

Track C Lead – Prevention Science



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Sinead Delany-Moretlwe is a clinical epidemiologist and Associate Professor and Director: Research at the Wits Reproductive Health and HIV Institute, which is part of the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg. A South African-born medical doctor, her experience is primarily in sexual and reproductive health and HIV prevention research in sub-Saharan Africa. She has worked on several Phase III trials of new HIV prevention technologies, and is currently protocol chair of a Phase III trial of injectable cabotegravir for HIV prevention in women affiliated to the HIV Prevention Trials Network (HPTN). Dr Delany-Moretlwe has also worked on several implementation science studies of oral PrEP delivery for adolescent girls and young women. She is technical lead on a PEPFAR-funded programme aimed at strengthening HIV testing and linkage to care for adolescents in two districts in South Africa. Dr Delany-Moretlwe serves as a technical advisor on several national and WHO panels on a range of topics related to sexual and reproductive health and HIV. Her current research focus is on HIV prevention, and she continues to work on the development of strategies for the control of sexually transmitted infections more generally, including HPV, HSV and curable STIs.