

**Positive Speakers'**

**Bureau**

**Ngā kaikōrero**



# Events



63

Talks

80

Bookings

14

Midwife

100

Target

# Audience

1800

Participants

120

Police Recruits

100%

Either Satisfied or  
Very Satisfied

986

Healthcare  
Students

# Feedback



I am very grateful to have \*\*\*\*\* share his medical journey with us. I am beyond moved by what he has been through. He gave me more knowledge about HIV and how the stigma will affect people with HIV in their lives. I will use this knowledge to carry on my nursing journey and be a better nurse to have compassion with HIV patients.

It is such a difficult and nerve wracking thing to talk about a personal experience in this kind of topic, and I really appreciate that they still did it to make a change in our society. As a medical student, it was really impactful to be able to see an actual person with HIV as we don't usually get to meet people with diseases, rather we just learn from textbooks. It made me understand the real problems for HIV, and also guided me to establish what kind of Doctor I want to be in the future. It inspired me a lot to become a doctor who people can rely not only in terms of physical health, but also in terms of their emotions and whanau. Thank you for the inspiring presentation!

The speakers were able to comment and answer the questions of our participants in an informative and respectful way. Our participants stated they felt as though the information they heard was so valuable to their work and by hearing the experiences of the speakers it encouraged some deep reflection for these topics when they occur in their workplace

# HIV Essentials

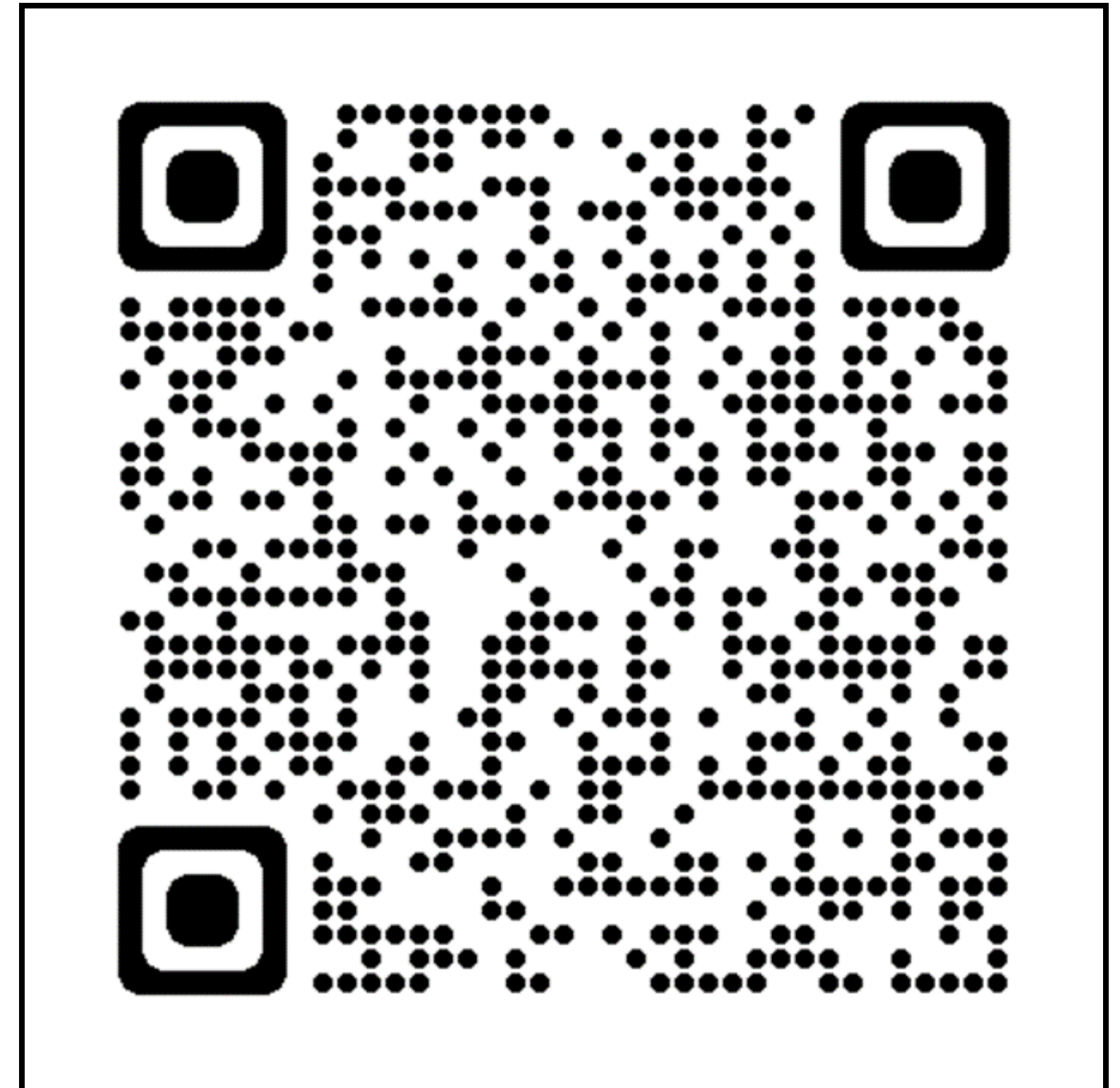


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Participants

HIV Essentials FREE online course  
A free, short online course  
produced by people living with and  
affected by HIV in Aotearoa.

