



# Case Study: the CBTSP in Koulikoro, Mali

## Background

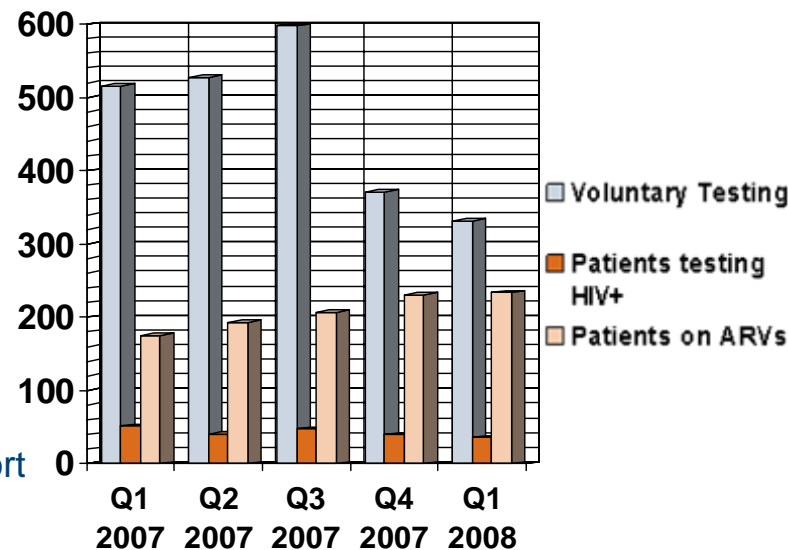
- Established in 2005 as a public-private partnership, the program is implemented by a local association, and combines healthcare activities at a government hospital with community outreach
- The Koulikoro program aims to help limit HIV/AIDS progression and impact, combining hospital-based treatment and care, with psychosocial and community support for behavior change

## Interventions

- Collaboration with dynamic NGOs and CBOs from the outset, to ensure sustainable growth
- Door-to-door mobilization to promote voluntary testing
- Community involvement in patient care to reduce stigmatization of PLWHA
- Introduction and promotion of psychosocial support to patients and their families
- Increased access to ARV treatment and medicines for opportunistic infections

## Results

- The program surpassed expectations in areas, achieving 7,003 tested, 472 patients on ARVs, attendance in support groups, and number of community workers trained
- Outcomes of this successful program encouraged the government of Mali to replicate the model at four additional HIV/AIDS treatment site in the country



Above: Graph show increase in uptake of services