

AIDS access slows HIV infections and deaths

An estimated 33.4 million people worldwide are infected with the AIDS virus, up from 33m in 2007, but the death toll has fallen by 10% over the last five years as greater access to anti-retroviral drugs helps extend lives



▲ People living with HIV/AIDS, 2008	33.4 million	(31.1 – 35.8m)
■ New HIV infections in 2008	2.7 million	((2.4 – 3.0m)
● AIDS deaths in 2008	2.0 million	(1.7 – 2.4m)

