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**FLOW EXERCISE**

Connect the following sentences to make them flow better and be easier to understand. Feel free to change some of the wording and order of information (as little as possible, though), and you will probably need to add some connecting words.

* Years ago, an **effective vaccine** against smallpox was developed.
* We have come to rely on **vaccines** to stay healthy.
* **Our use of vaccines** means that many diseases caused by viruses are no longer a major public health problem.
* Using vaccines decreased the incidence of many diseases.
* The causative agent for AIDS was discovered to be a virus.
* It was hoped at this time that a protective vaccine would soon be available.
* The AIDS epidemic has been with us for more than twenty-five years.
* There have been many clinical trials.
* We do not have an effective vaccine.
* Highly active anti-retroviral therapy (HAART) has made AIDS a tractable disease in many patients.
* There is little hope that a drug regimen can cure the patient of AIDS.
* Sterilizing (neutralizing) vaccines are used to treat other viral diseases
* A sterilizing vaccine is the best prospect to stop HIV infection

Years ago, we developed an effective vaccine against smallpox, and we have come to rely on vaccines to stay healthy. Because of our use of vaccines, incidences of many diseases decreased, and more importantly, diseases caused by viruses are no longer a major public health problem. After discovering AIDS was also caused by virus, we hoped to develop a protective vaccine against it quickly. Unfortunately, the AIDS epidemic has been with us for more than twenty-five years. Even after many clinical trials, we still do not have an effective vaccine against it. Nevertheless, highly active anti-retroviral therapy (HAART) has made AIDS a tractable disease in many patients. As there is a little hope that a drug regimen can cure the patient of AIDS, a sterilizing (neutralizing) vaccine which treat other viral diseases is the best prospect now to stop HIV infection.