



AIDS SOLIDARITY MOVEMENT



Cy Checkpoint



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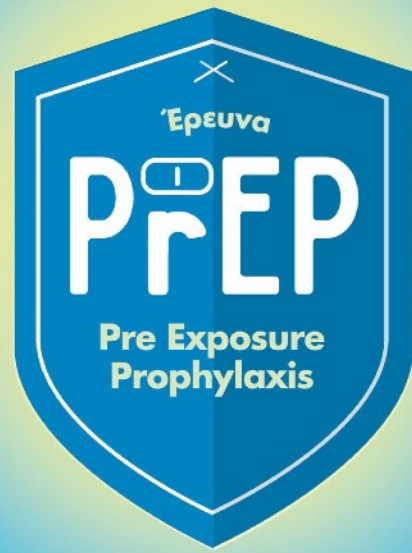
Nicosia, 12 June, 2026

Safe Space

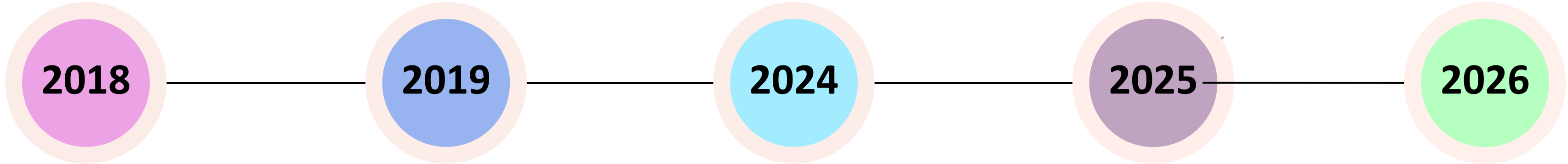
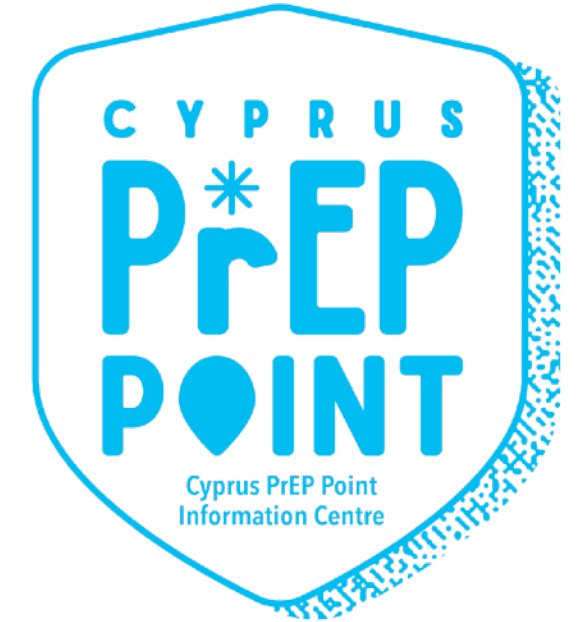
Here there is a place for everyone...



Official access to PrEP



| | | Counselling providers (given they fulfill the special training) | Providers of HIV, HBV, HCV, & STI testing** | Providers of other tests | Who can give prescriptions | Medical Monitoring Providers (incl. Tele-health) | Medication Access |
|---|---|---|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|--|-------------------|
| Phase 1 Duration: 12 months Capacity for 600 people daily + 200 on demand. | Infectious Diseases Doctors | X | X | X | X | X | |
| | Nurses | X | X | X | | | |
| | Nicosia General Hospital | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Phase 2 Duration: 36 months Capacity for 800 people daily + 300 on demand. | Larnaca General Hospital (HIV Reference Clinic) | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| | Cy Checkpoint * | X | X | | | | |
| Phase 3 Duration: Continues Capacity for 1,000 people daily + 500 on demand. | Limassol General Hospital | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| | Linopetra (Limassol) Health Centre | X | X | X | | | |
| | Paphos General Hospital | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Other Providers (Phases 1&2 continue together with 3) | Family Doctors | X | X | X | X | X | |
| | Pharmacies | | | | | | X |
| | Private Labs | | X | X | | | |
| | Other Medical Centres | X | X | X | X | X | X |



