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Microbicides Development Programme announces date of release of the main findings of the MDP 301 Phase III trial of PRO 2000 vaginal microbicide gel

The Microbicides Development Programme will announce the main findings of the MDP 301 trial of PRO 2000 vaginal microbicide gel on Monday 14 December 2009.

The MDP 301 trial evaluated PRO 2000 gel for safety and effectiveness in reducing the risk of HIV transmission. It is the largest vaginal microbicide trial to date and was conducted in six research centres in South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia.

Meetings with trial participants and their communities are scheduled around the date of the public announcement. A manuscript is in preparation and the results will be submitted for publication in a peer-reviewed journal.

