



20th ERNA GENERAL MEETING

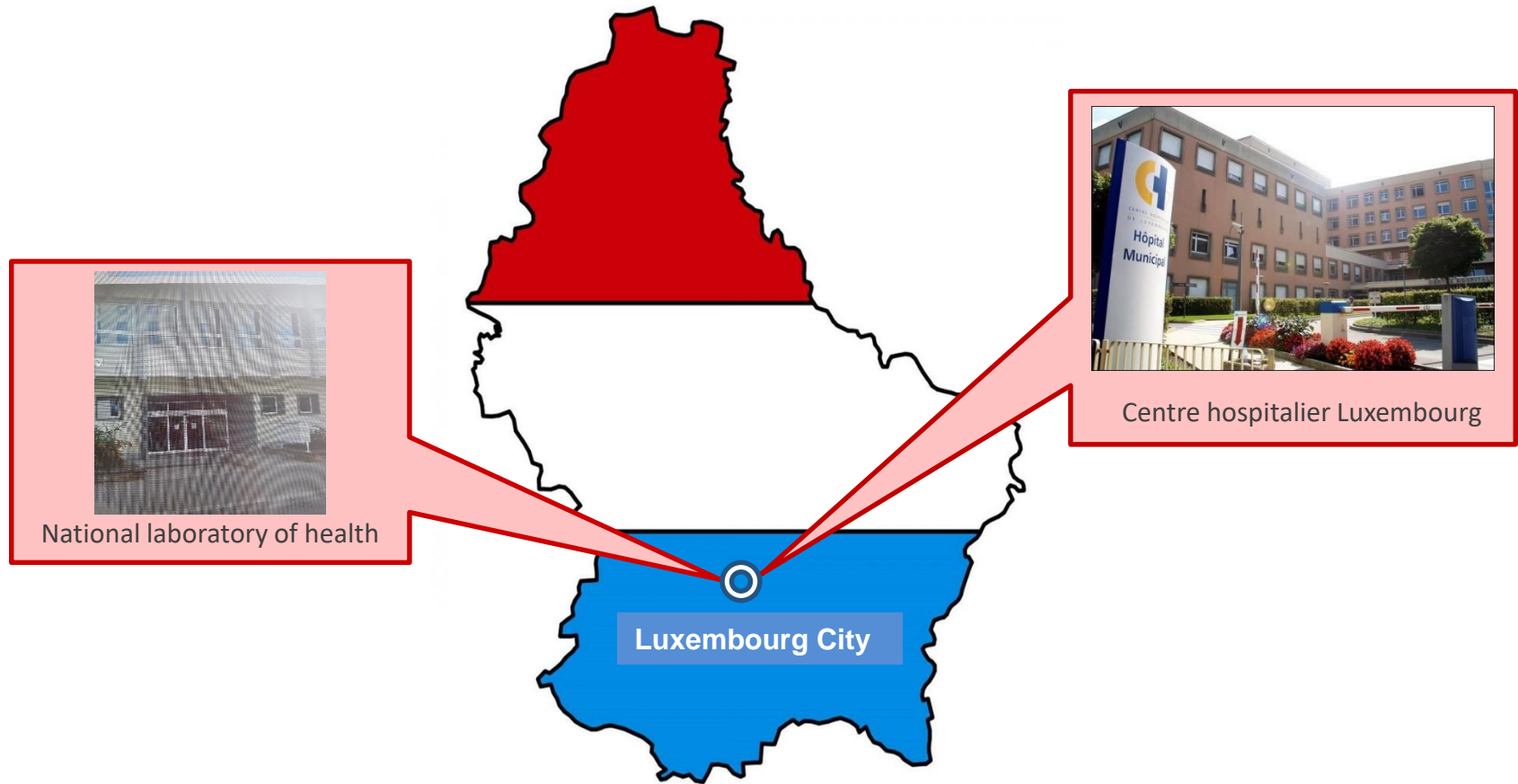
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DIMPS: MOBILE HIV, HEPATITIS AND SYPHILIS TESTING AND COUNSELING

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Background



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Vulnerable population



Vulnerability



Hepatitis C ?

HEALTH?

