

UTHUNGULU DISTRICT AIDS COUNCIL REPORT

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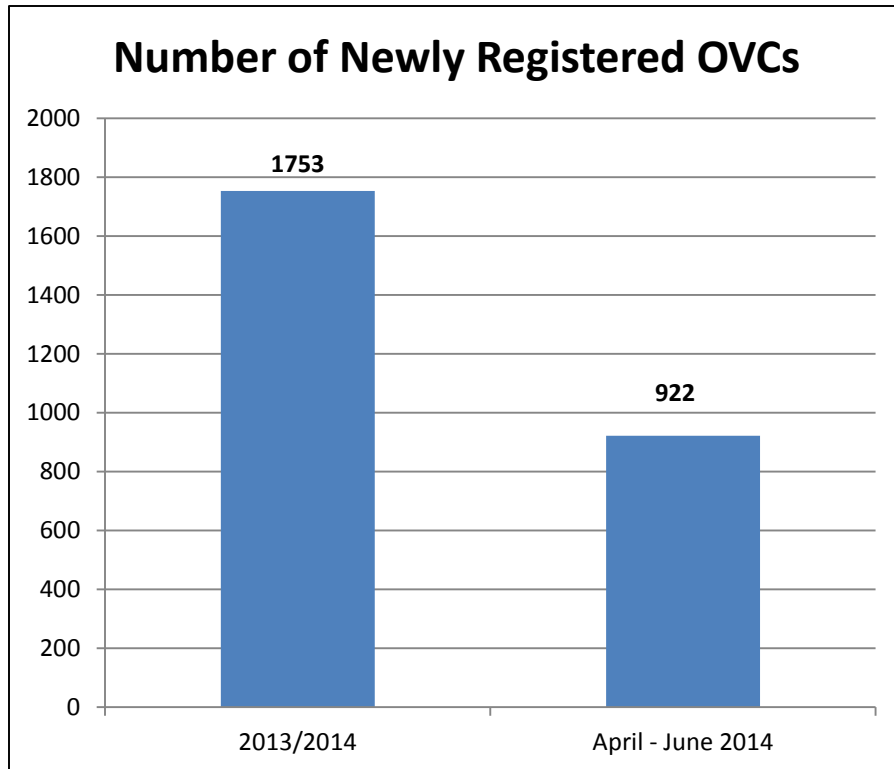


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DAC CHAIR: District Mayor TVB Mchunu

Strategic Objective 1: Addressing Social & Structural Driver of HIV/AIDS, STIs & TB Prevention Care & Impact

