

# What has happened since 2003?

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# Knowledge Base

- Rapid testing in L&D is a good safety net.
- New infection likely responsible for larger proportion of perinatal infections.
- Burden of new HIV infections are increasing for women, especially AA and young women.
- Preconception health important for many maternal and pediatric health outcomes, including HIV.

# Political Will & Policy

- Routine HIV screening for pregnant women and the general population is becoming more acceptable (revised HIV screening guidelines- Sept. 06).
- Newborn testing
- Many states are changing laws and regulations
- Prevention among women
- National Organizations' article

# HIV Prevention Programs/ Tools

- Continue strong work with level funds
- Rapid testing more common
- Promising practices
  - MCHJ paper
  - AMCHP newsletter
  - CityMatCH compendium

# Data/Surveillance

- Enhanced Perinatal Surveillance- more funding and a new project period
- Name-based HIV reporting
- HIV-exposure reporting
- HIV testing chart review

# On the Horizon

- ACOG/AMCHP Policy Forum
  - July 10, 2006
- Case Management Evaluation Project
  - Review panel completed
- FIMR-HIV Pilot Project
- AJOG Perinatal HIV Special Issue
  - Spring 2007

Forecast for the future?