

Natural Resources Management

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Key Questions

- Does NRM have any comparative advantages??
- How do we integrate without losing focus??

Natural Resources Management Progress

- Awareness raising
- Within AID/DC
 - CBNRM brief & toolkit
- Mission Activities
 - Individual Integrated Projects
(Guinee, South Africa, Ethiopia...)

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Progress

- Institutional changes in field
 - Protected area management in Tanzania
- Research
 - AIDS & Environment
 - GIS/AIDS & Environment
 - Impacts and coping strategies

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Needs

- Systematic cataloguing of Best Practices and Lessons Learned
- Learn from other sectors
- Make NRM benefits to AIDS crisis more visible - Make NRM relevant

Natural Resources Management Needs

- Tap into AIDS funding
- Integrate into planning & contracting
- Recognize NRM sector has experience with social analysis (participatory approaches, gender issues) ... Lessons learned can be applied to AIDS.

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Recommendations

- Disseminate brief and toolkit beyond Africa
- Create task force to look at impacts
- Systematic Best Practices incorporated into new brief/toolkit
- Need procedures to review M&E programs

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NRM Characteristics

- Group Approaches
 - CBNRM as Social Capital Building
- CBNRM income generating activities reinvested in community
- Property rights