Fig 1. Flow diagram showing the process of study selection.

9003 publications were identified

8854 excluded after screening the titles

149 full journal articles were retrieved

61 articles accepted for detail review

88 Were excluded after reviewing the abstracts
- 24 Were qualitative studies
- 18 Were reviews
- 17 Compared HIV+ to HIV-
- 4 Were about care during pregnancy
- 4 Compared among sero-discordants
- 2 Were letters
- 3 Were duplicates
- 16 Were not directly related to this topic

41 were excluded following detailed review
- 34 were non-comparative studies
- 4 were fertility desire discussion with health providers
- 3 were about sero-discordant

20 were included for this meta-analysis