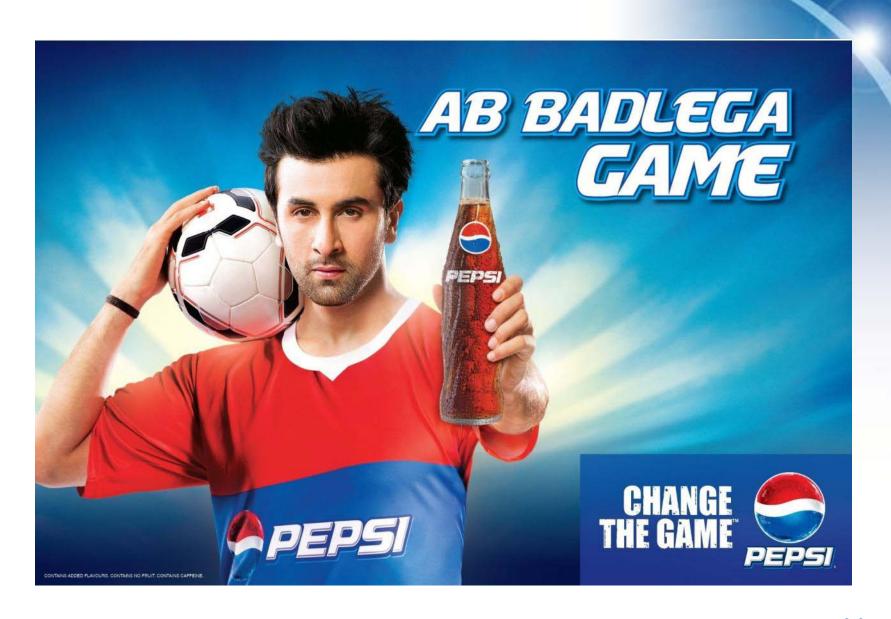


## What is social marketing?

- Social marketing is the systematic application of marketing, along with other concepts and techniques, to achieve specific behavioral goals for a social good.
  - Wikipedia















### Realistic



Biostatistician, Data Administrator

Data Driven, Analytical, Detail Oriented

**Conventional** 

Practical, Scientific, Methodological

> Public Health Veterinarian, Public Health Dentist



Epidemiologist, Environmental Health Specialist, Health Services Researcher

Observe, Analyze, Evaluate

**Investigative** 

## **Enterprising**

Influence, Persuade, Perform

Public Health Policymaker, Public Health Planner





Health Educator, Health Promotion Specialist

Enlighten, Inform, Train

**Social** 

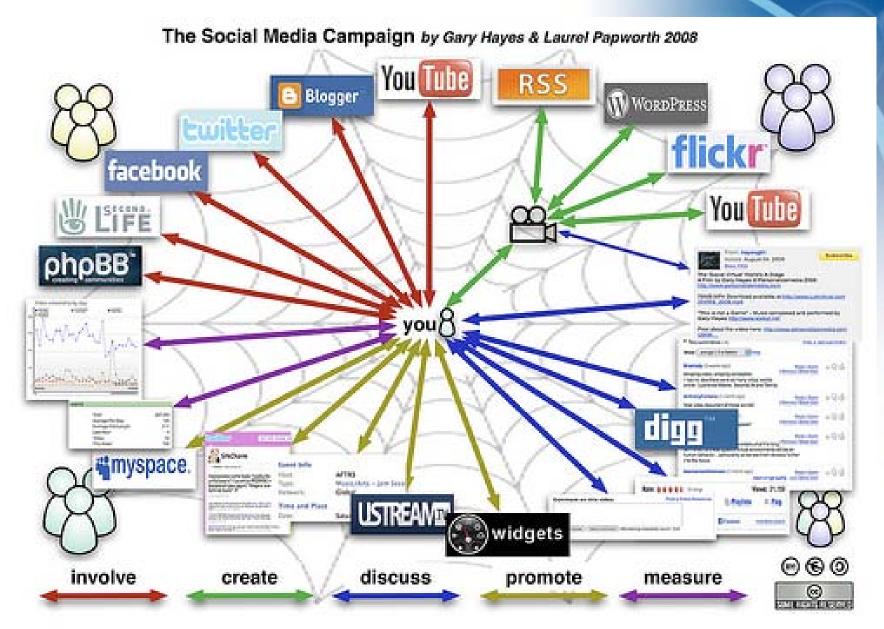
## **Artistic**

Innovative, Intuitive, Creative

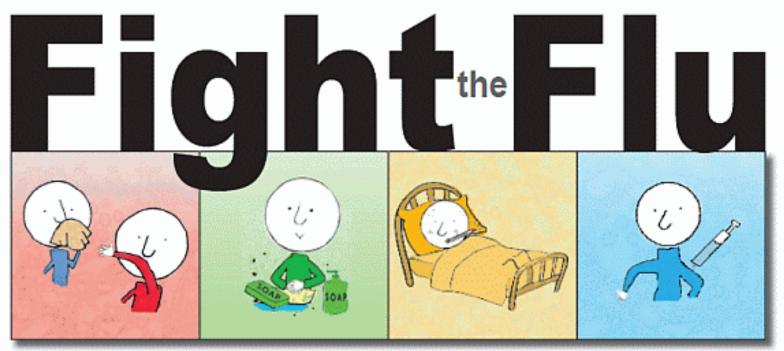
Public Health Communications Specialist











Cover your cough!

