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SEPTEMBER 19, 2000

TO: SANDRA THURMAN

FROM: DARCY PADGETT

RE: HIV/AIDS PREVENTION SHOW 2000/2001

22 pages including this one.

Sandra,

Following is a package for the above titled show. Please review. I look forward for your support. Please contact me at (281) 208-9097.

[Handwritten notes and stamps]
D-105
100-1000
Saturday
9/15/00
CBA



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September 18, 2000

Sandra Thurman, Aids Policy Director
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave
Washington, DC

Re: HIV/AIDS Prevention Show 2000/2001

Dear Sandra,

Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. and the BET ACTION Network have recently joined forces to educate "minority" college students on the prevention of contracting HIV/AIDS. Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. feels your involvement and support with our HIV/AIDS Prevention Show 2000/2001 at the 105 Historically Black Colleges (highly targeted victims of HIV/AIDS) will make our goal a reality.

As you know, statistics indicate African American men and women between the ages of 19 and 44 are at the highest risk of contracting this deadly virus/disease. As of June 2000, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reported 272,881 Blacks, not Hispanic aids cases and 133,703 Hispanic aids cases. Reports verify the spread of HIV/AIDS is mostly due to unprotected heterosexual activity and these statistics are increasing. (The State of Missouri has declared a health state of emergency in both St. Louis and Kansas City because of AIDS). Though education is important, prevention is everyone's goal.

Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. and the BET ACTION Network would like to take this opportunity to introduce Norman Mitchell (Naughty Norm), the host of televisions hottest new adult game show "Naughty Games". Mr. Mitchell, a comedian/actor/writer/director will serve as the Master of Ceremonies of our HIV/AIDS Prevention Show 2000/2001. Mr. Mitchell was selected based upon his knowledge, compassion and sensitivity of the subject at hand, as well as his talents as a comedian and Master of Ceremonies. This is an area of grave importance to Mr. Mitchell. The loss he's suffered from this deadly virus/disease has made him an authority on this subject.

The BET ACTION Network is planning a marketing blitz around our HIV/AIDS Prevention Show 2000/2001 on such shows as "Naughty Games" hosted by Norman Mitchell, "BET LIVE with Tavis Smiley", "Live in L.A. with Miguel Nunez", "HITZ" and "On The Action Tip", just to name a few. These shows are specifically geared towards our targeted audience. Our HIV/AIDS Prevention Show 2000/2001 will consist of four sections: Information, Education, Dramatization and Evaluation. In our presentation, we will challenge the audience members to learn more about the most compelling, deadly virus in recent history, evaluate their perception and alter their actions and judgment. Mr. Mitchell will interject various comedy routines and sketches as he relates statistics, FAQ's, transmission, symptoms, diagnosis, treatment and prevention to the listening public. Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. and the BET ACTION Network look forward to having fun and saving lives with you through laughter and education.



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Enclosed please find a letter of commitment from the Vice President of Programming of BET ACTION, Candace Jones-Sutton, bio and resume of Naughty Norm, Norman Mitchell, bio and resume of Shun Paul, opening act, our show format, budget and sample pamphlet, which contains information about HIV/AIDS, to be distributed to students at each show. Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. appreciates all financial support, television, radio and print publicity, letters of recommendation and any HIV/AIDS literature, etc., to assist us in our crusade to fight this horrendous plague.

Should you have any questions, contact me at (281) 208-9097.

Sincerely,

Darcy Padgett/CEO
Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc.



September 11, 2000

Darcy Padgett
CEO
Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc.
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Stafford, TX 77477

Ms. Padgett,

We at BET Action Pay Per View are looking forward to working with you and the potential sponsors, i.e., Lifestyles and The Phillip Morris Co., who are interested in Naughty Games, hosted by Norman Mitchell.

As you are aware, BET Action services ten million households nationwide and is a 100% subsidiary of Black Entertainment Television. As a result, the program affords cross channel promotion to over 60 million households.

As we approach production of the second season of Naughty Games, allow me to assure that its success and rise in popularity is growing and increasing every month. Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. involvement and participation in the program's growth is valued and appreciated.

Should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 608-2822.

Sincerely,

Candace Jones-Sutton
Candace Jones-Sutton
Vice President of Programming R.T.