- 'PrEP in Europe' - Summit
- 'PrEP in Cyprus' - Survey
- RoC Parliament - Advocacy
- AIDS Conference - Community Data

- 'PrEP in Cyprus' - Conference
- 'PrEP in Europe' - Summit
- Cy Checkpoint - peer support

- National AIDS Committee - Proposal Plan for Access to PrEP

- RoC Minister of Health Approves the National AIDS Committee PrEP Proposal Plan
- Cyprus PrEP Point (launch in May)
- PrEP Roll Out (Oct. 2025)

- Collaboration with State PrEP Clinics



Cyprus PrEP Point Information Centre

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Εισηγητική πρόταση Εθνικής Επιτροπής

Καθολική διάθεση - απρόσκοπτη παροχή - φυγόκεντρη έκπτυξη - προσαρμοστικότητα

| | | Συμβουλευτική (μετά από ειδική εκπαίδευση) | Εργαστηριακός έλεγχος βάσει πρωτοκόλλου για HIV, HBV, HCV, ΣΜΝ** | Άλλες εξετάσεις | Συστηματική ρύθμιση | Ιατρική Παρακολούθηση (βάσει πρωτοκόλλου) | Διάθεση φαρμάκων |
|---------|---|--|--|-----------------|---------------------|---|------------------|
| 1η Φάση | Λοιμωξιολόγοι | X | X | X | X | X | |
| | Νοσηλεύτριες | X | X | X | | | |
| | Γενικό Νοσοκομείο Λευκωσίας | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| | Γενικό Νοσοκομείο Λάρνακας (Κλινική Αναφοράς HIV) | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| | Cy Checkpoint (Λευκωσία)* | X | X | | | | |

• 12 μήνες
• Εκτιμάται, 600 ωφελούμενοι

phased expansion to collect data, με στόχο να συλλέγονται δεδομένα

Cyprus PrEP Point (Launch) - 29 May 2025

All Presentations Information For you

AAE - Message (English subs).mov Open with QuickTime Player

AAE
AIDS Action Europe

I am the Executive Coordinator of AIDS Action Europe.

