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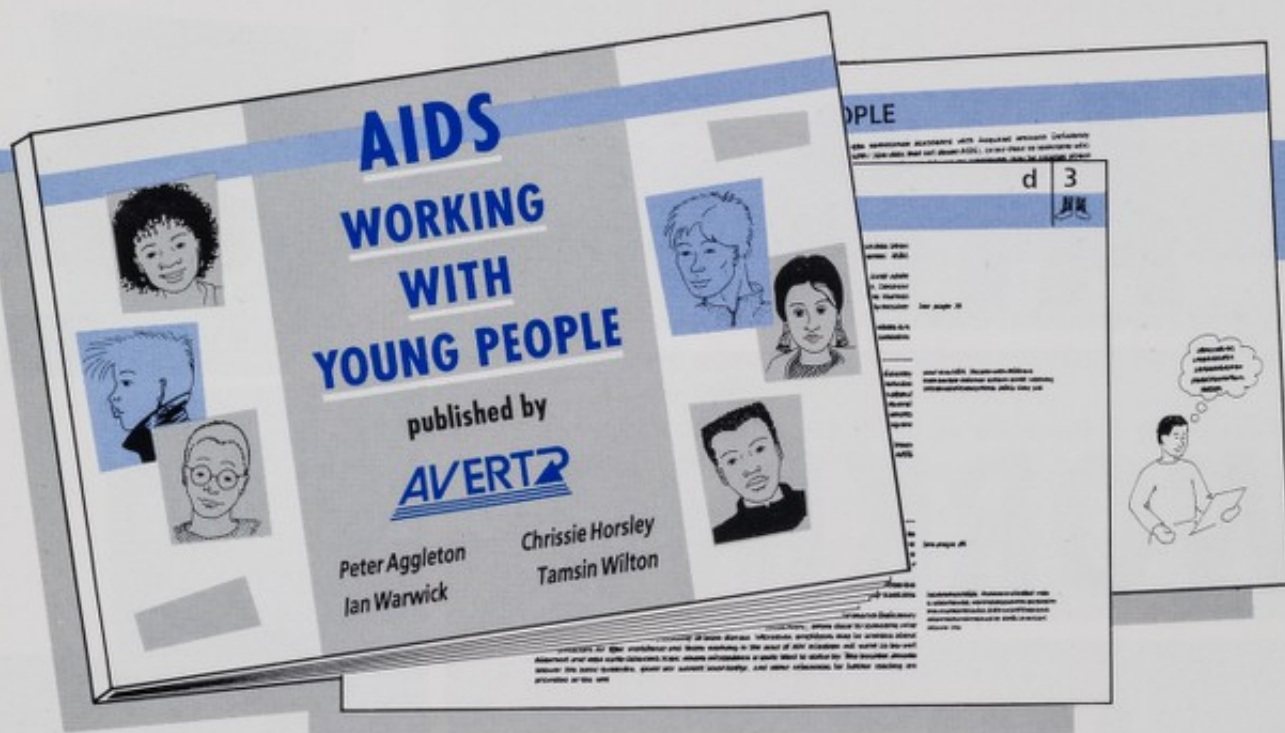
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Contents

There are two main parts to the pack:

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2. Exercises which provide opportunities for young people to involve themselves in group work, simulations, games and role play around issues to do with HIV infection and AIDS. These exercises are constructed in modular form so as to address the needs of young people of different backgrounds and abilities.

Guidance is provided on how the exercises can be used. The pack also contains a bibliography, videography and resource list.

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