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HIV/AIDS Interventions: A Panacea for Occupational Safety in the 21st Century

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ABSTRACT This paper highlighted the dangerous liaison between HIV/AIDS and occupational safety. The basic characteristics of HIV/AIDS: its effects on Health, the various intervention strategies and the relationship between HIV/AIDS and occupational safety were outlined. Finally, it was recommended among others that educational and counseling services be provided in work places irrespective of HIV/AIDS status to reduce risk-taking behaviour; encouraging the development of policies and programmes that integrate HIV/AIDS education in Employer/Employee relationships.