Action Pay Per View

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Naughty Norm

Game Show Host, Comedian, Actor, Screenwriter, Singer, Voice Over Artist, and Impressionist, Naughty Norm, (Norman Mitchell to all his fans), has been performing since his wonder years. In Houston, Tx, where he attended public school with such celebrities as Yolanda Adams (Gospel Vocalist) and Monica Lamb (Four Time WNBA Champion), to name a few, Naughty Norm gained a love for the arts. He was ranked first in the T.M.E.A. Tenor One Vocal Music Competition and by his senior year he was voted most talented student in the Houston Area. After graduation, he Co-Founded the Neighborhood Centers Inc. Traveling Ensemble Company. There he Co-Wrote, Directed and performed short plays focusing on sensitive subject matters of the times; Teen Pregnancy, Abortion, Child Abuse and Alcoholism.

Not satisfied, Naughty Norm tried something different, Stand-Up Comedy. He was hooked! He teamed with High School classmate Curtis Arceneaux, and together they perched themselves as the 80's and early 90's Comedy Duo of the Decade. They soon found themselves featured on the Hottest Comedy Shows both on and off the air.

Still his fire roared inside and Naughty Norm stepped to the next level, a solo career. After many awards and achievements he became a regular cast member on the "Uptown Comedy Club" TV Series where he performed, co-wrote and directed many of the shows comedy sketches. Naughty Norm has also appeared on MTV's ½ Hour Comedy Hour, Showtime at the Apollo and HBO's Def Comedy Jam. He has opened for veteran comedians such as Paul Mooney, Sinbad and Dennis Miller as well as recording artists Toni Braxton, After 7 and Howard Hewitt. He recently completed Co-Starring roles in the independent Features "Heaven and the Suicide King" and "Fourth Down and Goal to Goal". He was also a guest star on Nickelodeon's "Keenan & Kel". He is currently the Host of Television's Hottest New Game Show, BET Action Pay Per View's "Naughty Games".

To Naughty Norm's many fans, he is crazy and outrageously funny. His mix of Texas Twang and Urban Flava leave a stamp of insanity on all who share his world. For a fresh and twisted perspective on politics, religion, sex, marriage, children and relationships, Naughty Norm is your man!

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norman mitchell

AFTRA/SAG

personal appearances:

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TELEVISION:

"Naughty Games"	Host	BET Action Pay Per View
"Live in LA"	Guest Host	BET Network
"On the Action Tip"	Guest	BET Network
"Jerry Lewis M.D.A. Telethon"	Feature Comedian	Syndicated
"Keenan & Kel"	Guest Star	Nickelodeon
"Uptown Comedy Club"	Starring	Syndicated
"Showtime at the Apollo"	Feature Comedian	Syndicated
"Def Comedy Jam"	Feature Comedian	HBO
"Apollo Comedy Hour"	Feature Comedian	Syndicated
"MTV's 1/2 Hour Comedy Hour"	Feature Comedian	MTV

FILMS:

"First Down & Goal to Goal"	Lead	Cornucopia Films
"Heaven & the Suicide King"	Co-Star	Killer Productions
"Panther"	Feature	Working Title

COMEDY CLUBS:

Improvisation	Los Angeles, CA.
Laugh Factory	Los Angeles, CA.
Comedy Store	Los Angeles, CA.
Caroline's	New York, N.Y.
Rascals	W. Orange, N.J.
Rascals	Ocean Park, N.J.
Hip-Hop Comedy Stop	Houston, TX.

CONCERTS:

Chris Rock	Opening Act	Wyndham Prods.
Chris Tucker	Opening Act	Uptown Prods.
Maze F/Frankie Beverly	Opening Act	Al Haymon Prods.
Toni Braxton	Opening Act	Al Haymon Prods.
Dennis Miller	Opening Act	Dennis Miller Prods.
After 7	Opening Act	Apollo Theatre Prods.
Howard Hewitt	Opening Act	Apollo Theatre Prods.
Sinbad	Opening Act	Seagram's Prods.

THEATRE:

"Reflections" - A One Act	Lead	Emil Johnson
"Rulers, Riches and Rainbows"	Lead	Harold Haynes
"Westside Story"	Supporting	Julian Donner
"Death of a Salesman"	Supporting	Emmit Faulkner
"Romeo and Juliet"	Supporting	Emmit Faulkner
"Ceremonies in Dark Old Men"	Supporting	Paul Denman

AWARDS:

Best Stand-Up

Comic of the Year

Nominated Best Actor/Variety Show

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SHUN PAUL

[001]

Shun-Paul Wilson, comedian, actor and screenwriter

(b)(6)

He began his stand up career in 1991 on Thanksgiving Night, at The Comedy Zone, Memphis, Tennessee's premiere comedy club. After one performance, he began to be called on for local shows. He soon found himself sharing the bill with such artists as Bernie Mac, Cedric the Entertainer and Eddie Griffin.