INTERVENTION AREA: ORPHANS & VULNERABLE CHILDREN

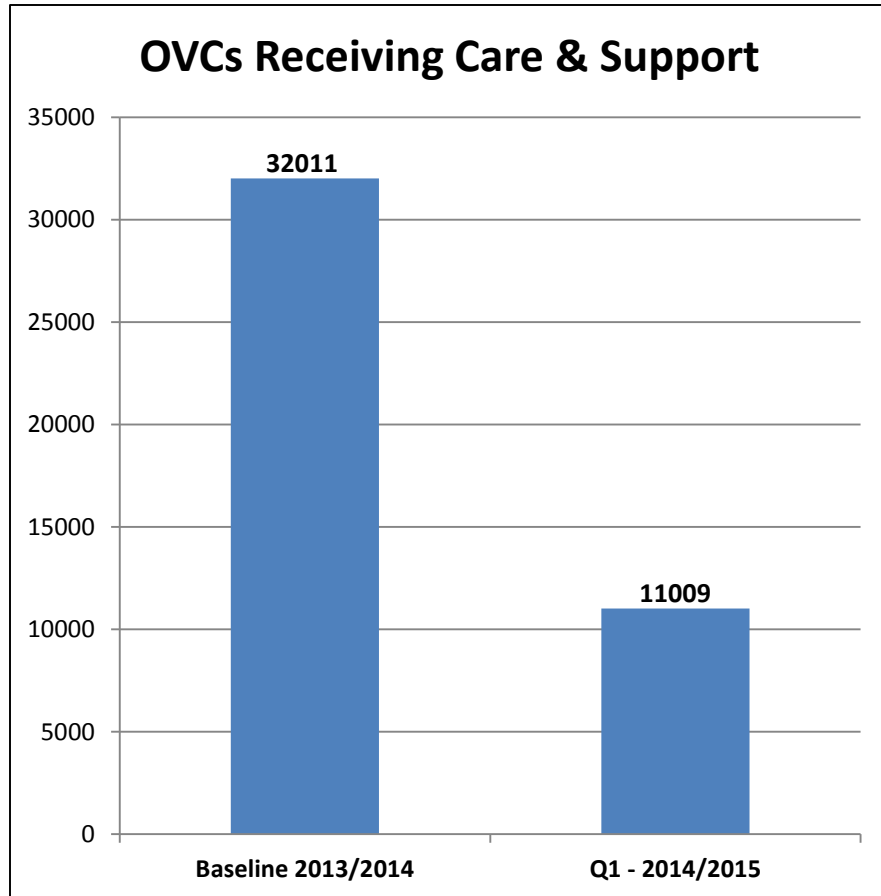


- 1753 is the total number of OVCs registered in 2013/2014 financial year.
 - Q1 = 669
 - Q2 = 520
 - Q3 = 267
 - Q4 = 297
- This year 2014/2015 April to June 2014 there were 922.
