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Session 5

**Janet's "must
haves" and
"challenging
questions"**





AIDS 2024

Janet's must have:

Data that represents the experiences of – and supports advocacy for – children and adolescents, including information on advanced HIV disease and prevention.

We need the information on overlooked groups and we need up-to-date tech to collect, store and analyze that information effectively.



Janet's must haves



Capacity building

- CLM is evolving. We need to be able to gather and share information on best practices to inform and innovate CLM models.

Fair pay

- Remuneration of data collectors is too low in too many places. This frontline work needs fair pay.

Trust and partnership with government

- CLM isn't a fault-finding mission and we have to move beyond the idea that government and civil society are trying to bring each other down.

Data management systems that work for communities

- We need secure, streamlined, digitized systems specific to what CLM is and does. These data need to be available to communities.

Janet's challenging question:

With funding dwindling and the idea of “epidemic control” taking the pressure off the HIV response, how will CLM and the gains it has helped secure in the HIV fight be sustained?