EA TG European AIDS Treatment Group

THE SECRETARIAT

My name is Dr Nicoletta Policek

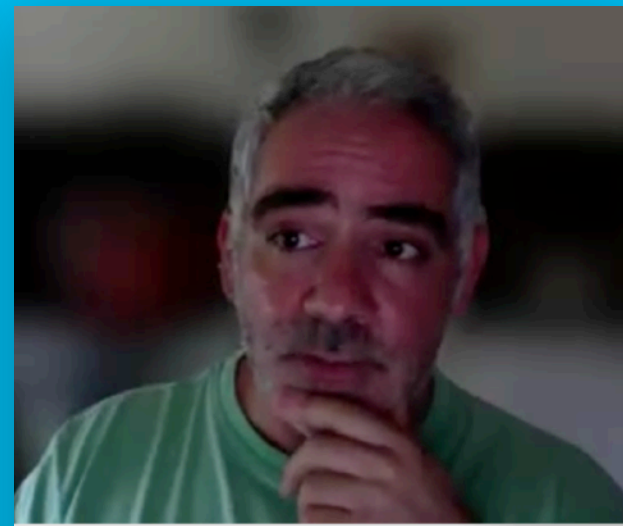
Launch Date: 29 May 2025

VIDEO: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1DFVLbNukAo>



PrEP 101: What you need to know

Prof Georgios Nikolopoulos



PrEP In times of uncertainty: wars, pandemics, and Trump

Dr Ioannis Mameletzis



Routine Monitoring While on PrEP

Dr Danny Alon Ellenbogen



Working on Combination Prevention In Europe



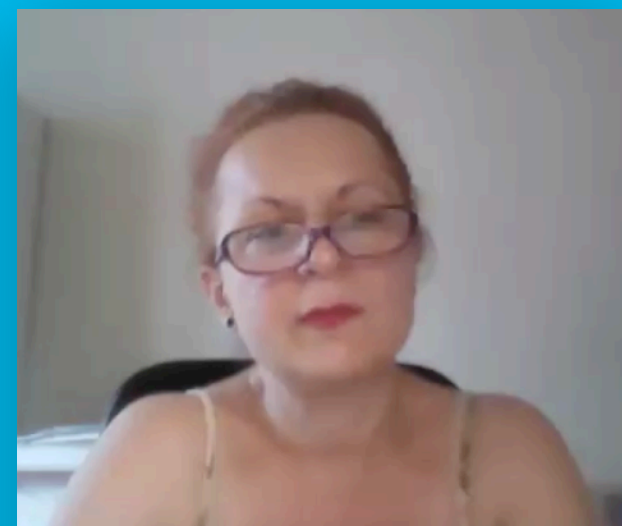
The role of HIV PrEP in HIV and STI prevention: Putting WHO guidance into practice

Dr Viatcheslav Grankov



PrEP Implementation In Europe

Teymur Noori



PrEP In Greece: What you need to know



Community Response on PrEP: Case Studies on Ukraine and Cyprus





Cyprus PrEP Point

PrEP Month (June 2025)

PrEP Month Open Discussions & Seminars
Link: <https://www.asmcypus.org/prep-month>



CY PrEP POINT PrEP Month - June 2025

PrEP in Cyprus The Movement declared June 2025 as the 'PrEP Month', and organised a series of 8 online meetings, inviting experts to present a variety of topics. The webinars were followed by open discussions.

Services

PrEP Month 1. PrEP 101: What you need to know

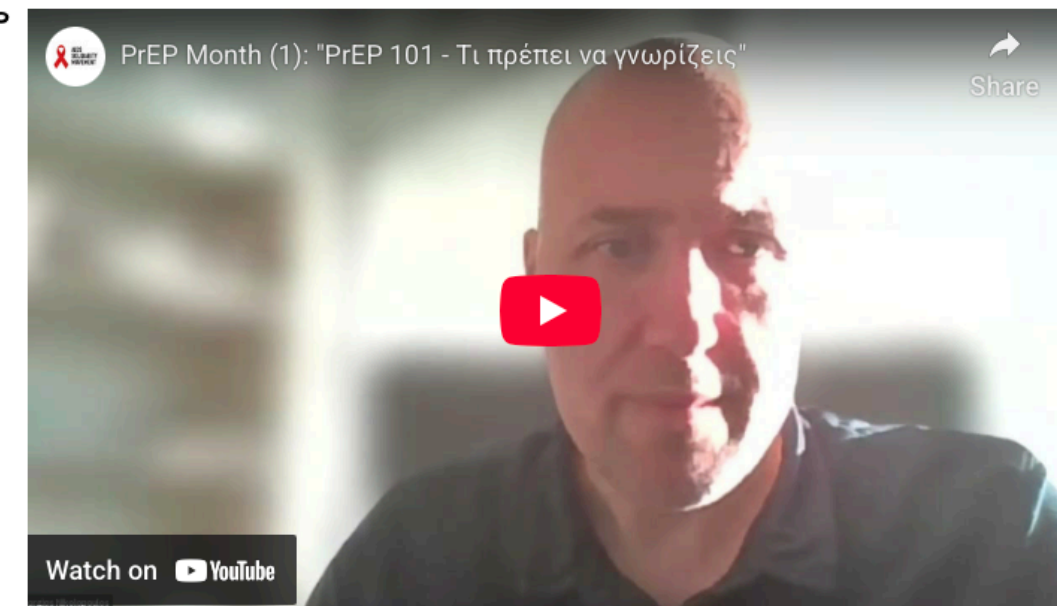
With Prof Georgios Nikolopoulos

Original Language: Greek | Subtitles in YouTube: English

When: Friday, 6 June 2025 | Time: 18:30 hh (Cyprus Time)

