

HIV and Aids



Vocabulary

Diagnosis: a judgment about what a particular illness or problem is, made after examining it.

Deterioration: the process or fact of becoming worse:
E.g. - We cannot allow continued deterioration of our production standards.

Stigma: a strong feeling of disapproval that most people in a society have about something, especially when this is unfair.

Envisage: to imagine or expect something in the future, especially something good.

Combat: to fight or contend against

Pandemic: existing in almost all of an area or in almost all of a group of people, animals, or plants.

E.g. - In some parts of the world malaria is still pandemic.

Introduction

HIV is a deadly virus that leads to a condition called as Aids. Earlier the diagnosis of HIV or Aids was considered to be the last stage of a person but now, with the advance in technology and science, research has made it possible for people suffering from this condition to live long.

