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3rd Degree: Secrets and Lies

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In a township near Cape Town, a study showed that in the previous three months young men had an average of six sexual partners each. Most of these encounters happened while they were in steady relationships with girlfriends.

This trend of having regular sex with a number of different partners, is fuelling the spread of HIV. Terrifyingly, for every two people put on ARVs, another five are HIV+.

In a series of frank discussions with men and women living with HIV/AIDS, 3rd Degree puts their choices about sexuality and relationships under the spotlight. What emerges, is a worrying picture of female vulnerability and male dominance.

Until this pattern of sexual behavior changes, more people will be infected with the virus.

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