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Biomedical Interventions
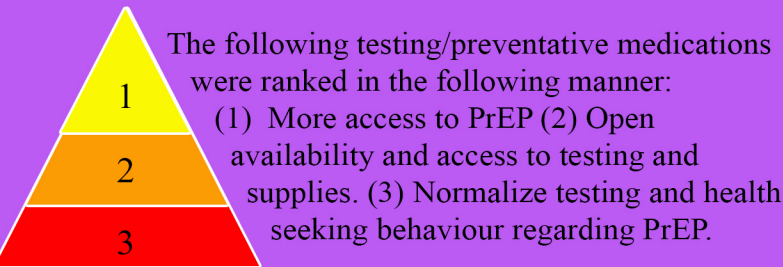### Testing/Preventative Medications

Biomedical interventions can include a range of different interventions; however, we focused on one area of intervention: testing and preventative medications as one intervention identified in our studies.

Interventions were ranked according to the sub-group's (gay/bi/MSM, heterosexual women and men, trans- women and men identifying, and LBQ women) level of importance. Sub-groups were asked to list the top 3 programs within the three structural programs. Interventions for testing/preventative medication included:
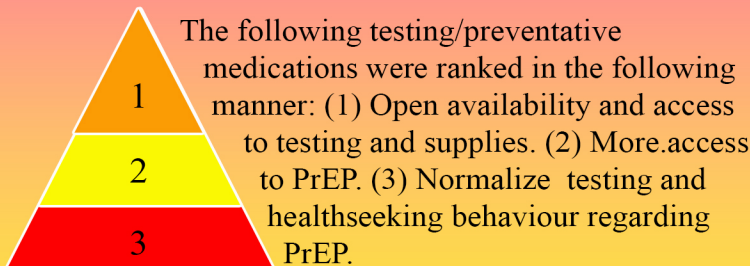
Legend

- ▬ (orange) Open availability and access to testing and supplies (e.g., condoms, HIV test kits)
- ▬ (yellow) PrEP should be more accessible, especially on-demand, to people who might not be covered by OHIP or insurance
- ▬ (red) Normalize testing and health-seeking behaviour regarding PrEP
- ▬ (green) Having the option of ordering safer sex supplies online

Gay/Bi/MSM

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2
3

The following testing/preventative medications were ranked in the following manner: (1) More access to PrEP (2) Open availability and access to testing and supplies. (3) Normalize testing and health seeking behaviour regarding PrEP.

Heterosexual Women and Men

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The following testing/preventative medications were ranked in the following manner: (1) Open availability and access to testing and supplies. (2) More.access to PrEP. (3) Normalize testing and healthseeking behaviour regarding PrEP.

Trans-Women and Men Identifying

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The following testing/preventative medications were ranked in the following manner: (1) Open availability and access to testing and supplies. (2) More access to PrEP. (3) Normalize testing and health seeking behaviour regarding PrEP and having the option for ordering safer sex supplies online.
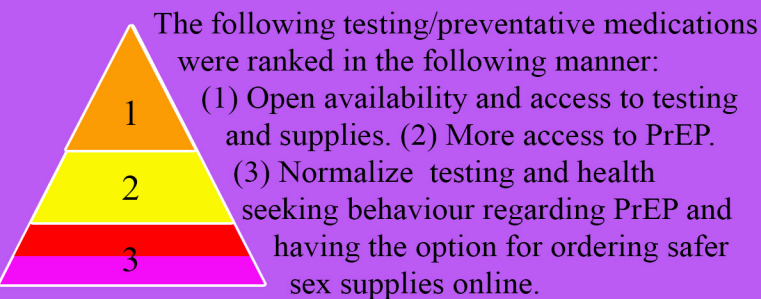
LBQ Women

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The following testing/preventative medications were ranked in the following manner: (1) Open availability and access to testing and supplies. (2) More access to PrEP. (3) Normalize testing and health seeking behaviour regarding PrEP.

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