After being repeatedly being mistaken for Chris Tucker, Shun-Paul soon harnessed a career, which would allow him the opportunity to meet the mega star in Los Angeles, California, where Shun-Paul was working on his first feature film, "Heaven and the Suicide King". Shun-Paul would then be featured as a guest comedian on BET'S COMIC VIEW, the hottest showcase vehicle for up and coming comedians.

Shun-Paul has also been seen on the stage in several Los Angeles productions; i.e. "A RAISIN IN THE SUN", "DEATH OF A SALESMAN" and "NEXT".

His talents have granted him the ability to be the opening act for such HIP-HOP Artists as Da' Brat, Juvenile and Jay-Z to name a few. Shun-Paul is definitely an up and coming, rising star, and surely someone to watch out for in this new Millennium.

Shun Paul
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Film

"Heaven and the Suicide King"	Co-Star	Killer Productions
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Television

"Comic View"	Feature Comedian	BET Network
"HBO's Def Comedy Jam"	Feature Comedian	HBO
"Hidden Secrets of the Delta Blues"	Feature Performer	Syndicated

Comedy Clubs

Uptown Comedy Corner	Atlanta, GA.
Comedy Store	Los Angeles, CA.
Mixed Nuts	Los Angeles, CA.
Punch Line	Atlanta, GA.
Comedy Zone	Memphis, TN.
Looney Bin	Memphis, TN.
Stanford's	Kansas City, MO.

Concerts

Bernie Mac	Opening Act
Cedric the Entertainer	Opening Act
Da' Brat	Opening Act
Cash Money Millionaires	Opening Act
Juvenile	Opening Act

Theater

"A Raisin in the Sun"	Lead
"Death of a Salesman"	Supporting Actor
"Next"	Lead



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SHOW FORMAT

5:30p Arrival at location. Naughty Norm will select five students to participate in the evening events.

5:45p – 6:15p Sound Check and Stage preparation. (Norman Mitchell & Shun Paul)

7:00p Doors Open, ushers seat the audience.

7:15p – 7:30p SHUN PAUL warm up.

7:31p – 7:32 SHUN PAUL INTRO Naughty Norm, host and Master of Ceremonies.

7:32p – 7:40p Naughty Norm welcomes sponsors (LIFESTYLES/BET)

7:41p – 7:51p LIFESTYLES's spokesperson speaks.

7:51p – 8:45p Naughty Norm FAQ's.

Sample Questions:

What is HIV?

What is Aids?

Who can get it?

Can it happen to me?

Am I exempt? Etc.

8:45p – 9:00p "The Results", a sketch about the results of two aids tests.

9:00p – 9:15p Experiment involving the five selected students.

9:15p – 9:30p COMMENTS AND CLOSING REMARKS.

END OF SHOW



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SUMMARY START-UP PRODUCTION COST
HIV/AIDS PREVENTION SHOW 2000/2001
A BUSY BEE ENTERPRISES, INC. PRODUCTIONS

Writer: Norman Mitchell

Director: Norman Mitchell

Cast: Norman Mitchell/Shun Paul

Producer: Darcy Padgett

Acct No.	Classification	Budget
000	Office Equipment	\$15,000
001	Office Support	\$69,000
002	Office Supplies	\$2,500
	Total Office Expenses	\$86,500
003	Sketch writer	\$2,500
004	Producer	\$10,000
005	Director	\$5,000
006	Cast Rehearsal	\$3,500
	Total Pre-production Expenses	\$21,000
	Total Start-up Production Cost	\$107,500

BUSY BEE ENTERPRISES, INC.

IN ASSOCIATION WITH

BET ACTION NETWORK

PRESENTS

**THE HIV/AIDS
PREVENTION SHOW
2000/2001**

Hosted by: *Norman Mitchell*

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FACTS

HIV (human immunodeficiency virus) is spread most commonly through unprotected sexual intercourse with an infected partner.

HIV is frequently spread among injection drug users by the sharing of needles or syringes contaminated with the blood from someone infected with the virus.

Women can transmit HIV to their fetuses during pregnancy or childbirth.

HIV can go undetected in the body with no symptoms for up to ten or more years.

The only sure way of knowing you are infected with HIV is to be tested.

One negative test result does not mean you are not infected with HIV.

