

FIGHT AIDS IN AUGUST: BIKE WITH US!



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65-Hour Stationary Bike-athon at the XVI International AIDS Conference



Cyclists participating at the Dignitas Race for Dignity, World AIDS 2005.

WHO: Dignitas International supporters, special guests (including celebrities, sports figures and politicians) and cyclists like YOU!

WHAT: A 65-hour stationary bike-athon: one hour for every million people who have been infected with HIV to date (of which 25 million have died). Cyclists are not required to cycle the full 65 hours.*

WHERE: Dundas Square (Yonge & Dundas) in downtown Toronto.

WHEN: Kickoff on August 14th at 7pm and wrap-up celebration on August 17th at noon. *Cyclists can sign up as individuals or teams for time slots throughout the event based on their availability.

WHY: To raise **awareness** of and **funds** for Dignitas' groundbreaking community-based care model. Together we are saving lives!

HOW TO REGISTER AS A PARTICIPANT: Go online to www.dignitasinternational.org and download the registration package before Saturday, August 12th.

Dignitas International is a Canadian medical humanitarian organization working with communities to dramatically increase access to life-saving treatment and prevention in areas overwhelmed by HIV/AIDS. Dignitas is currently treating patients in Zomba District, Malawi. Dignitas' Race for Dignity was originated with Scott Simpson, an HIV+ Canadian who intended to cycle across Africa (a distance of 13,000km) to raise funds for Dignitas and awareness about inequities in access to HIV/AIDS medications. During his intense training, Scott collapsed and was unable to continue. His dream of cycling across Africa ended that day, but it did not die - we need YOUR HELP to keep the dream alive! Collect pledges, bike with us and we will track your kilometres to finish Scott's race!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, visit www.dignitasinternational.org or email r4d@dignitasinternational.org.