- There is an increase in the number of registered OVCs. A number of children are really in need. They are provided with care and support through the integrated efforts by CCGs - in identifying households in need.

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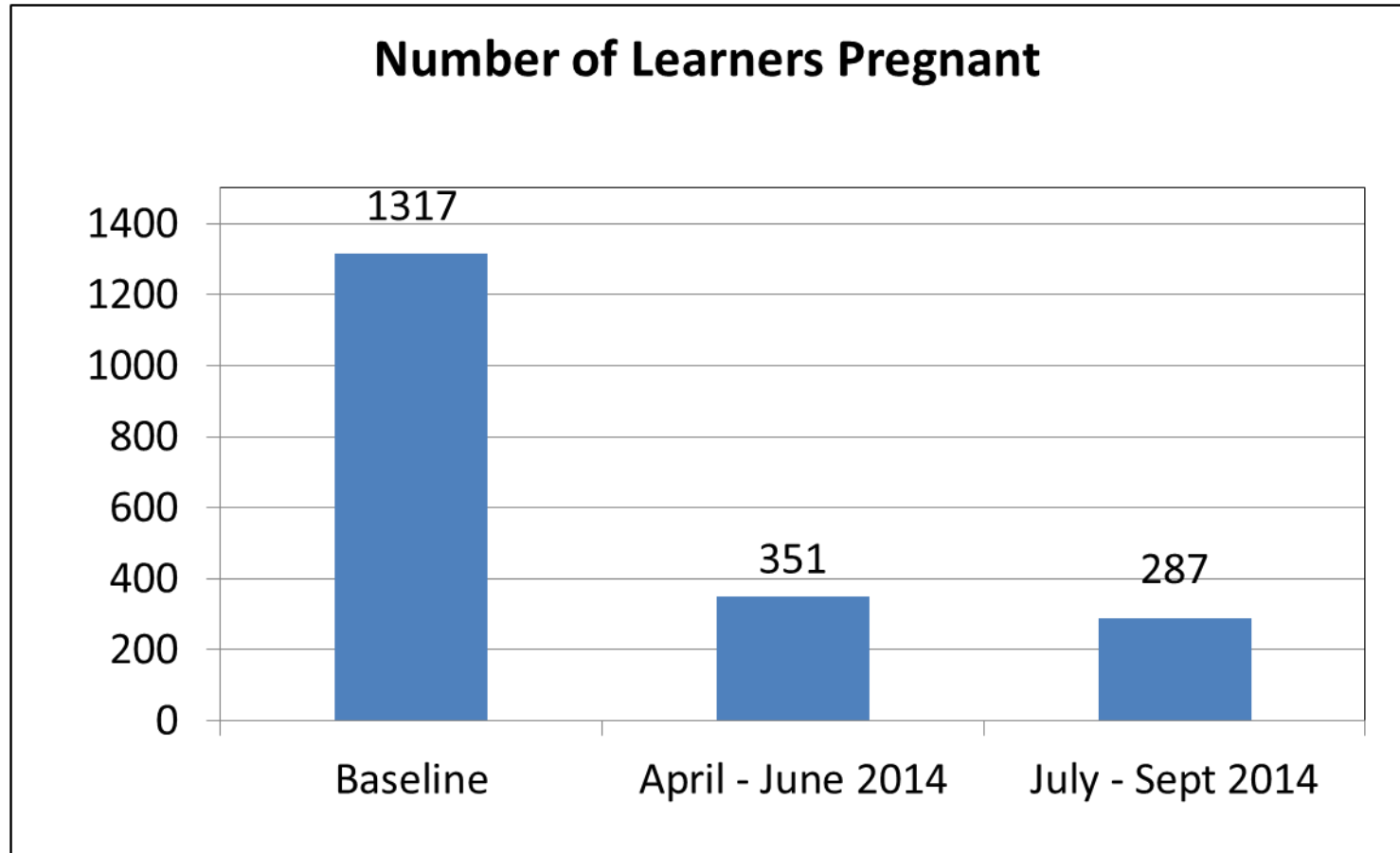