There is no known HIV vaccine available.

In the United States, the highest percentage of AIDS cases are African American men and women between the ages of 21 and 44, the most sexually active age group.

The World Health Organization (WHO) and the Joint United Nations Program on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) reported 33.6 million adults and children were living with AIDS or HIV at the end of 1999.

AIDS (acquired immunodeficiency syndrome) is the final, fatal stage of HIV infection. Unless it's treated, this viral infection slowly destroys your immune system by killing the white blood cells and antibodies that protect you from disease, fight infections and certain cancers.

AIDS is a non-discriminatory disease infecting men, women and children regardless of age, race, creed, religion, sexual preference, educational background, economic status, popularity, etc.

It can and will happen to you if you do not educate yourself and utilize proper judgment at all times!!

PREVENTION

Since scientists have not yet developed a vaccine for HIV, the only true way to prevent infection is to avoid sharing needles and having unprotected vaginal, anal and oral sex.

Because HIV has such an extended incubation process, there is no way of knowing whether someone is infected unless he or she has been repeatedly tested for the virus. Like driving under the influence, sex under the influence can be deadly. Drug and alcohol abuse can alter your perception and judgment in deciding whether to engage in sex with someone you are not sure is infected. If you do engage in sex, use a latex condom with or without nonoxynol-9. (Nonoxynol-9 is an FDA-approved spermicidal gel). Although condoms can reduce the risk of contracting HIV, it does not eliminate the risk entirely. Condoms sometimes break, or can be used improperly. The Public Health Service recommends that people either abstain from sex or protect themselves with a latex condom. One of the best forms of prevention is to be in a monogamous relationship with an uninfected partner.

Intravenous drug users, whether for medical conditions or recreational usage, can increase prevention by using a clean and sterilized needle, not sharing their needle with anyone.

The risk of transmitting HIV from a pregnant woman to her fetus is significantly reduced if she takes AZT during pregnancy, labor and delivery.

Although the blood supply is well screened in the United States, be cautious when venturing in some developing countries.

TRANSMISSION

Recreational drug use and unsafe sex increase the risk of becoming infected with HIV. The most common way to contract HIV is by having unprotected sex with an infected partner. The virus is present in semen and vaginal secretions of infected persons and enters the body during sexual activity. Reports suggest that AIDS isn't spread by casual contact such as hugging or shaking hands. It has also been reported that a person cannot contract this virus through air, water or food. The virus spreads when the blood or body fluids of an infected person comes into contact with an uninfected person.

HIV is frequently spread among injection drug users by the sharing of needles contaminated with small quantities of blood from someone infected with the virus. In the early 1980's, AIDS was spread through transfusions of contaminated blood, prior to the screening of blood for infection and before the introduction of its existence. Today, the risk of contracting HIV through transfusions in the United States is extremely small.

Women can transmit HIV to their fetus during pregnancy or birth. About one-quarter to one-third of untreated pregnant women infected with HIV pass the infection to their babies during delivery or through breastfeeding. If the drug AZT is taken during pregnancy, the chance of infecting the baby is reduced significantly.

Reports show that having another sexually transmitted disease, such as gonorrhea, chlamydia, syphilis or herpes, appears to make someone more susceptible to acquiring HIV infection during sex with an infected partner. Certain sexually transmitted diseases may cause breaks in your skin, increasing your chances of contracting HIV.

SYMPTOMS

HIV can lie dormant for years. Although HIV infection and its progression to AIDS is generally a slow process, symptoms can develop at an extremely variable rate; it can take less than five years, or as long as 15 years, to progress to AIDS. If the early stages of HIV, you may experience flu-like symptoms such as fever, headache, malaise and enlarged lymph nodes. These symptoms will often disappear within a week to a month depending on your immune system.

More persistent or severe symptoms such as unexplained fatigue, night sweats, chills or fever higher than 100F for several weeks, swelling of lymph nodes for more than three months, chronic diarrhea, weight loss and headaches, to name a few, may not surface for a decade or more after HIV first enters the body. This period of "a symptomatic" infection is highly variable. Some people may experience symptoms as soon as a few months, whereas others may be symptom free for more than ten years. However, even when you don't have symptoms, the virus is actively infecting and killing cells of the immune system.