About DoxyPEP

Advocacy



2. PrEP in times of uncertainty: wars, pandemics, and Trump

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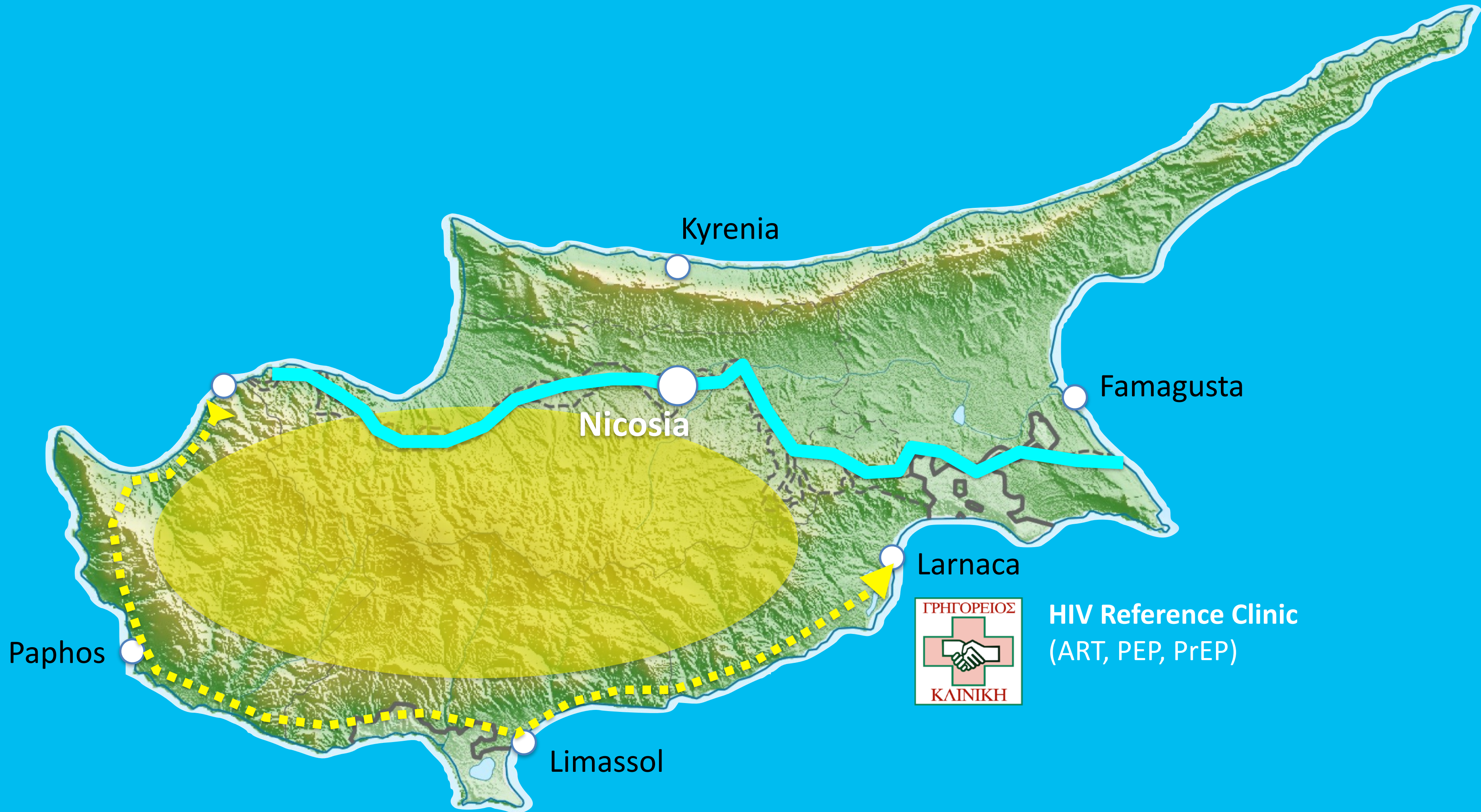
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Short Video



