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HIV and AIDS Estimates

Adults and children living with HIV	40 000 [32 000 - 50 000]
Adults aged 15 and over living with HIV	37 000 [30 000 - 46 000]
Women aged 15 and over living with HIV	22 000 [18 000 - 28 000]
Men aged 15 and over living with HIV	14 000 [11 000 - 18 000]
Children aged 0 to 14 living with HIV	3300 [2500 - 4300]
Adult aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	1.4 [1.1 - 1.7]
Women aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	1.8 [1.4 - 2.2]
Men aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	1.0 [0.8 - 1.3]
HIV prevalence among young women	1.1 [0.5 - 1.6]
HIV prevalence among young men	0.5 [0.2 - 0.8]
Adults and children newly infected with HIV	2300 [1700 - 3200]
Adults aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	2100 [1500 - 2900]
Women aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	1200 [<1000 - 1700]
Men aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	<1000 [<1000 - 1200]
Children aged 0 to 14 newly infected with HIV	<500 [<200 - <500]
HIV incidence per 1000 population (adults 15-49)	0.89 [0.63 - 1.22]
HIV incidence per 1000 population (all ages)	0.51 [0.36 - 0.71]
Adult and child deaths due to AIDS	2500 [2000 - 3000]
Deaths due to AIDS among adults aged 15 and over	2200 [1800 - 2700]
Deaths due to AIDS among women aged 15 and over	1200 [<1000 - 1500]

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Deaths due to AIDS among men aged 15 and over	1000 [<1000 - 1300]
Deaths due to AIDS among children aged 0 to 14	<500 [<200 - <500]
Orphans due to AIDS aged 0 to 17	37 000 [32 000 - 43 000]

Epidemic transition metrics

Percent change in new HIV infections since 2010	-8
Percent change in AIDS-related deaths since 2010	-34
Incidence-to-prevalence ratio	0.06
Incidence:mortality ratio	0.85

HIV testing and treatment cascade

People living with HIV who know their status	...
Percent of people living with HIV who know their status	... [... - ...]
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 (%)	29 [23 - 36]
Adults aged 15 and over receiving ART	30 [24 - 37]
Women aged 15 and over receiving ART	39 [31 - 48]
Men aged 15 and over receiving ART	16 [12 - 20]
Children aged 0 to 14 receiving ART	18 [14 - 23]
Number of adults and children receiving ART (#)	11 602

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Adults aged 15 and over receiving ART	11 013
Women aged 15 and over receiving ART	8767
Men aged 15 and over receiving ART	2246
Children aged 0 to 14 receiving ART	589

Elimination of mother-to-child transmission

Coverage of pregnant women who receive ARV for PMTCT (%)	86 [65 - >95]
Pregnant women who received ARV for PMTCT (#)	1553
Pregnant women needing ARV for PMTCT (#)	1800 [1400 - 2300]
New HIV infections averted due to PMTCT (%)	<500 [<200 - <1000]

Sex workers

Population size estimate (#)	1822	2011 est.
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Men who have sex with men

Population size estimate (#)	711	2011 est.
HIV prevalence (%)	19.8	Source: GARPR 2013
Condom use (%)	19.5	

People who inject drugs

Population size estimate (#)	1077	
HIV prevalence (%)	3.9	Source: GARPR 2013
Condom use (%)	44.3	

Combination prevention

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Condom use at last high-risk sex among adults aged 15 to 49 (%)	29.4	Source: 2013 DHS
- Condom use at last high-risk sex among women aged 15 to 49 (%)	20.3	Source: 2013 DHS
- Condom use at last high-risk sex among men aged 15 to 49 (%)	42.1	Source: 2013 DHS
Percentage of men 15-49 that are circumcised (%)	99.2	Source: DHS 2013

Stigma and discrimination

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?	52.7	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

Women aged 15-49 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)	41.5	Source: 2013 DHS
Women aged 15-19 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)	36.1	Source: 2013 DHS
Women aged 20-24 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)		

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Women aged 25-49 who have their demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (%)		
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Young people

Knowledge about HIV prevention among young people aged 15-24	33.54 773 027	Source: DHS 2013
Knowledge about HIV prevention among young women aged 15-24	35.7	Source: DHS 2013
Knowledge about HIV prevention among young men aged 15-24	28.5	Source: DHS 2013