As the immune system deteriorates, a variety of complications begin to surface such as the lymph nodes remain enlarged for more than three months, a lack of energy, weight loss, frequent fevers and sweats, persistent or frequent yeast infections (oral or vaginal), persistent skin rashes or flaky skin, pelvic inflammatory disease that does not respond to treatment, short-term memory loss, frequent and severe herpes infections that cause mouth, genital or anal sores or shingles. Other disorders experienced at this stage are severe dermatitis, personality changes, intellectual impairment, peripheral neuritis (inflammation of one or more peripheral nerves), pneumonia, myocarditis (inflammation of the middle muscular layer of the heart wall), nephritis (kidney inflammation), and arthritis.

AIDS

A healthy, uninfected person usually has 800 to 1,200 CD4+ T cells per cubic millimeter (mm³) of blood. During HIV infection, the number of these cells in a person's blood progressively declines. In the early stages of HIV, the immune system fights back with killer T cells (CD8+ T cells) and B cell-produced antibodies. Despite the body's aggressive immune responses, which are sufficient to clear most viral infections, the immune system grows weaker and weaker (due to rapid replication and mutation of the virus) until it can no longer prevent diseases. When a person's CD4+ T cell count falls below 200/mm³, he/she becomes vulnerable to the opportunistic infections (those that would not usually happen in a person with a normal immune system) and cancers that typify AIDS, the end stage of HIV. People with AIDS often suffer infections of the intestinal tract, lungs, brain, eyes, and other organs, as well as debilitating weight loss, diarrhea, neurological conditions and cancers such as Kaposi's sarcoma and lymphomas. Children with AIDS are susceptible to the same opportunistic infections as adults, but they also experience severe forms of childhood infections such as conjunctivitis (pink eye), ear infections and tonsillitis.

DIAGNOSIS/TESTING

HIV testing is done at a number of locations – physicians' offices, health clinics, AIDS organizations and hospitals. Many locations give the test for free. You can choose between anonymous tests (in which you do not give your name to the healthcare provider) or confidential tests (in which you do give your name. Test sites should provide trained counselors who can offer you support and guidance, no matter what the test result.

An HIV test looks for the antibodies your immune system creates in response to the virus. These antibodies may not appear in your blood until three to six months after initial infection. Therefore, a negative test for HIV does not necessarily mean you aren't infected. If you are at risk for HIV infection, you should get tested periodically. Early testing will enable you to get the appropriate treatment needed to combat HIV and prevent the emergence of certain opportunistic infections. Early testing also alerts HIV infected people to avoid high-risk behaviors that could spread HIV to others. One test that is given to patients' is the OraSure test, which requires only a swab to collect fluids from the mouth. Its results can be available in two hours. It's about 98 percent accurate but not as completely reliable as blood tests.

Two blood tests are used to diagnose HIV:

1. ELISA (enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay) – the most common HIV blood test. If the initial test detects the presence of antibodies that fight HIV, you'll undergo a second ELISA test.
2. WESTERN BLOT TEST – is used to confirm a positive ELISA result. The combination of these methods makes a positive test nearly 100 percent accurate.

Your doctor may also order the following tests:

- Complete blood counts
- Routine blood chemistry panel to establish baseline values
- Routine blood test for syphilis
- Tuberculin skin test
- Cervical pap smear
- Blood tests for hepatitis viral infections
- Blood tests for toxoplasmosis
- Measurement of G-6-PD levels in red blood cells

If you've tested positive for an HIV infection, you should have frequent blood tests to determine the levels of healthy T cells. These cell counts help indicate how quickly the infection is progressing and which course of treatment is best. Normal T-cell count is 800 to 1200 cells per cubic millimeter (mm³) of blood. In the first few months after infection, T-cells may decrease to 400 to 650. T-cells drop to a second level of 200 to 499 as the infection progresses. The most threatening AIDS illnesses happen when T-cell levels fall below 200.

If you've tested positive for an HIV infection, tell your sexual partner or partners so they can be screened and take the necessary steps to protect themselves.

TREATMENT

When AIDS first surfaced in the United States, no drugs were available to combat the immune deficiency and few treatments existed for the opportunistic diseases that resulted. Today, therapies have been developed to fight both HIV and its associated infections and cancers.

The Food and Drug Administration has approved a number of drugs for the treatment of HIV infection. These drugs inhibit the growth and multiplication of HIV at various steps of the viral life cycle.

