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Condoms						
Number of condoms distributed and sold / year (in millions)	0	Condom use with non-regular partners (%)	Women 15-49	78	<p>New HIV infections (ages 15+ trend vs. 2020 and 2025 targets)</p> <p>2010: 17 000 2020: 7 300 2025: 3 400</p> <p>Legend: 2010 baseline (blue square), 2020, 2021 (blue circle), 2020 target (blue diamond), 2025 target (green diamond)</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/sold per couple-year (age range 15-64)	0		Men 15-49	81		
Estimated condom distribution need met (%)	1					
Voluntary medical male circumcision (VMMC)						
Number of VMMCs performed / year (in thousands)	14	% 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		
ARV-based prevention						
Composite PrEP score (0-10)	10	% of national PrEP need met	All pop.	id		
Number of people who received PrEP at least once in the past 12 months	22695	% of PLHIV virally suppressed	Women 15+	83		
% of PLHIV on ART	81		Men 15+	74		
Key populations						
<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)	90		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)	73	% on ART	MSM LHIV	id	MSM all ages	id
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	#N/A	% of people who avoided health care because of stigma and discrimination	Sex workers	8		
Criminalization of same-sex sexual acts	#N/A		MSM	8		
Criminalization of drug use/consumption or possession for personal use	Yes		PWID	id		
Criminalization of transgender people	No		Transgender	id		
Adolescent girls, young women (AGYW) & partners in high-HIV incidence settings						
% of priority locations/districts with dedicated programs for AGYW & partners	90	Condom use with non-regular partners (%)	Women 15-24	84	Women 15-24	9.5
Educational policies on HIV & sexuality education (secondary school)	Yes		Men 15-24	83	Men 15-24	4.1
Laws requiring parental consent for adolescents to access HIV testing services	Yes, <12	% who completed lower secondary education	Girls	55	Adults, 15-49	22.6
Provider-initiated condom promotion integrated into SRH services	No/id	% of women experienced physical or sexual violence from husband/partner	Women 15-19	id		
HIV testing services integrated with SRH services	Yes		Women 15-49	id		

Summary Scores

AGYW	8
Sex workers	7
MSM	6
PWID	id
Condoms	4
VMMC	4
ART	8
PrEP	10

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	Insufficient data