

**Name** : Mrs. Radhika Brahme  
**Designation** : Scientist 'B'  
**Date of Birth** : 27/02/1970  
**Department** : Epidemiology & biostatistics  
**Email Address** : [rbrahme@nariindia.org](mailto:rbrahme@nariindia.org), [rbrahme@hotmail.com](mailto:rbrahme@hotmail.com)

**Educational Qualification** :

<i>Degree</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Field of study</i>	<i>Institution / University</i>	<i>Class/ Grade</i>
M. Phil.	2008	Health Science	University of Pune	A
M. C. M.	1992	Information/Computer Management	University of Pune	A+
B. Sc.	1990	Science, Chemistry	University of Pune	First

**Registered for Ph.D.**

**Area of Interest**

- Data and Quality Management
- Qualitative Research
- Process Evaluation
- M-health

**Research Experience**

<i>Position</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Period</i>
Scientist B	National AIDS Research Institute, Pune	May 2013 – at present
Data Manager	National AIDS Research Institute, Pune	July 2007– April 2013
Research Officer	National AIDS Research Institute, Pune	July 2001 – July 2007
Project Secretary	National AIDS Research Institute, Pune	May 1993 – July 2001

**No of Publications:** 13

**Publication**

1. Seema Sahay, Swapna Deshpande, Shilpa Bembalkar, Mahesh Kharat, Aparna Parkhe, **Radhika G. Brahme**, Ramesh Paranjape, Robert C. Bollinger, Sanjay M. Mehendale. ***Failure to Use and Sustain Male Condom Usage: Lessons Learned from a Prospective Study among Men Attending STI Clinic in Pune, India.*** PLoS One. 2015 Aug 13;10(8):e0135071. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0135071. eCollection 2015 (Impact factor 3.234)
2. Beatriz Grinsztejn, Mina C Hosseinipour, Heather J Ribaudo, Susan Swindells, Joseph Eron, Ying Q Chen, Lei Wang, San-San Ou, Maija Anderson, Marybeth McCauley, Theresa Gamble, Nagalingeshwaran, Kumarasamy, James G Hakim, Johnstone Kumwenda, Jose H S Pilotto, Sheela V Godbole, et al and the **HPTN 052-ACTG Study Team.** ***“Effects of early versus***

- delayed initiation of antiretroviral treatment on clinical outcomes of HIV-1 infection: results from the phase 3 HPTN 052 randomised controlled trial**” *Lancet Infectious Diseases*, Volume 14, Issue 4 <[http://www.thelancet.com/journals/laninf/issue/vol14no4/PIIS1473-3099\(14\)X7068-4](http://www.thelancet.com/journals/laninf/issue/vol14no4/PIIS1473-3099(14)X7068-4)>, 281 - 290, April 2014(Impact factor21.372)
3. Rochelle P. Walensky,, Eric L. Ross, N Kumarasamy, Robin Wood, F Noubary, A. David Paltiel, Y M. Nakamura,Sheela V. Godbole, R Panchia, Ian Sanne, Milton C. Weinstein, E Losina, K H. Mayer, Ying Q. Chen, Lei Wang,Marybeth McCauley, Theresa Gamble, George R. Seage,Myron S. Cohen, and Kenneth A. Freedberg, M.D. **Cost-Effectiveness of HIV Treatment as Prevention in Sero discordant Couples** .*N Engl J Med* 2013;369:1715-1725October 31, 2013 (Part of the Study team). (Impact factor 59.558)
  4. Seema Sahay, Nikhil Gupte, **Radhika G Brahme**, Amit Nirmalkar, Shilpa Bembalkar, Robert C Bollinger, Sanjay Mehendale. Predictors of **Retention among Men Attending STI Clinics in HIV Prevention Programs and Research: A Case Control Study in Pune, India**. *PLoS ONE*, 2011, 3:e17448
  5. **Radhika Brahme**, Sanjay Mehendale. **Profile and role of the members of ethics committees in hospitals and research organisations in Pune, India**. *Indian Journal of Medical Ethics*, April – June 2009; 6(2):78-84
  6. **Radhika Brahme**, Shruti Mehta, Seema Sahay, Neelam Joglekar, Manisha Ghate, Smita Joshi, Raman Gangakhedkar, Arun Risbud, Robert Bollinger, Sanjay Mehendale. **Correlates and trend of HIV prevalence among female sex workers attending sexually transmitted disease clinics in Pune, India** (1993-2002). *J Acquir Immune Defic Syndr*. 2006 Jan 1;41(1):107-13.
  7. Sanjay Mehendale, Nikhil Gupte, Ramesh Paranjape, **Radhika Brahme**, Rewa Kohli, Neelam Joglekar; Sheela Godbole, Smita Joshi, Manisha Ghate, Seema Sahay, Kishore Kumar B, Raman Gangakhedkar, Arun Risbud, Ron Brookmeyer; Robert Bollinger. **Declining HIV Incidence among Patients Attending Sexually Transmitted Infection Clinics in Pune, India**. *J Acquir Immune Defic Syndr*. 2007 Aug 15;45(5):564-9.
  8. **Seema Sahay, Nikhil Gupte, Ramesh Paranjape, Radhika G Brahme, Rewa Kohli, Neelam Joglekar, Arun Risbud, Ron Brookmeyer, Robert Bollinger, Sanjay Mehendale. Declining HIV Incidence among Patients Attending Sexually Transmitted Infection Clinics in Pune, India**. *J Acquir Immune Defic Syndr*. 2007 Aug 15;45(5):564-9.
  9. **R. G. Brahme**, S. Sahay, R. Malhotra-Kohli, A. D. Divekar, R. R. Gangakhedkar, A. P. Parkhe, M. P. Kharat, A. R. Risbud, R. C. Bollinger, S. M. Mehendale, R. S. Paranjape. **High-risk behaviour in young men attending sexually transmitted disease clinics in Pune, India**. *AIDS Care*, April 2005; 17(3): 377-385.
  10. Seema Sahay, Sanjay Mehendale, Suvarna Sane, **Radhika Brahme**, Amishah Brown, Karen Charron, Chris Beyrer, Robert Bollinger, Ramesh Paranjape. **Correlates of HIV vaccine trial participation: an Indian perspective**. *Vaccine*, 23(2005) 1351-1358.
  11. Sahastrabuddhe VV, Gholap TA, Jethava YS, Joglekar NS, **Brahme RG**, Gaikwad BA, Wankhede AK, Mehendale SM. **Spousal Communication among STD patients in a District Hospital in India**, *Journal of Post graduation Medicine*, 2002;48:105-108.
  12. M.V.Ghate, A.D Divekar, A.R Risbud, M.R. Thakar **R.G. Brahme**, S.M.Mehendale. **Changing trend in the clinical presentations of HIV positive subjects in Pune, India**, *International Journal of Association of Physicians of India*.2002;50:671-673.

13. M.V. Ghate, S.M. Mehendale, B.A. Mahajan, R. Yadav, **R.G. Brahme**, A.D. Divekar, R.S. Paranjape. ***Relationship between clinical conditions and CD4 counts in HIV-infected persons in Pune, Maharashtra, India***, National Medical Journal of India. 2000;13,4;183-187.