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To the Editor:

We are concerned about Dr. Ruth's reluctance during her Sept. 18 lecture at FBH to address the topic of AIDS in a realistic or informative manner. She claims to know nothing about safer sex, which is ludicrous, given her profession. It is both irresponsible and misleading to leave a thorough discussion of safer sex guidelines out of any presentation on sexuality—especially on a campus in New York City. All of us need to protect ourselves, and it doesn't take long to learn how. Both the Barnard AIDS Peer Educators and the Columbia Gay Health Advocacy Project will hold information sessions in the dorms throughout the semester. We encourage students to attend the sessions to find out what Dr. Ruth left out.

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