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Democratic Republic of the Congo

COD

Based on most recent available data.

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Output (coverage)

Outcome (service use/behaviour)

Impact

Condoms

Number of condoms distributed and sold / year (in millions)	3
Number of condoms distributed/sold per couple-year (age range 15-64)	0
Estimated condom distribution need met (%)	1

Men and boys (including VMMC)

Number of VMMCs performed / year (in thousands)	na
% of annual VMMC target achieved	na

ARV-based prevention

Composite PrEP score (0-10)	3
Number of people who received PrEP at least once in the past 12 months	8650
% of PLHIV on ART	82

Key populations

Sex workers (SW)

Population size estimate for sex workers	526000
% of SWs who received at least two HIV prevention interventions (past 3 mo)	38
Prevention strategy includes core elements of SW prevention package	All

Gay men and other men who have sex with men (MSM)

Population size estimate for men who have sex with men	194900
% of MSM who received at least two HIV prevention interventions (past 3 mo)	39
Prevention strategy includes core elements of MSM prevention package	> Half

People who inject drugs (PWID)

Population size estimate for people who inject drugs	168000
% of PWID who received at least two HIV prevention interventions (past 3 mo)	23
Prevention strategy includes core elements of PWID harm reduction package	#N/A

Structural barriers and enablers

Criminalization of sex work	Yes
Criminalization of same-sex sexual acts	No
Criminalization of drug use/consumption or possession for personal use	No
Criminalization of transgender people	No

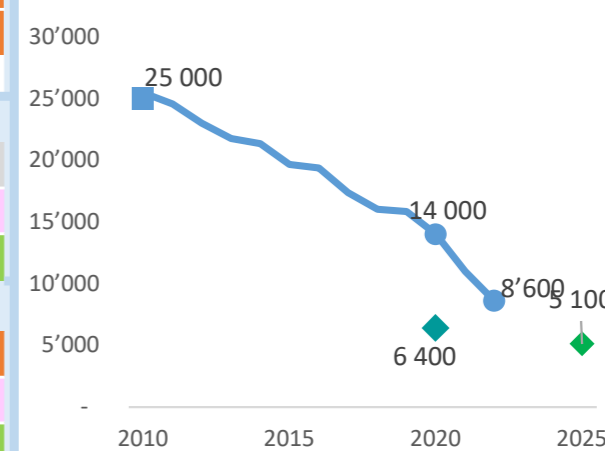
Adolescent girls, young women (AGYW) & partners in high-HIV incidence settings

% of priority locations/districts with dedicated programs for AGYW & partners	id
Educational policies on HIV & sexuality education (secondary school)	id
Laws requiring parental consent for adolescents to access HIV testing services	Yes, <18
Provider-initiated condom promotion integrated into SRH services	No/id
HIV testing services integrated with SRH services	#N/A

Condom use with non-regular partners (%)	Women 15-49	24
	Men 15-49	33
% of 2020 VMMC target achieved	Men	na
	Men 15-24	id
	Men 15-49	97
National male circumcision prevalence (%)	Men 15-24	id
	Men 15-49	97
% of national PrEP need met	All pop.	12
% of PLHIV virally suppressed	Women 15+	id
	Men 15+	78

New HIV infections

(ages 15+ trend vs. 2020 and 2025 targets)



2010 baseline
2020, 2022
2020 target
2025 target

2020 and 2025 targets represent the country's required contribution to global targets, a 75% reduction by 2020 and 82.5% reduction by 2025 against 2010 as a baseline.

HIV prevalence

Sex workers <25 years	4.8
Sex workers all ages	7.5

MSM <25 years	id
MSM all ages	7.1

PWID <25 years	0.6
PWID all ages	3.9

Summary Scores

AGYW	4
Sex workers	3
MSM	5
PWID	1
Condoms	1
VMMC	na
ART	8
PrEP	3

Acronyms: na ... not applicable;

PLHIV...people living with HIV; LHIV...living with HIV; YW...young women; YM...young men;

SRH ... sexual and reproductive health.

Very good

Good

Medium

Low

Very low

id Insufficient data