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<b>Condoms</b>								<p>New HIV infections (ages 15+ trend vs. 2020 and 2025 targets)</p> <p>2010 baseline: 17 000 2020: 7 200 2020 target: 4 200 2025 target: 3 400</p> <p>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.</p>			
Number of condoms distributed and sold / year (in millions)	id	Condom use with non-regular partners (%)	Women 15-49	76							
Number of condoms distributed/sold per couple-year (age range 15-64)	id		Men 15-49	77							
Estimated condom distribution need met (%)	id										
<b>Voluntary medical male circumcision (VMMC)</b>											
Number of VMMCs performed / year (in thousands)	10	% of 2020 VMMC target achieved	Men	62							
% of annual VMMC target achieved	25	National male circumcision prevalence (%)	Men 15-24	70							
			Men 15-49	69							
<b>ARV-based prevention</b>											
Composite PrEP score (0-10)	8	% of national PrEP need met	All pop.	id							
Number of people who received PrEP at least once in the past 12 months	8538	% of PLHIV virally suppressed	Women 15+	85							
% of PLHIV on ART	82	% of PLHIV virally suppressed	Men 15+	72							
<b>Key populations</b>								<b>HIV prevalence</b>			
<i>Sex workers (SW)</i>											
Population size estimate for sex workers	7500	Condom use / last paid sex (%)	Sex workers	62		Sex workers <25 years	id				
% of SWs who received at least two HIV prevention interventions (past 3 mo)	39	Condom use / last paid sex (%)	Men 15-49	90		Sex workers all ages	71.9				
Prevention strategy includes core elements of SW prevention package	> Half	% on ART	SWs LHIV	id							
<i>Gay men and other men who have sex with men (MSM)</i>											
Population size estimate for men who have sex with men	6100	Condom use / last anal sex (%)	MSM	46		MSM <25 years	id				
% of MSM who received at least two HIV prevention interventions (past 3 mo)	25	% on ART	MSM LHIV	id		MSM all ages	32.9				
Prevention strategy includes core elements of MSM prevention package	> Half										
<i>People who inject drugs (PWID)</i>											
Population size estimate for people who inject drugs	id	% with safe injecting practices	PWID	id		PWID <25 years	id				
% of PWID who received at least two HIV prevention interventions (past 3 mo)	id	% on opioid substitution therapy	PWID	id		PWID all ages	id				
Prevention strategy includes core elements of PWID harm reduction package	None	% on ART	PWID LHIV	id							
<i>Structural barriers and enablers</i>											
Criminalization of sex work	Yes	% of people who avoided health care because of stigma and discrimination	Sex workers	8							
Criminalization of same-sex sexual acts	No		MSM	8							
Criminalization of drug use/consumption or possession for personal use	Yes		PWID	id							
Criminalization of transgender people	No		Transgender	id							
<b>Adolescent girls, young women (AGYW) &amp; partners in high-HIV incidence settings</b>											
% of priority locations/districts with dedicated programs for AGYW & partners	100	Condom use with non-regular partners (%)	YW 15-24	82		Young women 15-24	9.0				
Educational policies on HIV & sexuality education (secondary school)	Yes		YM 15-24	79		Young men 15-24	3.9				
Laws requiring parental consent for adolescents to access HIV testing services	Yes, <12	% who completed lower secondary education	Girls	55		Adults 15-49	22.2				
Provider-initiated condom promotion integrated into SRH services	No/id	% of women experienced physical or sexual violence from husband/partner	YW 15-19	id							
HIV testing services integrated with SRH services	Yes		Women 15-49	id							

2010 baseline  
2020  
2020 target  
2025 target

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Summary Scores
AGYW&MPs
8
SW
5
MSM
4
PWID
id
Condoms
id
VMMC
4
ART
8
PrEP
8

**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	Low
Good	Very low
Medium	id Insufficient data