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HIV and AIDS Estimates

Adults and children living with HIV	3 100 000 [2 100 000 - 4 400 000]
Adults aged 15 and over living with HIV	2 900 000 [1 900 000 - 4 100 000]
Women aged 15 and over living with HIV	1 600 000 [1 100 000 - 2 200 000]
Men aged 15 and over living with HIV	1 300 000 [860 000 - 1 900 000]
Children aged 0 to 14 living with HIV	220 000 [120 000 - 330 000]
Adult aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	2.8 [1.8 - 4.0]
Women aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	3.0 [2.0 - 4.3]
Men aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	2.5 [1.5 - 3.7]
HIV prevalence among young women	1.7 [0.6 - 2.9]
HIV prevalence among young men	1.2 [0.3 - 2.2]
Adults and children newly infected with HIV	210 000 [110 000 - 320 000]
Adults aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	170 000 [93 000 - 270 000]
Women aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	86 000 [47 000 - 130 000]
Men aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	85 000 [46 000 - 140 000]
Children aged 0 to 14 newly infected with HIV	36 000 [19 000 - 58 000]
HIV incidence per 1000 population (adults 15-49)	1.83 [0.99 - 3.00]
HIV incidence per 1000 population (all ages)	1.15 [0.63 - 1.84]
Adult and child deaths due to AIDS	150 000 [86 000 - 230 000]
Deaths due to AIDS among adults aged 15 and over	130 000 [73 000 - 200 000]
Deaths due to AIDS among women aged 15 and over	53 000 [29 000 - 85 000]

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Deaths due to AIDS among men aged 15 and over	73 000 [44 000 - 110 000]
Deaths due to AIDS among children aged 0 to 14	23 000 [11 000 - 38 000]
Orphans due to AIDS aged 0 to 17	1 800 000 [1 100 000 - 2 600 000]

Epidemic transition metrics

Percent change in new HIV infections since 2010	-5
Percent change in AIDS-related deaths since 2010	-19
Incidence-to-prevalence ratio	0.07
Incidence:mortality ratio	1.15

HIV testing and treatment cascade

People living with HIV who know their status	1 200 000
Percent of people living with HIV who know their status	38 [26 - 54]
People living with HIV who have suppressed viral loads	...
Percent of people living with HIV who have suppressed viral loads	...

Antiretroviral therapy (ART)

Coverage of adults and children receiving ART (%)	33 [22 - 47]
Adults aged 15 and over receiving ART	34 [23 - 48]
Women aged 15 and over receiving ART	44 [30 - 61]
Men aged 15 and over receiving ART	22 [14 - 32]
Children aged 0 to 14 receiving ART	26 [15 - 39]
Number of adults and children receiving ART (#)	1 039 520

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Adults aged 15 and over receiving ART	982 540
Women aged 15 and over receiving ART	686 409
Men aged 15 and over receiving ART	296 131
Children aged 0 to 14 receiving ART	56 980
Adults and children newly-initiating ART (#)	232 122
Adults aged 15 and over newly-initiating ART	218 872
Children aged 0-14 newly-initiating ART	13 950
Women newly-initiating ART	
Men newly-initiating ART	

Elimination of mother-to-child transmission

Coverage of pregnant women who receive ARV for PMTCT (%)	30 [19 - 44]
Pregnant women who received ARV for PMTCT (#)	49 765
Pregnant women needing ARV for PMTCT (#)	160 000 [100 000 - 230 000]
Early infant diagnosis (%)	12 [8 - 19]
New HIV infections averted due to PMTCT (%)	8700 [4500 - 14 000]

Sex workers

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Population size estimate (#)	103 506	Source: Study on characterization of MARPS Typology in Seven Nigeria states and FCT conducted by Society for family health Nigeria, 2015
HIV prevalence (%)	14.4	Represents female sex workers; Source: GARPR 2015
Condom use (%)	98.1	Source: Behavioural Surveillance Survey, 2014
Condoms distributed through prevention programmes (#)	28	Source: UNAIDS Special Analysis and Global AIDS Monitoring, 2017

Men who have sex with men

Population size estimate (#)	26 014	Source: Study on characterization of MARPS Typology in Seven Nigeria states and FCT conducted by Society for family health Nigeria, 2015
HIV prevalence (%)	23	Source: Data provided through GARPR 2015
Condom use (%)	51	
Condoms distributed through prevention programmes (#)	3	Source: UNAIDS Special Analysis and Global AIDS Monitoring, 2017

People who inject drugs

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Population size estimate (#)	44 515	Source: Study on characterization of MARPS Typology in Seven Nigeria states and FCT conducted by Society for family health Nigeria
HIV prevalence (%)	3.4	Source: GARPR 2015
Condom use (%)	83.2	Source: Behavioural Surveillance Survey, 2014
Safe injecting practices (%)	70.9	Source: Data provided through GARPR 2013

Combination prevention

People receiving pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) (#)	364	
Condom use at last high-risk sex among adults aged 15 to 49 (%)	48.6	Source: 2013 DHS
- Condom use at last high-risk sex among women aged 15 to 49 (%)	39.8	Source: 2013 DHS
- Condom use at last high-risk sex among men aged 15 to 49 (%)	57.6	Source: 2013 DHS
Percentage of men 15-49 that are circumcised (%)	98.9	Source: DHS 2013

Stigma and discrimination

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Percentage of adults (15-49) who responded No to the question: Would you buy fresh vegetables from a shopkeeper or vendor if you knew that this person had HIV?	46.8	Source: 2013 DHS
Percentage of adults (15-49) who responded No to the question: Do you think that children living with HIV should be able to attend school with children who are HIV negative?		
Percentage of adults (15-49) who responded No to both questions		

Gender

Prevalence of recent intimate partner violence among women aged 15-49 (%)	11	Source: 2013 DHS
Prevalence of recent intimate partner violence among women aged 15-19 (%)		
Prevalence of recent intimate partner violence among women aged 20-24 (%)		
Prevalence of recent intimate partner violence among women aged 25-49 (%)		
Women aged 15-49 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)	38.8	Source: 2013 DHS
Women aged 15-19 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)	39.3	Source: 2013 DHS
Women aged 20-24 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)		
Women aged 25-49 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)		

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Knowledge about HIV prevention among young people aged 15-24	28.8 550 745	Source: MICS 2017
Knowledge about HIV prevention among young women aged 15-24	29.3	Source: MICS 2017
Knowledge about HIV prevention among young men aged 15-24	27.9	Source: MICS 2017

Hepatitis and HIV

Hepatitis B testing	2.6	Source: ART Patient Registers 2017
Hepatitis C testing	0.3	Source: ART Patient Register 2017