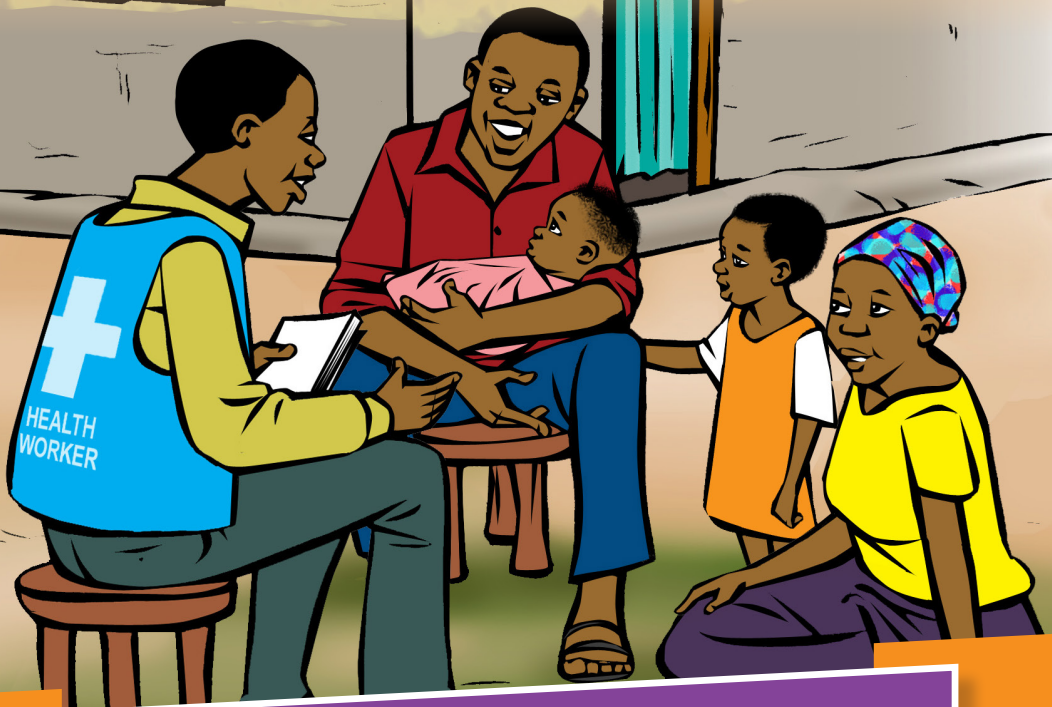


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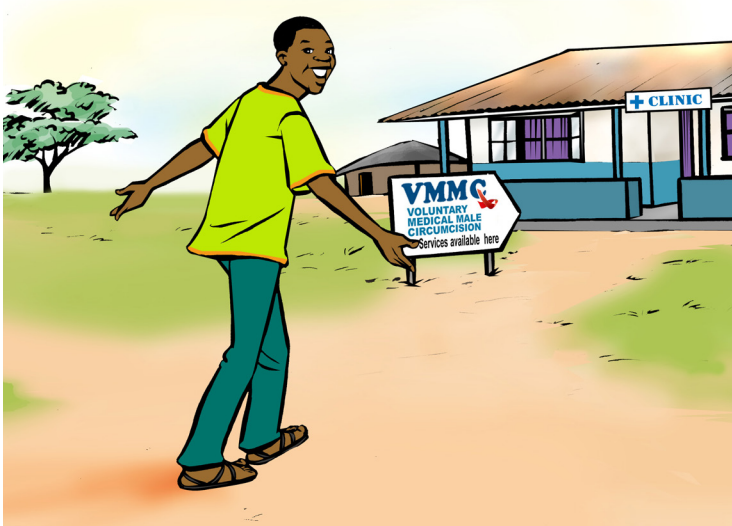


Conversation Cards

USAID Regional Health Integration to Enhance Services, North-Lango (RHITES-N, Lango)



Conversation Card No.1



Conversation Card No.1

Discussion Questions

1. What do you think is happening in this picture?
2. Why is the man smiling?
3. Why is the other man unhappy?
4. Why is it important that men are medically circumcised?
5. Why do you think men do not want to be medically circumcised?
6. Do you know where to go for a medical circumcision?

