Zululand District AIDS Council
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Report to
Provincial Council on AIDS

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Intervention Area: Orphans and Vulnerable Children

Number of Registered OVCs

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Intervention Area: Orphans and Vulnerable Children Receiving Care & support

- Q12015/16Target: 1247
- Q12015/16: 2045
- Q22015/16Target: 1247
- Q22015/16: 2727
Activities/Interventions moving forward

- Statistics indicate that there is a drop in the number of OVCs registered that is due to the fact that more intensive work is done in terms of prevention and early intervention.

- CYCWs and CCGs are providing direct basic psychological support to identify beneficiaries and also conduct appropriate referrals to relevant stakeholders.

- Awareness campaigns such as child abuse victim empowerment and on substance abuse, teenage pregnancy services provided OVCs with the view to prevent children from secondary victimization or exposure to social problems.

- Social workers and NPO members were trained on social behaviour change and the plan is in place to train children and youth.
Intervention Area: Life skills

Learner Pregnancy

- Q42014/15: 145
- Q12015/16: 158
Activities/Interventions moving forward

• Engage school governing bodies on the need for access of condoms by scholars.

• Increase the number of Youth and adolescent friendly health services.

• Intensify awareness campaigns on the need for dual protection and the use of contraceptive implants by Adolescents.

• Source services of NPO to promote peer education of sexual reproductive topics by learners.

• An engagement in ongoing on strengthening “My Life My Future” and Zazi Campaign to be incorporated into school health programmes.
Intervention Area: PMTCT

Baby PCR tested positive around 6 weeks

- Q12015/16Target: 1.40%
- Q2015/16: 2.60%
- Q22015/16Target: 1.40%
- QQ2015/16: 1.50%
Intervention Area: PMTCT

Number of Infant rapid HIV test positive around 18 months

- Q1 2015/16: 10
- Q2 2015/16: 13
Intervention Area: PMTCT

Number of Infant deaths at Public Facilities < 5 years

Q12015/16: 63
Q22015/16: 47
Intervention Area: PMTCT

Maternal deaths at public facilities

Q12015/16: 2
Q22015/16: 1
Activities/Interventions moving forward

• Improve patient tracking systems using CCGs, Tracer Teams and Warrooms/SIYANQOBA Neonate, Mother and CCG linkage starting from pregnancy, delivery, child health and after delivery.

• Increase public awareness of the problems, discuss these in community meeting, churches and request health awareness slots in community radio stations.

• Train more nurses in integrated management of childhood illnesses.

• Improve early Antenatal care booking and clinic attendance by pregnant woman through involvement of all community stake holders.

• Intensify health messages on infant and child feeding.

• Educate patients on treatment adherence at each visit
Intervention Area: HCT & TB screening
Strategic Objective 2: Prevention of new HIV, STIs and TB Infections

Number of HIV tests conducted:
- Q1 2015/16: 45636
- Q2 2015/16 Target: 49361
- Q2 2015/16: 46540
Intervention Area: HCT & TB screening

Number of TBHIV positive cases obtained

- Q1 2015/16: 435
- Q2 2015/16: 529
Intervention Area: Condoms distribution

Number of male condoms distributed

- Q12015/16 Target: 2325573
- Q12015/16: 4455496
- Q22015/16 Target: 2325573
- Q22015/16: 4059361
Intervention Area: Condoms distribution

Number of female condoms distributed

- Q12015/16Target: 65766
- Q12015/16: 88717
- Q22015/16Target: 65766
- Q22015/16: 174809
Activities/Interventions moving forward

• Increase none medical condom distribution sites and improve reporting.
• Intensify HCT campaigns and introduce Point Of Care CD4 testing at High volume sites.

• Step-up community based testing events and campaigns.
• Lobby Traditional and Faith Leaders to be champion HCT campaigns.
Intervention Area: Male Medical Circumcision

Number of males aged 15-49 undergoing male medical circumcision

- **Q12015/16 Target**: 5817
- **Q12015/16**: 1792
- **Q22015/16 Target**: 5817
- **Q22015/16**: 2153
Activities/Interventions moving forward

• Conduct MMC at all health events.

• Strengthen involvement and support of MMC by traditional leaders through regular consultation and feedback meeting.

• Encourage men to utilize health facilities.

• Work with organized traditional healers to promote referral to health facilities and sharing of information.

• Strengthen the cultural aspects of behavior modification and commemoration of relevant cultural events that promotes MMC like Umkhosi woselwa.
Intervention Area: Prevention of Exposure to transmission from occupational exposure, sexual violence
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![Bar chart showing the rate of children under 12 sexually assaulted from Q1 2015/16 to Q2 2015/16. In Q1 2015/16, the rate was 22%. In Q2 2015/16, the rate was 21.70%.]
Activities/Interventions moving forward including plans to curb sexual crimes as per SAPS Data

- Advocate for gender based violence being the standing agenda in meetings of tribal authority.
- Draft plan on Sexual Crimes Interventions is in place and has been a collaborated effort from different sectors.
- Intensify public awareness intervention to break silence on sexual abuse and gender based violence.
- Raise awareness about potential dangers of cyber dating and viewing of pornography material on all forms of media.
- Increase awareness on sexuality among youth and promote open discussion on sex and sexuality between parents and children and through OSS.
Intervention Area: Comprehensive ART services

Total number of patients on ART

- Q1 2015/16: 74,811
- Q2 2015/16: 77,337
Intervention Area: Comprehensive ART services

Number of patients on ART clients de-registered due to loss of follow up

- Q1 2015/16: 1101
- Q2 2015/16: 484
Intervention Area: Comprehensive ART services

- Q1 2015/16: 128
- Q2 2015/16: 159

Number of patients on ART clients de-registered due to death.
Activities/Interventions moving forward

• Intensify HCT campaigns and introduce point of care CD4 testing at High volume sites.
• Improve patient tracking systems using CCG, Tracer Teams and War-rooms.
• Trace all clients who ever tested positive and re-assess their eligibility to ART initiation
• Decongest health facilities and for Mpilonde clubs at all municipal wards to increase access to chronic medication.
• Ensure ongoing training on treatment adherence.
Intervention Area: Coordination, Monitoring & Evaluation

Number of LACs submitting reports to DAC

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Number of WACs submitting reports to LACs

- Q12015/16Target: 30
- Q12015/16: 16
- Q22015/16Target: 30
- Q22015/16: 0
Activities/Interventions moving forward

• A support visit has been conducted by OTP to the district and a resolution was taken to have a coordinating meeting with the district leadership (Mayors & Speakers) and their administration.

• Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Training has been conducted with all data coordinators as was supported by OTP.

• DAC Chairperson to conduct support visits to LACs and Municipal EXCOs to be invited to such meetings