Can be used for 2 hours of learning  
/ 2 CDP points.



# HIV Essentials





**What is HIV?**

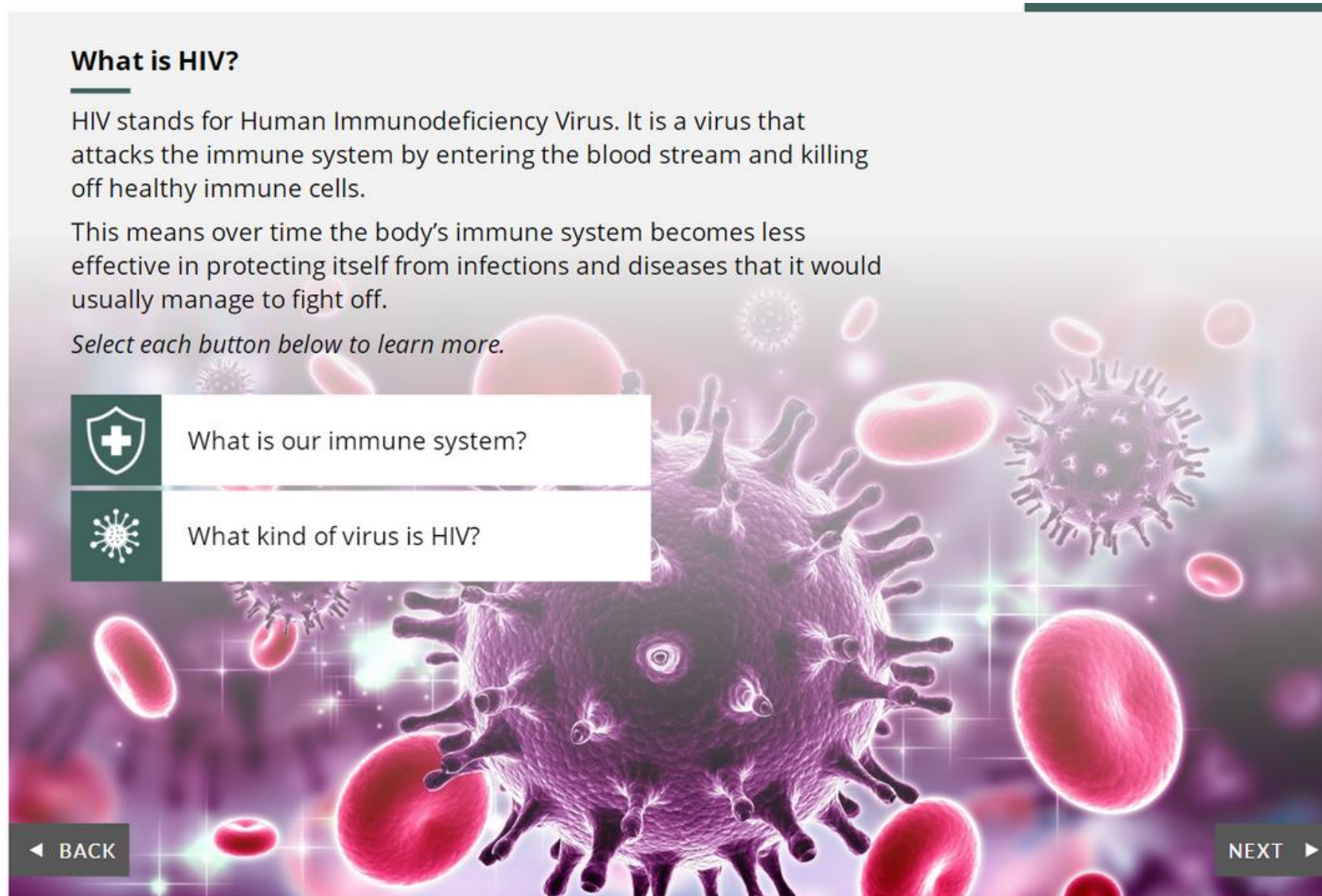
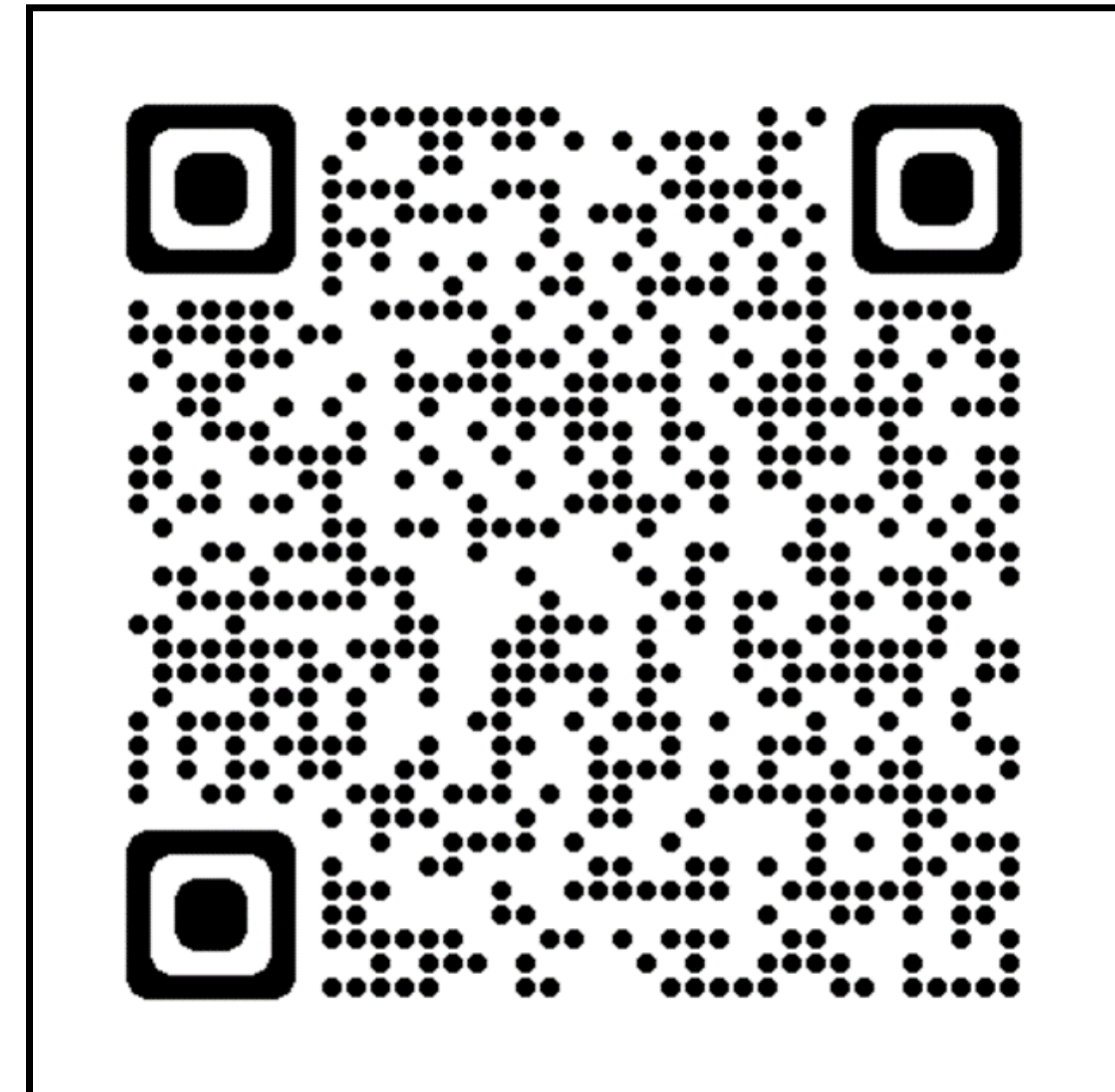
HIV stands for Human Immunodeficiency Virus. It is a virus that attacks the immune system by entering the blood stream and killing off healthy immune cells.

This means over time the body's immune system becomes less effective in protecting itself from infections and diseases that it would usually manage to fight off.

*Select each button below to learn more.*

-  What is our immune system?
-  What kind of virus is HIV?

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A microscopic view of HIV virus particles (spherical with spiky surfaces) and red blood cells (biconcave discs) in a blood stream. The background is a mix of purple and pink hues.

# HIV Quiz



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A free, short online quiz produced by people living with and affected by HIV in Aotearoa.

Takes about 5 – 10 minutes to complete

## HIV Quiz

\* 1. What is HIV?

- A collection of symptoms that mean a person's immune system has become so weak it can not fight off certain kinds of infections and cancers.
- A virus that attacks a person's immune system by entering the blood stream and killing off healthy immune cells.
- A virus that attacks a person's nervous system by killing off healthy cells.



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