- Good performance is observed as a number of OVCs are taken care of through the work CCGs referring to different NPOs wherein OVCs are provided with material assistance - food parcels, cooked , cooked meals and meals
- Early identification of families in need is evident by the increasing number and OVCs are assisted with psychosocial support.

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INTERVENTION AREA: LIFE SKILLS



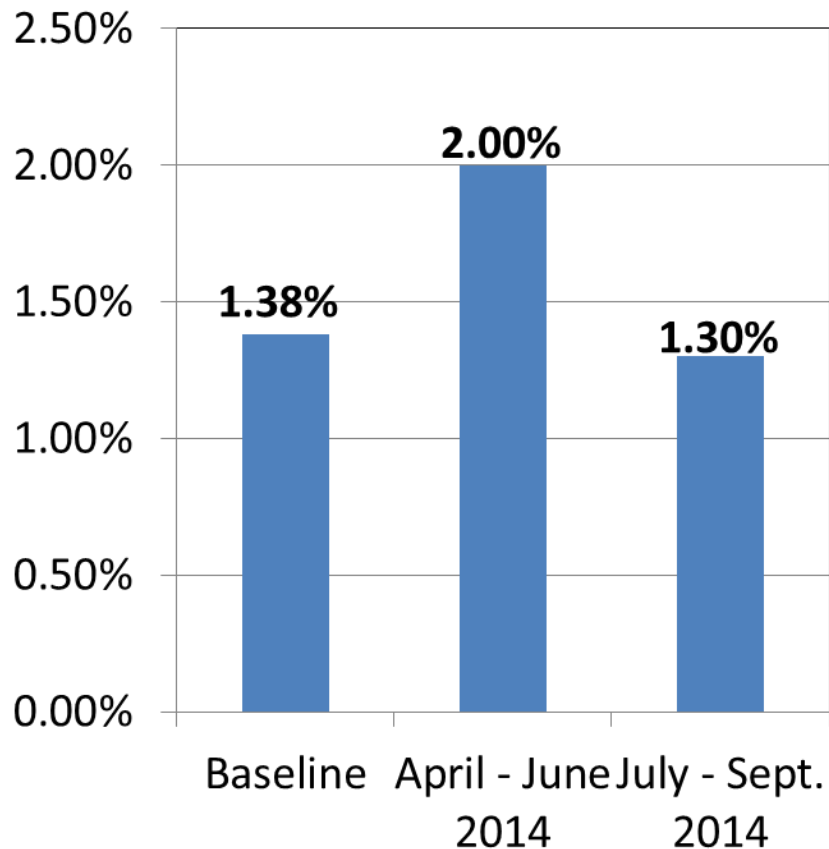
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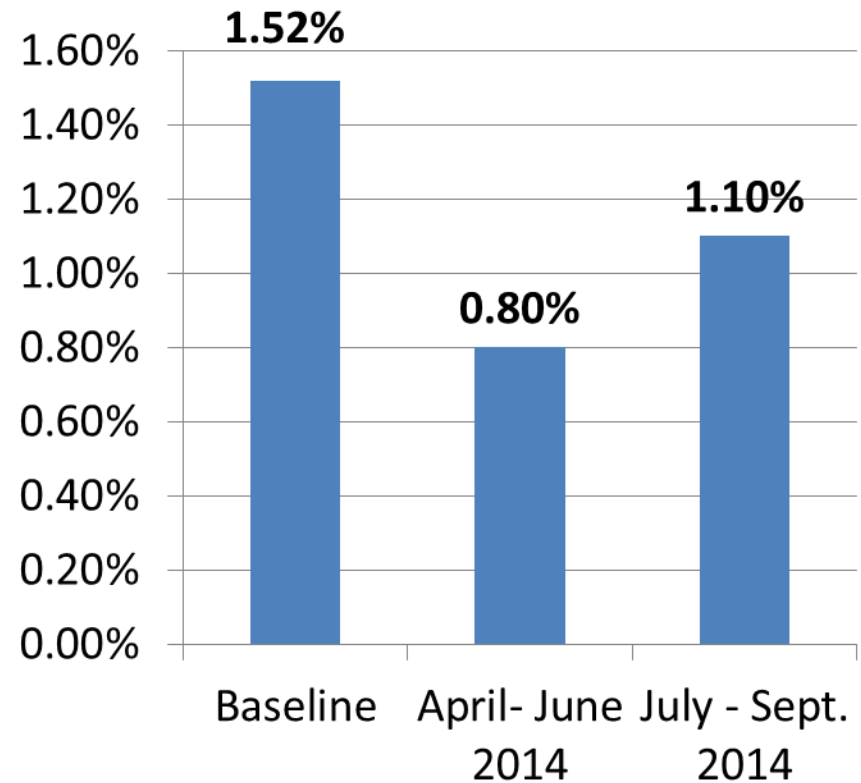
Strategic Objective 2: Prevention of New HIV, STIs and TB Infections

