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- **Around 90,000 people are living with HIV in the UK.**
- **A third of people living with HIV in the UK have faced discrimination because they are HIV positive.**
- **HIV prejudice is often the result of ignorance about how HIV is transmitted and an unfounded fear of becoming infected.**
- **If we ACT AWARE we can all play a part in increasing knowledge about HIV in the UK, preventing the spread of HIV, and ending prejudice toward people affected by HIV.**
- **The main ways HIV is transmitted is through unprotected sex or through sharing needles.**
- **HIV is not passed on through kissing, biting, spitting, sneezing, toilet seats or sharing utensils.**
- **Using a condom during sex is the best way to protect yourself and your partner from HIV and other sexually transmitted infections (STI's).**

For confidential information and advice on HIV and safer sex call 0800 567 123

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