Kyrenia

Famagusta

Nicosia

Larnaca

Limassol

Paphos

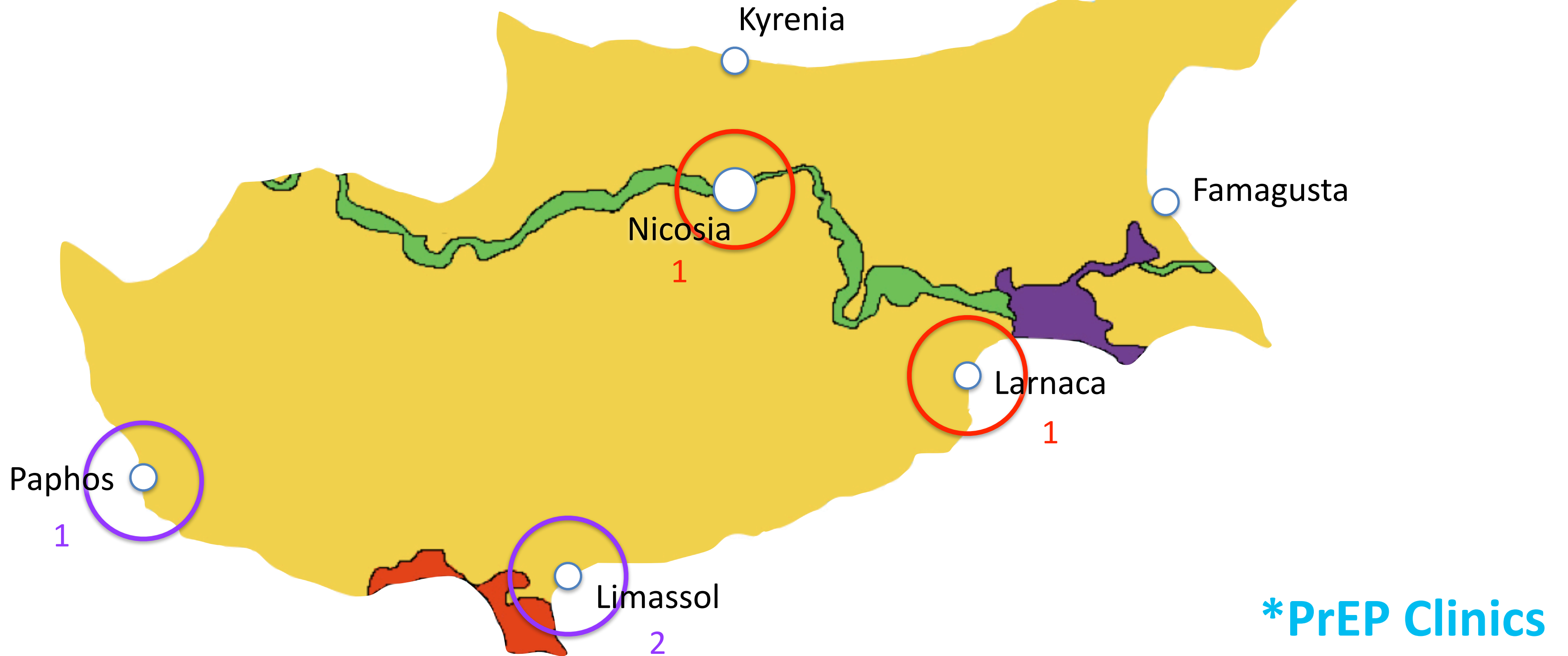


HIV Reference Clinic
(ART, PEP, PrEP)