INTERVENTION AREA: PMTCT

**Baby PCR Tested Positive
Around 6 weeks Rate**

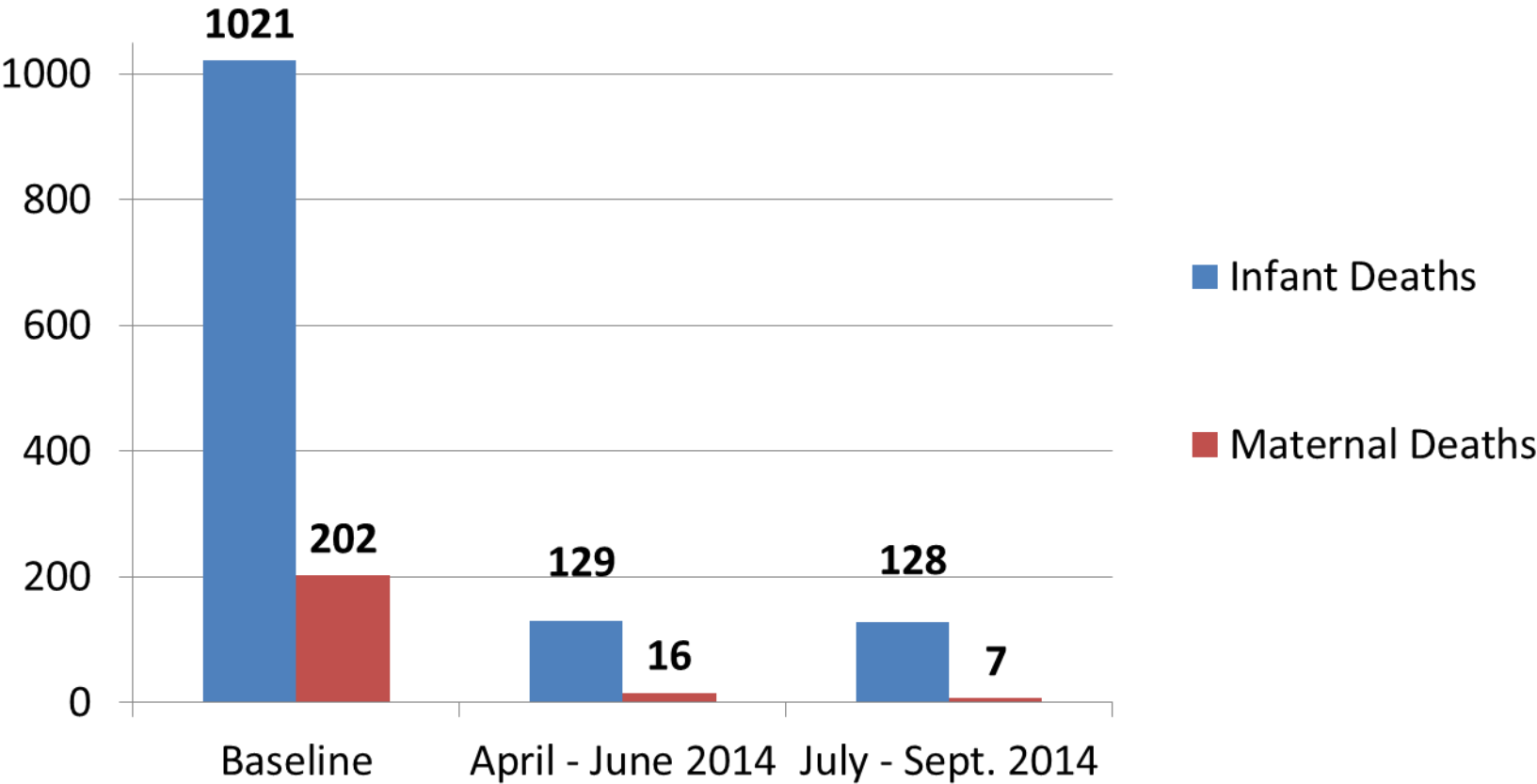


**Baby HIV Antibody Test
Positive at 18 Weeks Rate**



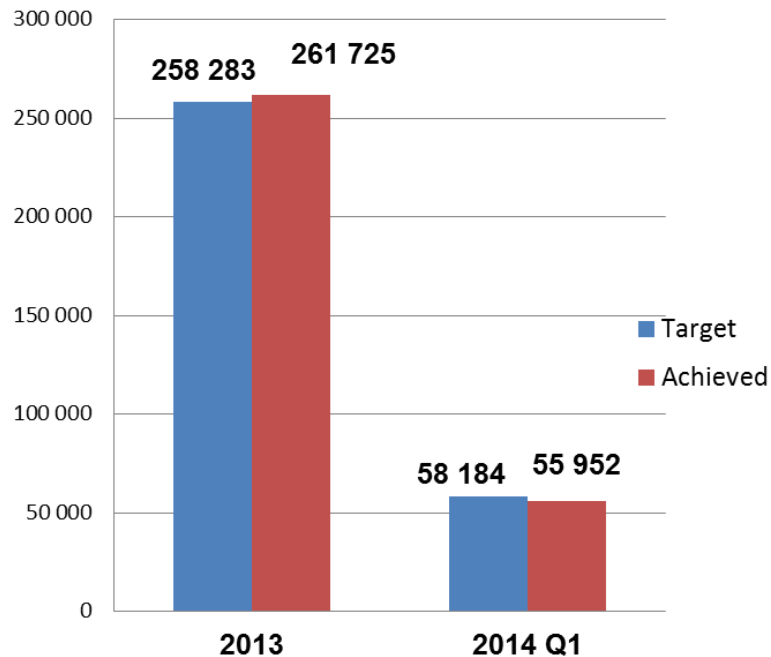
INTERVENTION AREA: PMTCT

Infant & Maternal Deaths in Public Facilities



INTERVENTION AREA: HCT & TB SCREENING

New HIV Tests Carried Out



96% of Quarter 1 district target was reached.