Key Information

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2. It is important because it helps to prevent the spread of sexually transmitted diseases like HIV.
3. You still need to use a condom when having sex even if you have had a medical circumcision.
4. Your visit to the clinic is confidential and gives you a lifetime of protection.
5. VMMC does not affect your being able to have sex and it does not reduce your strength.
6. Take care of yourself and the ones you love.... go to _____ clinic for a circumcision.

Conversation Card No.2



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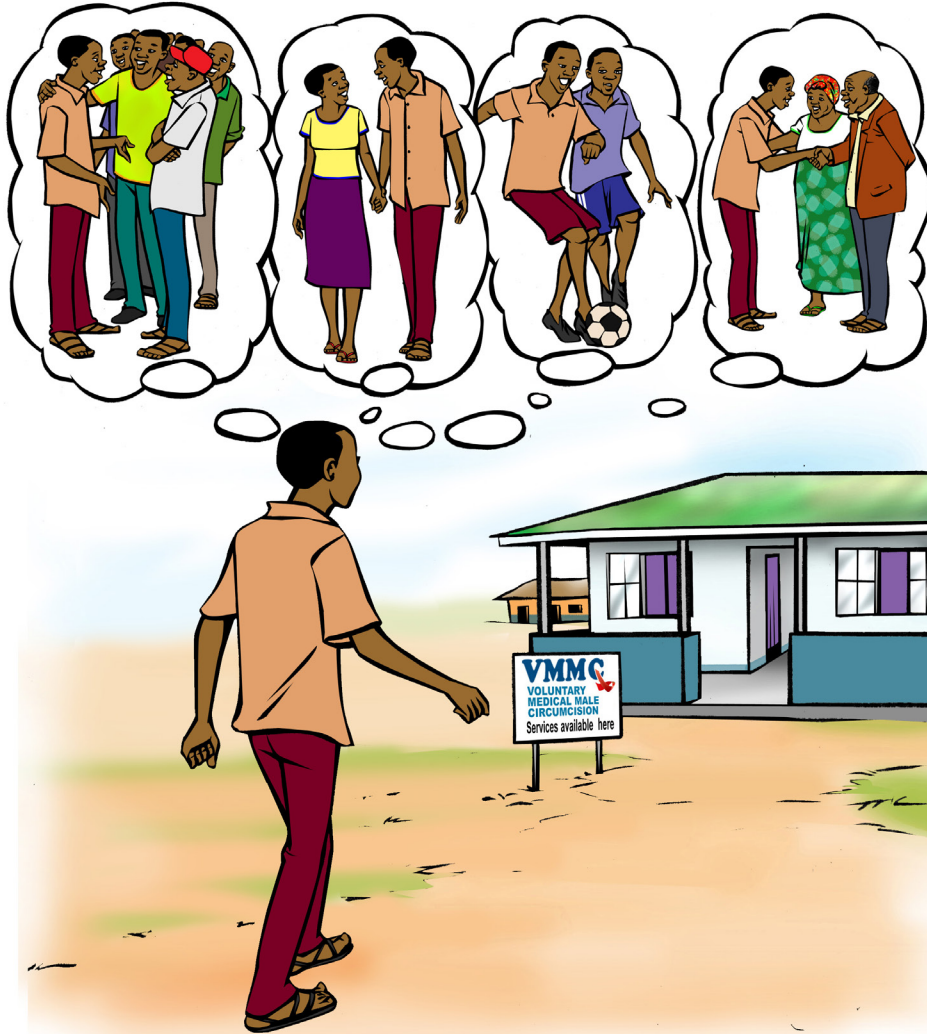
Discussion Questions

1. What do you think is happening in this picture?
2. Why do you think the mobilizers is talking to the woman and the man?
3. Why is it important for men to get circumcised?
4. Why is it important for women that her partner gets circumcised?
5. Do you think the man will have a circumcision because his partner is part of the discussion?

