Zimbabwe – State of HIV Prevention and HIV Prevention Commitments for ICPD25

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The State of HIV Prevention in Zimbabwe 2019

New HIV infections among adults declined by 28%, which is too slow to achieve the 2020 targets. Programme scale-up is needed.

New HIV infections in 2019:
- Adults 15+ 34,000
- Young women 15-24 10,000
- Sex workers <25 years 10,000
- Gay men and other men who have sex with men <25 years 3,000
- People who inject drugs, <25 years 3,000

HIV prevalence among young people (%):
- MARRIED WOMEN’S DECISION MAKING ABOUT THEIR OWN HEALTH CARE:
  - Women only 34%
  - Joint with husband 34%
  - Husband or other 32%

- GIRLS WHO COMPLETED LOWER SECONDARY EDUCATION:
  - Achievement 74%

Status of 10 Roadmap actions:
1. Need assessment
2. Prevention targets
3. Prevention strategy
4. Policy reforms
5a. Key populations use estimates
5b. Defined key populations package
6. Adolescent Girls and Young Women use estimates
5c. Adolescent Girls and Young Women package
6. Capacity and technical assistance plan
7. Social动员ing
8. Financial gap analysis
9. Stigma and discrimination
10. Performance review

Next steps:
- Develop an HIV national strategic plan and an integrated health sector strategy.
- Mobilize resources to scale up HIV prevention.
- Develop national packages for male engagement.
- Scale up prevention of mother-to-child transmission and viral load testing and suppression through focused case detection and surveillance, while also ensuring commodity security.
- Expand youth-friendly services and programmes for adolescent girls and young women.

Note: 2020 HIV estimate presented as 30,200 for the year 2020. Other data points may refer to various years, when services were more concentrated.
Recommitting to HIV prevention by 2020 at ICPD25

On behalf of the people of Zimbabwe, we commit to:

1) Support all schools, public and private, to deliver a quality-assured Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) package appropriate for age, including HIV information, by 2030;

2) Improve allocations from the HIV and Airtime levies to SRHR and Family Planning by at least 5 percent;

3) Scale-up integrated youth friendly HIV prevention and sexual and reproductive health services in all priority districts; and

4) Intensify service package of essential HIV prevention and sexual and reproductive health services for at least 75% of adolescent girls and young women and key populations.
Thank you!
Mazvita!
Siyabonga!