Wash your hands. Stay home when sick.

Get vaccinated.

New 2010-11 vaccine protects against both seasonal and H1N1 flu!

Your city or county public health department Find a Flu Shot Clinic near you at www.mdhflu.com

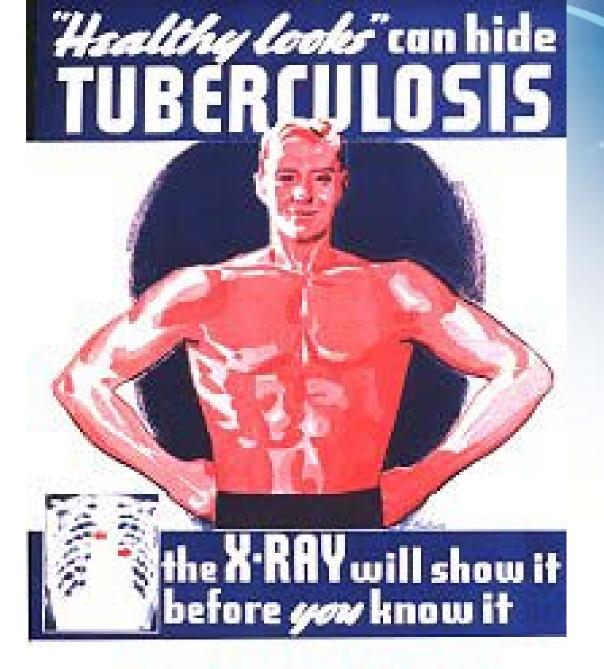


Fight the Flu 10/10









Christmas Seals Fight Tuberculasis







## Variable responses

- Danger control
  - A response that takes action to avoid the danger or threat
- Fear control
  - A response that controls or denies the fear of the threat or risk, but takes no action ('It won't happen to me')







## Medication Safety and YOU!

KEEP TRACK OF ALL YOUR MEDICATIONS USE A PERSONAL MEDICATION RECORD (PMR)

- List the names of ALL your medications ignoscription and temproscription draps, such as over-the-counter medications, vitamins, and herbal distany supplements)
- Include how and when to take each medication.
- Include the reason why you take each medication.
- Record important information about your medical bistory and allergies
- Use the checklist of questions to ask when prescribed a new drug

Ask your doctor or pharmacist to help you fill out or review your PMR.

#### Daniel a PMRs

- Always update your PMR when there's a change in your medications
- Carry a copy with you at all times.
- Keep a copy at home.
- Give a copy to a loved one.
- Bring a copy to all your doctor appointments, the pharmacy, and the emergency room or hospital





Ask year Doctor or Pharmacist or visit http://www.hopi.org for a Personal Medication Record

o o o Drug Safety

The New Jersey Drug Sufety Initiative (NJDSE) is a quality

improvement project conducted by Realthcare Quality Strategies, Inc., (BQSE), the federally designated quality improvement organization

(QRO) for New Jersey. It is a patient centered, community-based project designed to improve medication safety for biodicase recipients in New Jersey.



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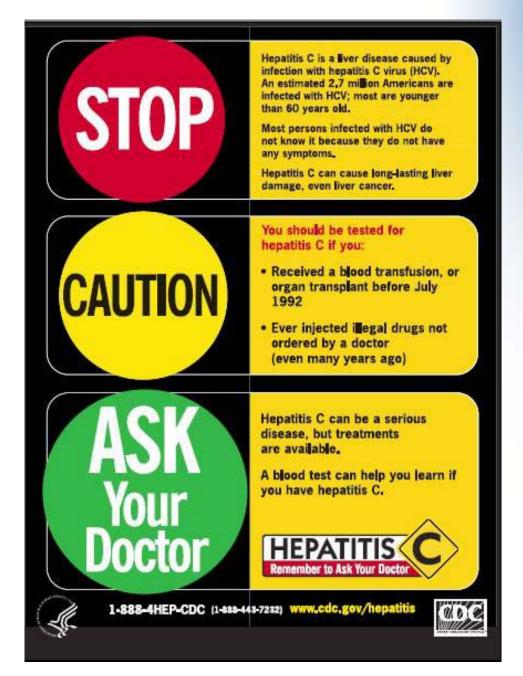


