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New HIV infections among adults aged 15+

There was a 37% decrease in new HIV infections by 2019 compared to 2010. Nevertheless, more work is needed to reduce new infections by 75% by 2020.

The Global HIV Prevention Coalition (GPC) is taking action to address the highest HIV incidence among young people. The coalition aims to scale up condom distribution and expand key prevention programmes with a focus on young people and other populations.

Next steps:

1. Accelerate progress towards targets through the development of the national strategic plan for 2020–2023, the Global Fund Concept Note and PEPFAR’s COP for 2020.
2. Address the programming gap for key populations in terms of prevention, testing and treatment.
3. Strengthen condom programming with a focus on young people and other populations and locations with higher HIV incidence.

Data sources: UNAIDS 2019 HIV estimates; Global AIDS Monitoring 2019; Global Prevention Coalition Progress Survey 2019; ICF - The DHS Program STATcompiler; SRH/HIV Linkages Index.

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