**Instructions:** Complete all sections of the Concept Sheet template. If you have questions, please reach out to Ellen Brazier: ellen.brazier@sph.cuny.edu

**Project Details**

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| 1. **Concept Lead/Lead investigator** *(Identify one point person to manage this concept. List others in #3 below.)*

**Name:** **Institution:** **Email address:**  |
| 1. **CA-IeDEA liaison (if lead is not an CA-IeDEA investigator):**

**Name:****Institution:****Email address:** |
| 1. **Other Participants**
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| 1. **Who will be conducting the data analysis?**
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**Research Plan**

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| 1. **Specific Aims/objectives and hypotheses**
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| 1. **Background/Significance**
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| 1. **Study Population and Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria**
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| 1. **Variables and definitions**
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| 1. **Study Design, Methods and Planned Statistical Analyses**
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| 1. **Countries to be included in analysis (check all that apply)**

[ ]  Burundi[ ]  DRC[ ]  Rwanda[ ]  Republic of Congo [ ]  Cameroon  |
| 1. **Ethics**

[ ]  This concept uses only the IeDEA standard dataset and is covered by the core IeDEA ethics approvals.[ ]  This concept requires additional collection of health-related data, measurements or tests, or sampling of biological material not included in the IeDEA standard dataset. Additional ethics approval is required. |
| 1. **Use of specimens collected through SRN, TB-SRN or AYANI or other linked research.** Requests for specimens should be discussed with Kathy Anastos and Ellen Brazier prior to initial submission.

[ ]  This concept uses only the IeDEA standard dataset and does not involve any use/withdrawal of specimens.[ ]  This concept involves the use/withdrawal of specimens from CA-IeDEA repositories, as specified below: Specimen type: [ ]  Serum [ ]  Plasma [ ]  Whole blood [ ]  Urine [ ]  DNA [ ]  Dried blood spots Specimen source: [ ]  SRN [ ]  AYANI [ ]  TB-SRN [ ]  Other (specify): Participant type (Describe patient characteristics of interest):     |
| **Goals and Timeline**1. **Expected publications/research products.** List up to 3 publications or research products that are expected to be produced from work on this concept.
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| 1. **Target Journal(s):**
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| 1. **Provide a timeline for this concept sheet:**

Proposed data collection date *(if needed):* Click here to enter a date.Proposed analysis completion date: Click here to enter a date.Proposed manuscript circulation date: Click here to enter a date. |

1. **Additional Details (e.g. variables, other). A list of variables routinely collected across CA-IeDEA countries is available** [**here**](https://www.dropbox.com/s/fx5jcvxwsmlwuox/DataAvailability.xlsx?dl=0)**.**

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| **Variable description** | **Variable name** |
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1. **References**