

# Building a safe house on firm ground

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# Outputs: 1

- “Building a safe house on firm ground” 2015 [survey](#)
- Fed into new WHO SRH&R [Guideline](#) pub. Feb 2017
- Presentation of survey findings at FIGO, October [2015](#)
- Five published peer-review journal articles :
  - Two on **methodology** (WHO [Bulletin](#) and [JVE](#): April 2016)
  - One on **gender-based violence** experienced by women living with HIV (Orza et al JIAS [2015](#))
  - One on **mental health** issues experienced by women living with HIV (Orza et al JIAS [2015](#))
  - One viewpoint in JIAS 2017 on **safe pregnancies in sero-different relationships** (Orza et al [2017](#))



# Outputs: 2

- Survey report and both JIAS articles translated into Spanish by Marijo Vazquez
- Spanish language webinar with UNDP funding, hosted by Development Connections, for L. American audience
- Use of questionnaire in Russian for further research in Ukraine
- UK-based responses accepted as poster for BHIVA Conference April 2016 – won best social science poster award
- Russian language responses presented at EECAAC 2016
- Puerto Rico – see next slide. Led by L'Orangelis Thomas



# THREE THINGS YOU CAN DO

Provide opportunities in health centres to talk positively about sex , including safe spaces with doctors, other health staff & peer mentors.



# Outputs: 3

- Chapter in new *Handbook of Community-based Participatory Research*, using this as one case study. 2017. Oxford University [Press](#)
- Format of survey adapted by trans women living with HIV, led by Cecilia Chung, to conduct more in-depth survey of SRH&R issues amongst trans women living with HIV.



# Outputs: 4

- **Non-specialist psychosocial support interventions for women living with HIV: A systematic review**

*Beres L et al. AIDSCARE [2017](#); 29, 9.*

- **Using GRADE as a framework to guide research on the sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR) of women living with HIV – methodological opportunities and challenges**

*Siegfried et al. AIDSCARE [2017](#); 29, 9.*



# Outputs: 5

## Webinars / events about the new Guideline:

- SEARO/Western Pacific Regions June [2017](#)
- PAHO Region - [English](#) and [Spanish](#) June 2017
- AFRO Region - [English](#) July 2017
- London Launch of Guideline, co-hosted with Royal College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists - July [2017](#)
- High Level Meeting, Costa Rica, presentation by Violeta Ross - November [2017](#)