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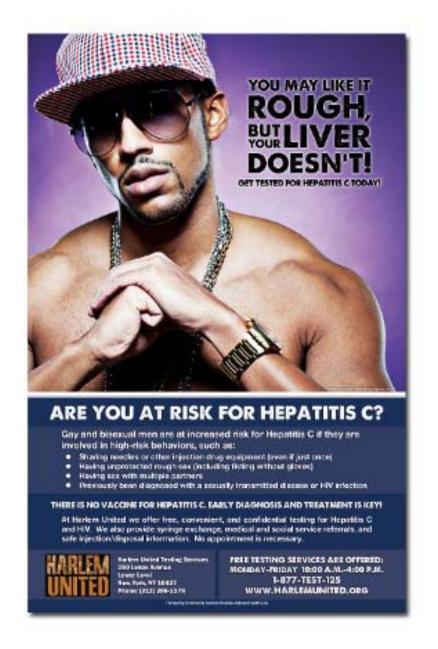


# STOP! PAY ATTENTION! REMEMBER! ACT!













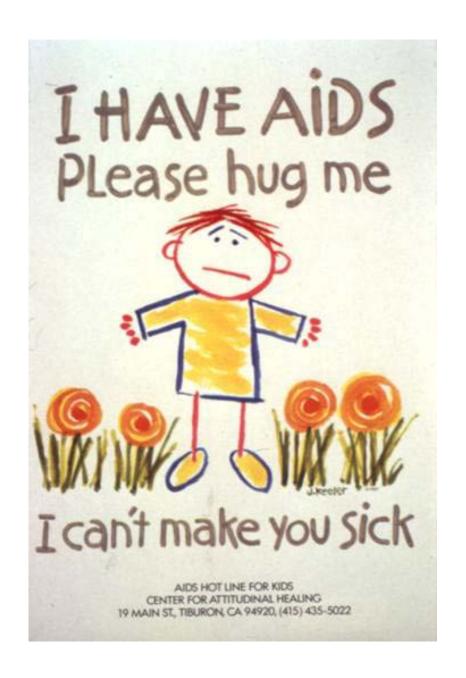


















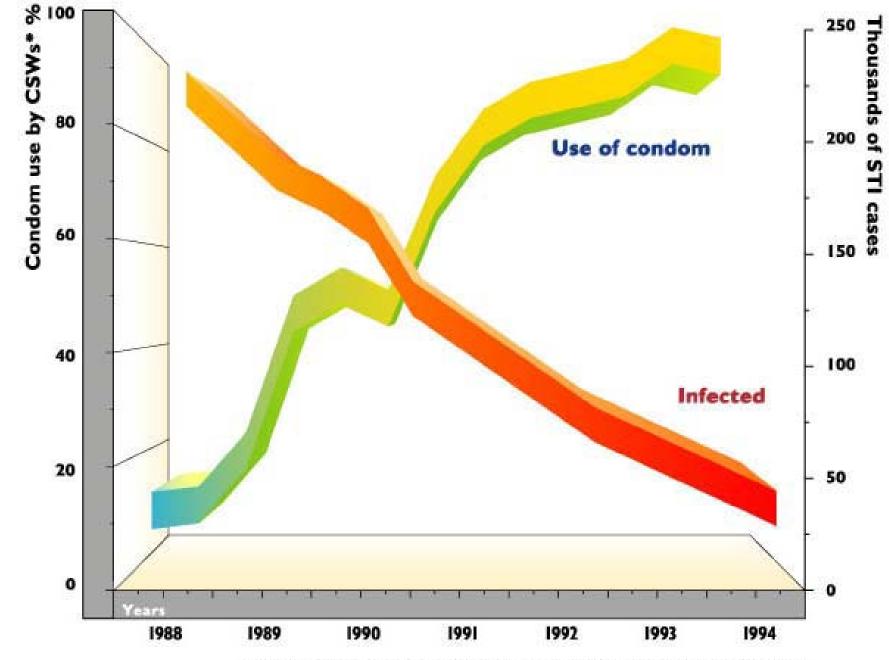
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\*STI: Sexually Transmitted Infections, \*CSW: Commercial Sex Workers

Source: Rojanapithayakom and Hanenberg, 1996

## Thailand's talent...for a time

- Humour
- Making private, embarrassing things public and amusing
- Reaching out to targeted individuals and communities
- Making public health fun
- Changing behaviour (condom use/lower infection rate)
- Then...
  - Giving up



## In Thailand

- After peaking at 143,000 in 1991, the annual number of new cases of HIV infection fell to 19,000 in 2003. That still leaves 604,000 Thais living with HIV or AIDS
- "We have become complacent," says Mechai Viravaidya,' (a.k.a. Mr. Condom) [TIME Asia, 12.07.04]
- Removing condom machines from schools [2011]





## Influencing people: summary of major issues

- Know your audience
- Devise a creative, engaging campaign
- Make a proposal or offer
- Make the benefits clear
- Negotiate objections or problems
- Offer alternatives
- Reward agreement



# Social marketing and public health campaigns: summary of major issues

- Know your audience; research, consult
- Describe the threat/risk vividly
- Make the appeal strongly, stressing benefits
- Make it clear what people should do
- Be creative and original
- Use multiple methods
- Repeat the message
- Research the results



## Takeaway messages?

Safety information for HCPs

Negotiating

Social marketing





