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KUALA LUMPUR: Malaysia should be more proactive in addressing the HIV/AIDS Issues in a holistic approach based on the Islamic perspectives.

Deputy Minister in the Prime Minister's Department Datuk Dr Asyraf Wajdi Dusuki said as an Islamic country, Malaysia could become a good model for other Muslim countries to emulate the country's efforts in addressing the issue.

"It is important for Malaysia to play a more proactive role, and I think we (Malaysia) can serve as

a leading nation or a leader in addressing the HIV/AIDS issues, based on the the Islamic perspectives.

"Furthermore, Malaysia is well respected among the Organisation of the Islamic Conference (OIC) countries. So far I have not seen any Muslim country that is in the forefront of this issue," he said at a press conference after officiating the Islam and HIV/AIDS International Conference 2015, here yesterday. – Bernama