

# Human Rights in Prison?

## Prisoners' Rights to HIV Prevention, Treatment, and Care

A panel discussion with Ralf Jürgens  
co-founder of the Canadian HIV/AIDS Legal Network, and author of more  
than 100 articles on legal, ethical and human rights issues related to HIV

"as of September 2008, no Canadian jurisdiction had established a prison-based needle and syringe program (PNSP), despite significant evidence that PNSPs **reduce risk behaviours** associated with HIV transmission, result in other health benefits for prisoners, do not pose health and safety risks to prisoners or prison staff, and **do not increase drug use.**"

"Clean Switch: The Case for Prison Needle  
and Syringe Programs in Canada."  
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