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### French Ads: 'Fuck AIDS'

**FRANCE** -- "Condoms: Fuck AIDS." That's the message of the French government's new anti-AIDS campaign which went up on 8,000 billboards nationwide in September.

The campaign uses the actual English word 'fuck,' which is popular among French youth, according to Reuters.

"At a time when fear (of AIDS) seems to be dissipating, especially among the young...a new, more-involving, more-motivating slogan was urgently needed," said the Kerjo ad agency which created the posters. (*Outlines*)

### Advocate Available on Information Superhighway

**LOS ANGELES** -- *The Advocate*, The National Gay & Lesbian Newsmagazine,

is on the internet! One can now use internet mail to communicate with the magazine of record for the gay and lesbian civil rights movement.

The connection is e-mail only. *The Advocate* has its own domain, advocate.com. Letters to the Editor can be sent to "letters@advocate.com". Please include your name and address in the letter if you would like it published.

News and press releases, announcements, story ideas, and so forth should be sent to "newsroom@advocate.com".

There is also an e-mail information server. Sending any message to "info@advocate.com" will generate a response containing details about the magazine, subscription information, and other information that can be requested through the server.

The goals for this project are to make it easier for anyone to reach the magazine, and to disseminate information about the magazine quickly to those who want it.

## Coming Out Day October 11

**NEW YORK** -- Openly lesbian actress Amanda Bears (*Married With Children*) has been named as official spokeswoman for the 1994 National Coming Out Day. The event, which has focused on one-day visibility in the past, will begin a plan of year-round education this year. Activities around the country include campus rallies at universities, seminars at the OutLoud Business and Cultural Expo in New York, and the second Comedy Central cable gay comedy special. For info call (202)628-4160. ▼

### OUTSPOKEN: OITM's Quote of the Month

"It doesn't disturb me to have gay fans. Maybe they like me because gay people love beauty in general. They have a high level of taste."

*Jean-Claude Van Damme*  
Actor

## Health Resource Organizations

### AIDS HOTLINES:

Vermont	1-800-882-2437
New Hampshire	1-800-752-2437
New York State	1-800-541-2437
Massachusetts	1-617-522-4090
Maine	1-800-851-2437
National	1-800-342-2437
Canadian	1-613-563-2437

### AIDS Community Awareness Project

(ACAP)  
PO Box 608  
St. Johnsbury, VT 05819  
(802) 748-1149

### AIDS Community Resource

Network (ACoRN)  
PO Box 2057  
Lebanon, NH 03766  
(603) 448-2220

### Bennington Area AIDS Project

PO Box 1066  
Bennington, VT 05201  
(802) 442-4481 or 1-800-845-2437

### Brattleboro AIDS Project

PO Box 1486  
Brattleboro, VT 05302  
(802) 254-4444 (Helpline)  
(802) 254-8263 (Office)

### Franklin-Grand Isle AIDS Task Force

P. O. Box 241, St. Albans, VT 05478  
(800) 524-7742 • (802) 638-7834

### Friends Vermont

Emotional, Spiritual, & Psychological Support  
PO Box 402  
Bristol, VT 05443  
1 800 639-3316

### Gay/Lesbian Alcoholics Anonymous

GLAA, P.O. Box 5653  
Burlington, VT 05402

### Lesbian Cancer Support Group

(802) 660-8386

### North Star (Holistic Health Care)

RR2 Box 3255  
Morrisville, VT 05661 • (802) 888-2858

### Vermont AIDS Council

PO Box 275  
Montpelier VT 05601 • (802) 229-2557

### Vermont C.A.R.E.S.

(Committee for AIDS Resources,  
Education, and Services)  
PO Box 5248  
30 Elmwood Avenue  
Burlington, VT 05401  
(802) 863-2437 (Burlington)  
1-800-649-2437 (Outside Burlington Area)

### Vermont Department of Health

1-800-882-2437 (AIDS Hotline) or  
(802) 863-7245 (AIDS Program office)

### VT PWA Coalition

PO Box 1055 • Brattleboro, VT 05302  
1-800-698-8792 or (802) 222-5123

### Vermont Women's Health Center

336 North Avenue  
Burlington, VT 05401 • (802) 863-1386