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7. Take care of yourself and the ones you love.... go to ____clinic for a circumcision.

Conversation Card No.3



Conversation Card No.3

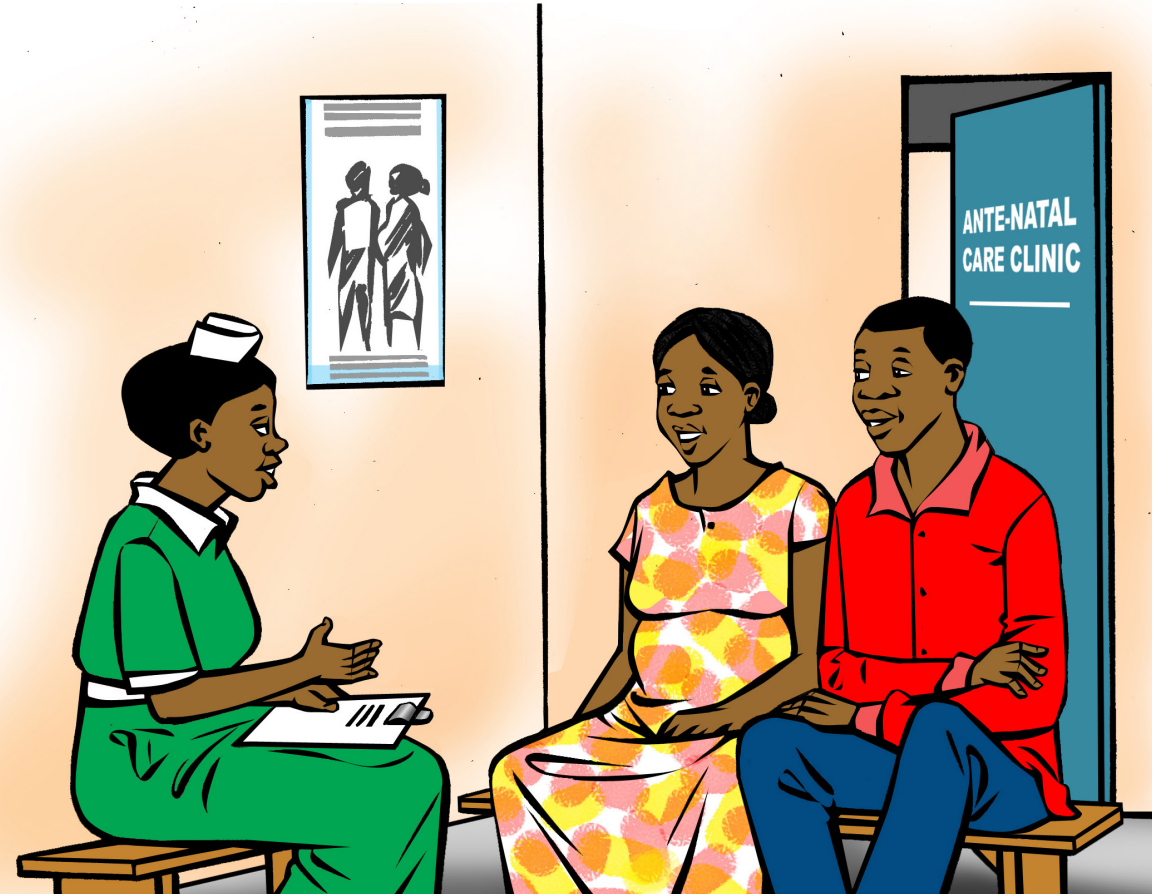
Discussion Questions

1. What do you think is happening in this picture?
2. What is the man thinking about?
3. Why is it important for men to get circumcised?
4. Does his wife want him to get a medical circumcision?
5. Will his parent be happy?
6. Do you think he will get a circumcision?

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Conversation Card No.4



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Discussion Questions

1. What do you think is happening in this picture?
2. What are the benefits for a woman going to the clinic when she is pregnant?
3. Why should the man go with her to the clinic?
4. What does the nurse say to the woman and the man?