Protease Inhibitors - These drugs interrupt virus replication at a later stage in the virus' life cycle. They include:

- Agenerase (amprenavir)
- Norvir (ritonavir)
- Fortovase, Invirase (saquinavir)
- Crixivan (indinavir)
- Viracept (nelfinavir)

NNRTIs - Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors. They include:

- Rescriptor (delavirdine)
- Sustiva (efavirenz)
- Viramune (nevirapine)

NRTIs - Nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors. They include:

- Combivir (lamivudine and zidovudine)
- Epivir (lamivudine)
- Hivid (zalcitabine)
- Retrovir (zidovudine)
- Videx (didanosine)
- Zerit (stavudine)

Because HIV can become resistant to these drugs, combination treatment is necessary to effectively suppress the virus.

The above listed drugs are used to slow the spread of HIV in the body and delay the onset of opportunistic infections. Unfortunately, these drugs do not prevent transmission of the virus to other individuals.

Other medications the doctor may prescribe to help prevent or treat opportunistic infections that may occur when HIV has weakened your immune system are:

acyclovir (Zovirax) - for recurrent herpes infections

azithromycin (Zithromax) - for prevention of Mycobacterium avium infections

itraconazole (Sporanox) - for fungal infections

sulfonamides and trimethoprim (Bactrim, Septra) - for pneumocystis pneumonia

Even though a cure for AIDS is still, as one researcher put it, "many laboratory tests away", an HIV infection no longer equates to an early death sentence.

RIDICULOUS STATEMENTS THAT CAN GET YOU KILLED

- 1.) Although researchers have detected HIV in the saliva of infected individuals, no evidence exists that the virus is spread by contact with saliva.
- 2.) HIV is a Gay White Men disease.
- 3.) HIV doesn't lead to AIDS. (Christine Maggiore)
- 4.) It can't happen to me.
- 5.) Just this once won't hurt.
- 6.) Hmmm, he/she doesn't look sick.
- 7.) It doesn't feel right when I wear a condom.
- 8.) Majic Johnson had it and look at him.
- 9.) Drugs Alcohol and don't affect my judgment

RESOURCES

- **AIDS Action Council**
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Suite 700
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(202) 986-1300
- **AIDS & Adolescents Network of New York**
666 Broadway, Suite 520
New York, N.Y. 10012
(212) 505-9115
- **AIDS Prevention League**
136 West Wood Avenue
Akron, Ohio 44302
- **Gay Men's Health Crisis**
129 W. 20th Street
New York, N.Y. 10011
(212) 807-6664
- **Health Education Resource Center**
101 W. Read Street, Suite 825
Baltimore, Md. 21201
(410) 685-1180
- **Names Project Foundation**
2362 Market Street
San Francisco, Calif. 94114
(415) 863-5511
- **National AIDS Clearinghouse**
P.O. Box 6003
Rockville, Md. 20849
(301) 217-0023
1(800) 458-5231
- **National AIDS Hotline**
1(800) 342-AIDS
1(800) 344-SIDA (Spanish)
1(800) AIDS-TTY (TTD/TTY for deaf and hard of hearing)
- **National Minority AIDS Council**
300 I Street, NW, Suite 400
Washington, D.C. 20002
(202) 544-1076
- **Teens Teaching AIDS Prevention**
3030 Walnut
Kansas City, Mo. 64108
(816) 561-8784 or

AIDS Hotline for Teens
1(800) 234-Teens

RESOURCES

For information about studies of new HIV therapies, call the AIDS Clinical Trials Information Service:

1(800) TRIALS-A

1(800) 243-7012 (TDD/Deaf Access)

For federally approved treatment guidelines on HIV/AIDS, call the HIV/AIDS Treatment Information Service:

1(800) HIV-0440

1(800) 243-7012 (TDD/Deaf Access)

A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

My name is Darcy Padgett, President and CEO of Busy Bee Enterprises, Inc. I began my study of HIV/AIDS in 1991 when my uncle's partner died from this disease. Since that time, I have seen numerous friends and colleagues experience the same fate. Usually, we wait until the event takes place in our lives before we act, that's called Cause and Effect. I believe we must prepare ourselves prior to the Cause, which causes the cause, which causes the Effect. Now, I'd like to share my personal thoughts with you.

Healthy minds lead Healthy lives. The time is **NOW** to wake up!! AIDS is a pandemic on the rampage killing our future doctors, scientists, police officers, judges, politicians, entertainment artists and athletes, etc. of tomorrow. Will you stand and be counted? Or will you be the one to fall by the wayside? There are many lessons in life to be learned, so take **HEED** to this message.

Educate yourself!! Education is the key and the door is Knowledge, which gives you Power. Power is Success. Success is the end result of Education.