

# AVAC

Global Advocacy for HIV Prevention

Whose opinions  
matter?



# Agree - Disagree

Since HIV risk is so high for pregnant women, PrEP should just be rolled out for pregnant women now.

# Agree - Disagree

When considering approval of DELIVER and B-PROTECTED, community members' views are more important than ethicists and regulators

# Agree - Disagree

If regulators do not approve DELIVER & B-PROTECTED, we can just wait for other countries to do the research and accept their study results

# Agree - Disagree

It is too risky to conduct research in pregnant and breastfeeding women: let's just keep things as they are now.

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Since we have ARV treatment for those who get infected with HIV and we have PMTCT to prevent HIV to babies – we don't have to worry if pregnant women get HIV

# What about their rights?

*Pregnant and lactating women should be able to reap the same benefits from the development of new therapies as other populations and have a right to the assurance that the therapies they are prescribed have been studied specifically to determine safety, efficacy, and appropriate dosing during pregnancy and the postpartum period.*

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