Key Information

1. Pregnant women should visit the clinic four times during her pregnancy.
2. She and her husband should plan to deliver the baby in the clinic or with a trained health provider.
3. Pregnant women should be tested for HIV and if she is positive, she should start treatment immediately

More Information

1. Men need to put aside money to make sure women have a healthy pregnancy and delivery.
2. Women need healthy foods, mosquito nets to prevent malaria, and four prenatal visits for a healthy pregnancy and delivery.
3. If the woman is HIV+ she can start treatment right away to avoid spreading HIV to the baby.
4. If the man is HIV+ he needs to get on treatment and use a condom when he has sex with his wife to avoid infecting his wife and baby.

Conversation Card No.5



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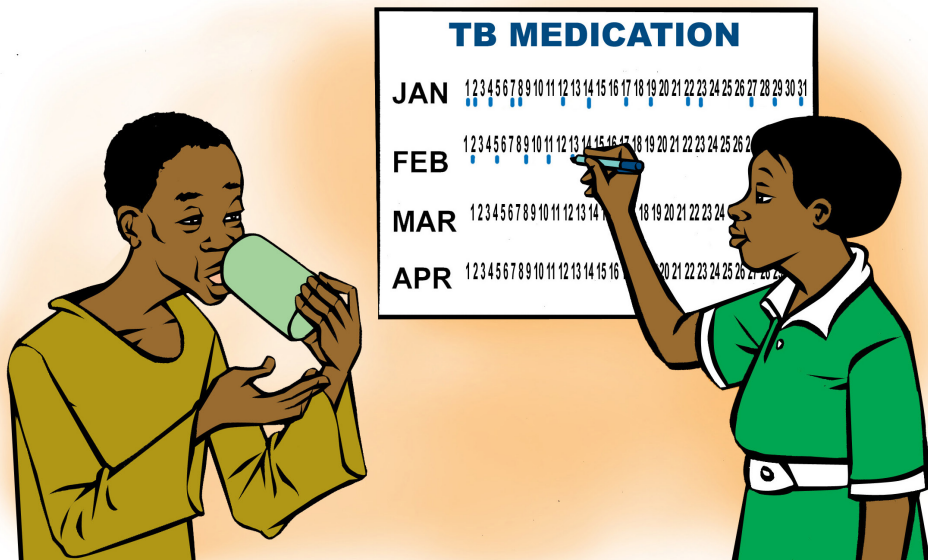
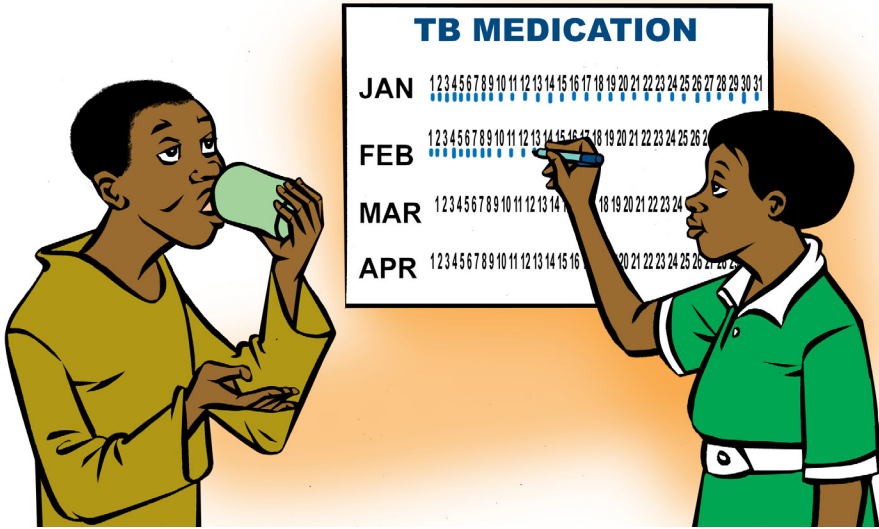
Discussion Questions:

1. What do you think is happening in this picture?
2. Why do you think she is standing/walking alone?
her?
3. How do you think she feels?
4. What should be done to change the situation by the community?

