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DOT & BOT NETWORK

Building the Network of Community Participation and Empowerment



Dear Members and Users,

The networks website has been under test and is now ready for members' access.

MEMBERSHIP: Membership is granted only to persons in the PLWHA community in the Dutch and British overseas territories. Those persons who are accepted for membership will be sent a default **password** which will need to be changed to one known only to the individual. This default password will be valid for 24 hours.

USERS: Users are individuals who are associated with the work in HIV in the Dutch and British Islands, and who are desirous of supporting appropriate persons to become members of the networks

REFERRALS: Referrals will be taken from both members and none members. The website's home page allows nonmembers/users to provide sufficient information to the administrator for membership assessment. Once the assessment is made the potential member will be contacted by the administrator with the necessary login and password information to secure access to the site. Referrals will be accepted from NAP coordinators, HIV focal points, health care and NGO Workers who work with PLWHIV, and counselors. Go to: <http://www.dotsnbots.net/> using the drop down menu at members choose referrals and fill out the form for submission. Please fill all boxes. Provide your name and email address, the name and email address of referred person along with a reason for the request. The request will be assessed and replied to.

MEMBERS LOGIN: The sight requires Login to each page using a unique username and password. Your **User name** is your email address and you will be given a default **password** which you will need to change to one known to only you. New members are added by the administrator only

E-COUNSELING: Counseling can be accessed by email to the counselor. The counseling request form is only accessible to members and is found in the drop down menu at members. Please fill all boxes.

PEER SUPPORT: While individuals may have personal friendships through previous contact or other links. Members networking across the two networks are encouraged through the site's forum. The forum is administered by the counselor and is visible to all members. Please ensure that persons adhere to the code of conduct for using the site. This is intended to be a pleasant and useful experience for our members.