Phase One: (2025-2026): 2 PrEP Clinics

Phase Two: (2026-2028): 5 PrEP Clinics

Phase Three: (2028-): Family Doctors (GHS)





New Website (2025)

● asmCyprus.org

● CyCheckpoint.org

● PrEPinCyprus.com

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The screenshot shows the homepage of the new website. At the top left is the logo. The navigation menu includes 'THE MOVEMENT', 'LIVING WITH HIV', 'CY CHECKPOINT', 'CY PrEP POINT', 'PROJECTS', and 'NEWS'. On the right, there are buttons for 'DONATE', 'SUPPORT', and 'CONTACT US', along with social media icons and language options (EN, EL, TR). The main banner features a white ribbon and the text 'AIDS SOLIDARITY MOVEMENT'. Below the banner are five smaller logos: the main logo, 'People Living with HIV', 'Cy Checkpoint', 'CYPRUS PrEP POINT', and 'HIV ENDS with me'. The left sidebar lists 'THE MOVEMENT' with sub-links: 'Who we are', 'Volunteers', 'Members', 'Office', 'Board', and 'Press'. The main content area has a heading 'Welcome to the AIDS Solidarity Movement' followed by a paragraph: 'The AIDS Solidarity Movement (the Movement) was established in 1989 in Cyprus, as a non-governmental and non-profit organisation.' Below this is another paragraph: 'The Movement envisions a world without social stigma, where all individuals can express themselves freely, with respect to one another and without any fear.' A third paragraph follows: 'We provide services to People Living with HIV such as psychosocial support (since 1995), linkage-to-care, Antiretroviral Treatment (ART) dissemination, and advocate for human rights, equality and equity. We conduct surveys and community intervention to improve quality care and access to treatment, and promote the benefits of ART through the scientific truth of 'Undetectable = Untransmittable'.' The final paragraph states: 'In 2015, we established the Cy Checkpoint, through which we offer free, anonymous and rapid HIV/STI community testing, disseminate free condoms, gloves and lubricants, and peer counselling around safer sexual practices, access to PEP and PrEP.'



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CY CHECKPOINT

Prevention
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Testing in Cyprus
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FAQ
Linkage2Care

Welcome to the Cy Checkpoint

In 2015, the Movement launched the “Cyprus Checkpoint”, the Information, Prevention and Testing Centre for HIV and other Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs).

The Cy Checkpoint offers **free, anonymous and rapid HIV/STI testing** in our permanent space in Nicosia, and through PopUp locations around Cyprus.

The Cy Checkpoint is an active member of COBATEST, a Network of organisations in the WHO Europe region that offer community testing services and promote testing, early diagnosis and linkage to care for at-risk populations.

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CY PrEP POINT

PrEP in Cyprus

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Welcome to the Cyprus PrEP Point

The 'Cyprus PrEP Point' is the Community Information and Empowerment Centre regarding PrEP (Pre Exposure Prophylaxis for HIV). The Cyprus PrEP Point was launched run by the AIDS Solidarity Movement in May 2025, with services run by the Community for the Community. The Cyprus PrEP Point aims for effective information, support, and guidance for those who have chosen PrEP as their preferred HIV prevention method.

PrEP is officially available in Cyprus since October 2025.

PrEP is available to everyone who chooses this prevention method to protect themselves from HIV.

- You **do not** need to be registered in the Republic of Cyprus National Health System (GESY).
- PrEP is **free**. You do not need to pay anything.
- Access to PrEP requires a registration at the PrEP Clinic (General Hospitals of Larnaca and Nicosia). Your personal information is not registered in the National Health System. But, you will need to provide some sort of identification (i.e. an ID or passport).
- There are **no exclusion criteria**.



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Q & A

Christos Krasidis

Nicosia, 12 June, 2026