Key Information

1. People who take HIV treatment can live a healthy life, marry and contribute to the community.
2. People on treatment say their friends stop talking to them or people gossip about them. (Stigma)
3. These actions make people feel isolated and alone. Some people feel so bad that they don't take treatment, or they stop treatment. This will cause people with HIV to get sick.
4. Treatment keeps people healthy and productive. Support people on treatment and be kind to them.

Conversation Card No.6



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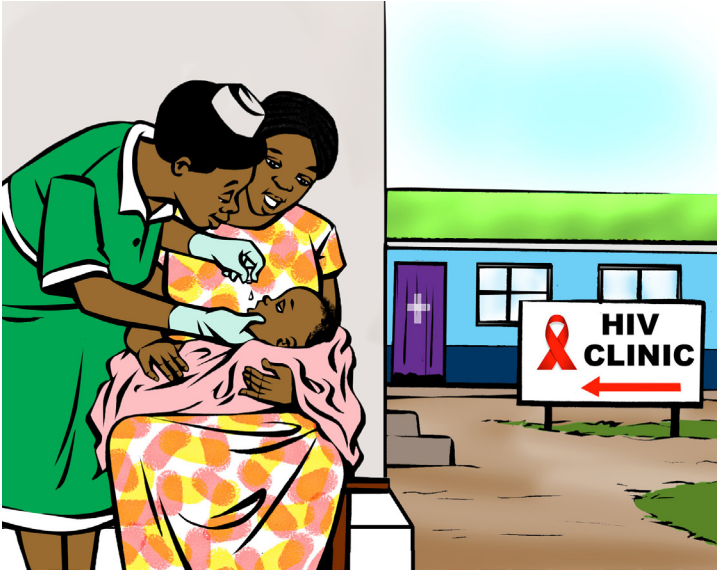
Discussion Questions:

1. What do you think is happening in these three pictures?
2. Why do you think he stopped his daily medicine?
3. What do you see/think happened when the man stopped?
4. What should you do to take your medicine every day?

Key Information

1. TB is a disease that affects the lungs.
2. TB is an infectious disease and is spread from person to person.
3. TB is a curable disease. It does have a cure and that requires taking medicine for TB every day for as long as the provider prescribes the treatment.
4. Medicines for TB are free and available at health clinics.
5. It can be hard to take medicines for months, especially if you start to feel better but list to your health provider.
6. If someone in your family has TB, make sure they go for treatment and they stay on their treatment.

Conversation Card No.7



Conversation Card No.7

Discussion Questions:

1. What is happening in the first picture? Why is the woman at the clinic with her new baby?
2. What is happening in the second picture? Why is it important to breastfeed your baby?
3. What is happening in these last two pictures? Why is the woman talking to her husband?
4. What is she talking to the nurse about?

Key Information

1. Visit the clinic for care after the baby is born as told by the health worker.
2. Breastfeed your baby within an hour of delivery and exclusively (no other food or drink including water) for six months.
3. After a woman delivers a baby, she should use modern contraceptives to avoid pregnancy for at least 24 months
4. Go to the clinic for information about modern contraceptives.

Conversation Card No.8



Conversation Card No.8

Discussion Questions:

1. What is going on in this picture?
2. Why is it important to take your child to the clinic?

Key Information

1. Recognize symptoms of malaria and seek prompt diagnosis and care especially for small children.
2. Provide prompt treatment for children with diarrhea at the onset of symptoms.
3. Recognize problems with baby (fever, seizures, heavy coughing, non-movement) and seek care immediately.
4. Immunize children to avoid infections.

Conversation Card No.9



Conversation Card No.9

Discussion Questions:

1. What is the woman doing in these pictures?
2. Why is she washing her hands?
3. Why is it important to wash your hands before you prepare food?

Key Information:

1. Wash your hands with soap and water, especially after you change a diaper or defecate.
2. Wash your hands before preparing food or eating.
3. Hand washing prevents illness from spreading to your family.