



Not Attending AIDS 2018? Here's How to Keep Up Anyway

Important HIV news always breaks at the International AIDS Conference, so get plugged in before the July 23 kickoff in Amsterdam.

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Get ready for the 22nd International AIDS Conference (AIDS 2018). This year's event runs from July 23 to 27 in Amsterdam. Like previous conferences—they are held every other year—this one promises to be a mammoth production, where researchers, doctors and AIDS specialists present their latest and often groundbreaking studies; where workshops, presentations and panel discussions dive deep into HIV-related issues; where countless AIDS organizations, pharmaceutical giants and advocacy groups set up booths for the public; and where movies are screened, networking takes place, protests erupt and friendships are made.

You don't want to miss out, right?

You're in luck. AIDS 2018 offers plenty of [ways](#) you can keep up with the events at the conference online—through its [digital toolkit](#)—and through social media.

- Online Program

Visit AIDS2018.org for a [digital program](#) encompassing the entire conference, including sessions, abstracts, events and more. In many cases, abstracts and data are available online after the oral presentations.

- Mobile App and Social Media

The official mobile app for AIDS2018, available for both iPhone and Android, allows you to browse the schedule of events, create an itinerary, navigate the floor plan and more. It can be downloaded via the App Store or Google Play. And if you want to follow the conference via social media, you can track the official hashtag, [#AIDS2018](#) as well as find the official account

of the conference on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#).

- Emails

For daily email updates about the conference, including highlights and news releases, sign up [here](#).

- Recorded Sessions

Watch recorded sessions after they take place on the International AIDS Conference [YouTube channel](#) 24 hours after they finish.

- Official Conference Photos

View and download official conference photos [here](#), starting Saturday, July 21.

- Live Streaming

Main sessions, plenaries and press conferences at the conference will be live streamed beginning Monday, July 23, with the opening session.

- Facebook Live

If you want to watch the events of the conference as they unfold, try following along with the [#AIDS2018Live Facebook Live program](#). According to the AIDS 2018 website, the program will allow those watching to listen to and interact with the “leading voices at AIDS 2018.... Through an interactive format, online viewers can submit questions and comments using [#AIDS2018Live](#) on the topics that interest them most.

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If all this sounds a bit overwhelming, you can always visit us at [POZ.com](#) for our own updates and news on the event. Search our hashtag [#AIDS 2018](#) for more.

The logo for AIDS 2018

In related AIDS 2018 news, Sir Elton John and the Duke of Sussex (aka newlywed Prince Harry) will unveil details about a global coalition to treat HIV infections among men. For more details, click [here](#).

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