



Mama Sarah Obama (centre) flags off the World Aids Day marathon at Jomo Kenyatta sportsground in Kisumu yesterday. The grandmother of US President Barack Obama joined wananchi in marking the day dedicated to the war against the HIV. With her are Mr Richard Brodsky (left) and Ms Betty Okero (right). Photo/TOM OTIENO

## Thousands tested to mark Aids Day

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Thousands of Kenyans yesterday volunteered for HIV tests to mark the World Aids Day.

Kenya also celebrated a decrease in the number of new infections.

Among 15-year-olds and above, new infections reduced from 155,000 to 130,000 by last year, thanks to a series

of campaigns calling for behaviour change.

Condom use increased to above 128

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