Prevention?

HIV?



STI?

Safer sex ?

Screening test?

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Goals and Aims

- 🚫 Promote access to sexual health amongst groups that are more vulnerable to HIV and STI
- 🚫 Improve the level of knowledge for safer sex and safer use practices
- 🚫 Give access to HIV, HCV and syphilis screening
- 🚫 Ensure the medical follow-up and psychosocial support for people positively tested



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Partnership

Abrigado and
Contact Esch=
drug consumption rooms



DropIn= Sex workers



Cigale= MSM



Rosa
Lëtzebuerg



centre d'information
gay et lesbien

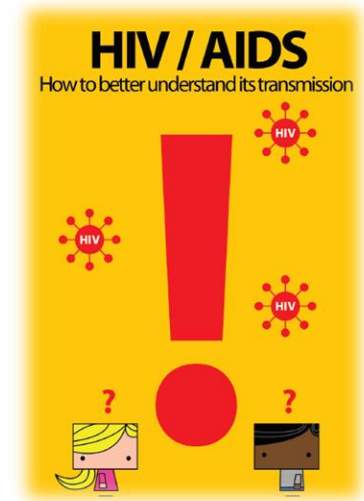
Abrisud
Centre Ulysse=
nightshelter for
homeless people



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Offer

- Free of charge and anonymous
- Personalized counseling: one to one prevention
- HIV, HCV and syphilis screening test
- Orientation to other services
- Linkage to care in case of positive result
- Condoms



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Step 1: Psychologist

- ⚡ Evaluation of the risk
- ⚡ Information on HIV, HCV, Syphilis
- ⚡ Prevention tools : PEP, PREP, TASP, safer sex and safer use
- ⚡ Information on STI and HIV screening
- ⚡ Prepares the client to receive an immediate result.



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Step 2: Nurse

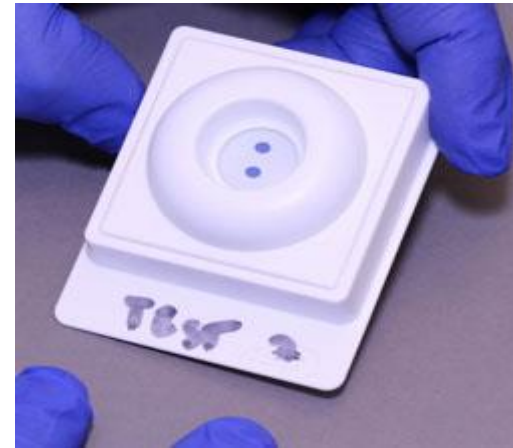
- 🚫 Enhances the major topics
- 🚫 Performs the test



Post Counseling



- ! Remind safe behavior
- ! Remind the transmission ways
- ! Personal prevention strategy



- ! Psychological support
- ! Blood analysis : confirmation, viral load and CD4 load
- ! Organisation of the medical follow-up with the National Service for Infectious Diseases

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Testing places	Number of permanences		Number of tested person		Number of permanences		Number of tested person	
	2018				2017			
HIV Berodung	99	517	1+	98	533	3+		
Cigale	44	90		44	94			
Total	143	607		142	627			
DIMPS	2018				2017			
Abrigado	24	76	1+	21	78	1+		
Tapin (Sex Workers)	11	10		11	32			
Jugend-an-Drogenhelfer	5	3		10	25			
Abrisud	5	10		6	21			
Ettelbrück Gare	3	3		5	3			
Centre Ulysse	6	22		4	13			
WanterAktioun	3	10		3	9			
GayMat	1	10		1	13			
Testing Week	2	18		6	28			
Hepatitis Day	1	9		1	11			
World Aids Day (1/12 Gare de Luxembourg)	1	18		1	16			
X Change	49	30		20	31			
TOTAL	111	219		89	280			
TOTAL HIV Berodung+Cigale+DIMPS	254	826		211	876			

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Impact

Since 2009:

+ 2310 people tested

🚫 23 HIV+

🚫 92 HCV+

⇒ Test and treat

New **Outreach** projects

⇒ Search and find the lost of sight

⇒ Link to care and retain in care



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