Conducting BBV and STI education in WA prisons – Overcoming barriers and challenges
HIPHOP
(Health In Prison – Health Outa Prison)

• Facilitated by HepatitisWA since 1997
• 2 hour session on BBV and STI education
• Mandatory for all prisoners upon entry and exit of WA prison system
• Innovative prison based program
The Juggling Act
The Keeper of the Keys

• BBV Knowledge
• Class lists
• Communication issues
• Repeating the class
• Authority roles
• Positive working relationships
• Reputation
Creating a connection

• Confidentiality
• Learning environment
• Empathetic to practical barriers
• Making it relevant and real
• Language
• Common myths and difficult scenarios
• Boundaries
• Triggers
Thank you