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Professor Adeeba Kamarulzaman is currently the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Malaya, and chairs the Malaysian AIDS Foundation. She is a member of the International AIDS Society Executive Committee and the UNAIDS Scientific Expert Panel on HIV. In April 2015, she was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Laws from her alma mater, Monash University, for her outstanding achievements in the field of infectious diseases and as a health advocate. In addition to her clinical and academic commitments, Dr Kamarulzaman has been actively involved in the community response to HIV/AIDS in Malaysia. As convenor of the Malaysian Harm Reduction Working Group of the Malaysian

AIDS Council, she led the advocacy for the implementation of harm reduction measures to tackle the problem of HIV among injecting drug users in Malaysia. In 2008, she established the Centre of Excellence for Research in AIDS at the University of Malaya. Dr Kamarulzaman is a committee member of several regional and international organizations, including TREAT Asia and the International Society of Infectious Diseases. She is also Co-Chair of the World Health Organization Strategic and Technical Advisory Group on HIV.