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HIV and AIDS Estimates

Adults and children living with HIV	3000 [2200 - 3800]
Adults aged 15 and over living with HIV	3000 [2200 - 3800]
Women aged 15 and over living with HIV	<500 [<500 - <1000]
Men aged 15 and over living with HIV	2600 [1800 - 3200]
Children aged 0 to 14 living with HIV	... [... - ...]
Adult aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	<0.1 [<0.1 - <0.1]
Women aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	<0.1 [<0.1 - <0.1]
Men aged 15 to 49 HIV prevalence rate	<0.1 [<0.1 - 0.1]
HIV prevalence among young women	[<0.1 - <0.1]
HIV prevalence among young men	<0.1 [<0.1 - <0.1]
Adults and children newly infected with HIV	<500 [<100 - <500]
Adults aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	<500 [<100 - <500]
Women aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	<100 [<100 - <100]
Men aged 15 and over newly infected with HIV	<200 [<100 - <500]
Children aged 0 to 14 newly infected with HIV	... [... - ...]
HIV incidence per 1000 population (adults 15-49)	0.04 [0.02 - 0.08]
HIV incidence per 1000 population (all ages)	0.02 [<0.01 - 0.04]
Adult and child deaths due to AIDS	<100 [<100 - <100]
Deaths due to AIDS among adults aged 15 and over	<100 [<100 - <100]
Deaths due to AIDS among women aged 15 and over	<100 [<100 - <100]

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Deaths due to AIDS among men aged 15 and over	<100 [<100 - <100]
Deaths due to AIDS among children aged 0 to 14	... [... - ...]
Orphans due to AIDS aged 0 to 17	... [... - ...]

Epidemic transition metrics

Percent change in new HIV infections since 2010	17
Percent change in AIDS-related deaths since 2010	64
Incidence : prevalence ratio	6.73
Incidence : mortality ratio	4.98

HIV testing and treatment cascade

People living with HIV	3000 [2200 - 3800]
People living with HIV who know their status	2600
Percent of people living with HIV who know their status	86 [61 - >95]
People living with HIV who are on ART	2000
Percent of people living with HIV who are on ART	65 [47 - 83]
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 (%)	65 [47 - 83]
Adults aged 15 and over receiving ART	65 [46 - 82]

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Women aged 15 and over receiving ART	65 [47 - 83]
Men aged 15 and over receiving ART	65 [46 - 82]
Children aged 0 to 14 receiving ART	... [... - ...]
Number of adults and children receiving ART (#)	1980
Adults aged 15 and over receiving ART	1968
Women aged 15 and over receiving ART	310
Men aged 15 and over receiving ART	1658
Children aged 0 to 14 receiving ART	...
Late HIV diagnosis [with the initial CD4 cell count <200 cells/ mm³] (%)	43
Female adults (15+)	60
Male adults (15+)	41
Children (0-14)	
Late HIV diagnosis [with the initial CD4 cell count <350 cells/ mm³] (%)	64
Female adults (15+)	80
Male adults (15+)	63
Children (0-14)	
Adults and children newly-initiating ART (#)	158
Adults aged 15 and over newly-initiating ART	
Children aged 0-14 newly-initiating ART	
Women aged 15 and over newly-initiating ART	
Men aged 15 and over newly-initiating ART	

Elimination of mother-to-child transmission

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Coverage of pregnant women who receive ARV for PMTCT (%)	... [... - ...]
Pregnant women who received ARV for PMTCT (#)	...
Pregnant women needing ARV for PMTCT (#)	... [... - ...]
New HIV infections averted due to PMTCT (%)	...
Number of HIV-exposed children who are uninfected	... [... - ...]

Sex workers

Population size estimate (#)	3900	Region: National; Method: Indirect method/multiplier and extrapolation; Source: http://www.batut.org.rs/download/publikacije/Prevalencija%20populacija%20od%20povecanim%20rizikom%20d%20HIV-a.pdf
HIV prevalence (%)	1.6	Source: Research among most at risk population and among people living with HIV. Institute of Public Health of Serbia "Dr Milan Jovanovic Batut", Belgrade:2013. Publication can be find at: http://www.batut.org.rs/download/publikacije/2013HIVIstrazivanja.pdf

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Knowledge of HIV status (%)	64.2	Source: Seroprevalent and behavioral survey (bio-behavioral surveillance survey) with snow-ball sampling method in Belgrade and Novi Sad
Condom use (%)	91.2	Source: Research among most at risk population and among people living with HIV. Institute of Public Health of Serbia "Dr Milan Jovanovic Batut", Belgrade:2013.

Men who have sex with men

Population size estimate (#)	40 000	Region: National; Method: Consensus
HIV prevalence (%)	8.3	Source: IBBS survey
Knowledge of HIV status (%)	53.5	Source: Seroprevalent and behavioral survey
Condom use (%)	62.3	Source: Research among most at risk population and among people living with HIV. Institute of Public Health of Serbia "Dr Milan Jovanovic Batut", Belgrade:2013.

People who inject drugs

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Population size estimate (#)	20 000	Region: National; Method: Indirect methods/multiplier, capture-recapture; Source: http://www.batut.org.rs/download/publikacije/20140626IstrazivanjeStiloviZivotaE.pdf
HIV prevalence (%)	1.8	Source: research among most at risk population and among people living with HIV
Knowledge of HIV status (%)	98.8	Source: Seroprevalent behavioral survey (bio-behavioral surveillance survey)
Condom use (%)	32.4	Source: Research among most at risk population and among people living with HIV. Institute of Public Health of Serbia
Safe injecting practices (%)	83.2	Source: Research among most at risk population and among people living with HIV. Institute of Public Health of Serbia "Dr Milan Jovanovic Batut", Belgrade:2013.
Needles and syringes distributed per person who injects drugs (#)	2	
Coverage of opioid substitution therapy	28.3	Source: Republican Fund for Health Insurance (RFHI)

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Population size estimate (#)	10 000	Region: National; Method: Census; Source: Annual Report of Administration for Enforcement of Penal Sanctions 2013 (available at: http://www.uiks.mpravde.gov.rs/images/Godisnji_izvestaj_UIKS-a_za_2013.pdf)
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Stigma and discrimination

Sex workers: Avoidance of health care because of stigma and discrimination (%)	8.4	Source: Seroprevalent and behavioral survey
Men who have sex with men: Avoidance of health care because of stigma and discrimination (%)	19	Source: Seroprevalent and behavioral survey (bio-behavioral surveillance survey) by using RDS methodology.

Young people

Knowledge about HIV prevention among young people aged 15-24	51.39	Source: MICS 2010
Knowledge about HIV prevention among young women aged 15-24	54.1	Source: MICS 2010
Knowledge about HIV prevention among young men aged 15-24	47.6	Source: MICS 2010