What has the District done:

- Week long HCT/health blitz
- Hlola manje Zivikele campaigns through OSS
- Provider Initiated Counselling and testing for all (4 clients per day per clinician)
- Revival of nerve centers and nerve center meetings
- Zazi campaign

Scale-up activities that the District will embark on:

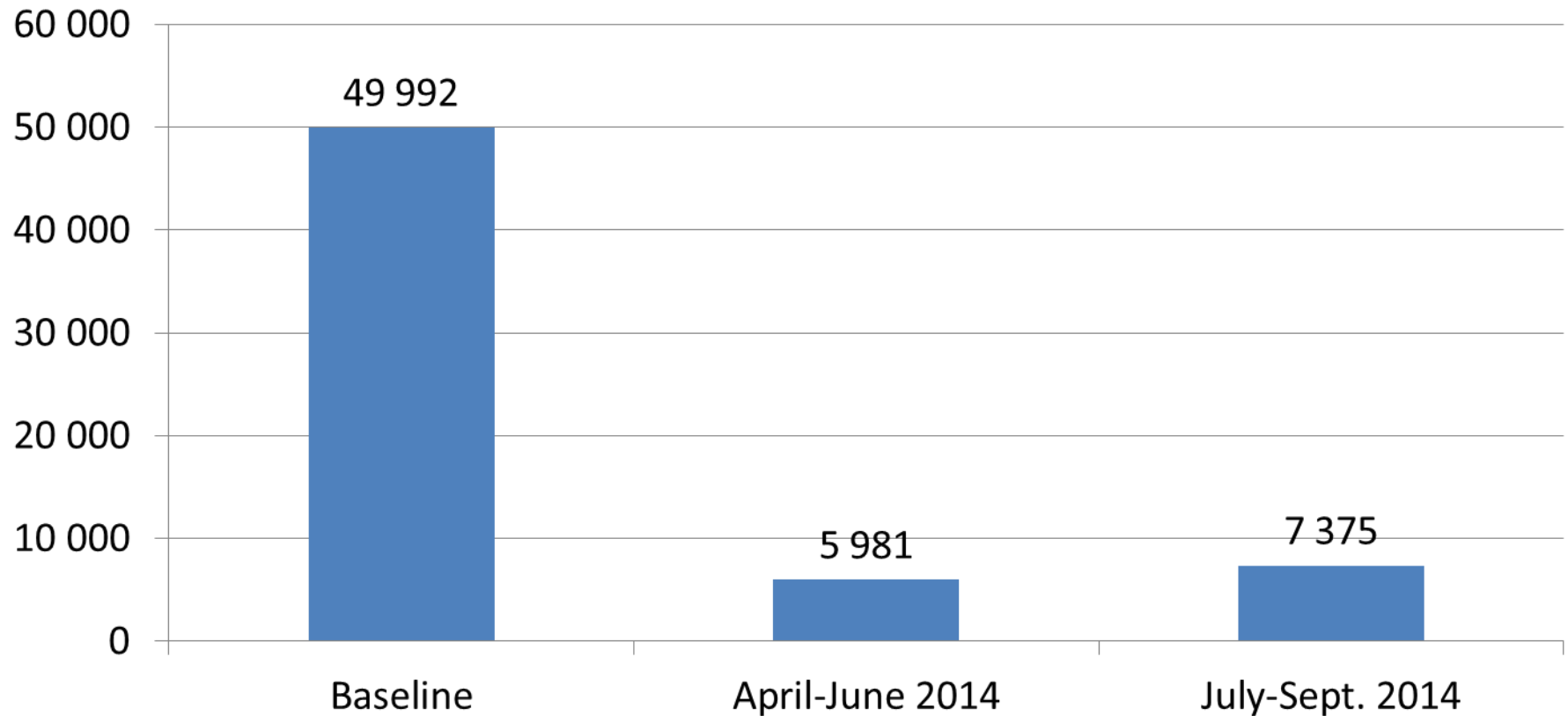
- “First-things-first” HCT campaign for high schools and tertiary institutions
- “Graduate alive” HCT campaign for tertiary institutions
- Mass health screening at taxi ranks
- “Isibaya Samadoda” MMC Campaign
- “Test for HIV at least once a year” campaign

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INTERVENTION AREA: HCT & TB SCREENING

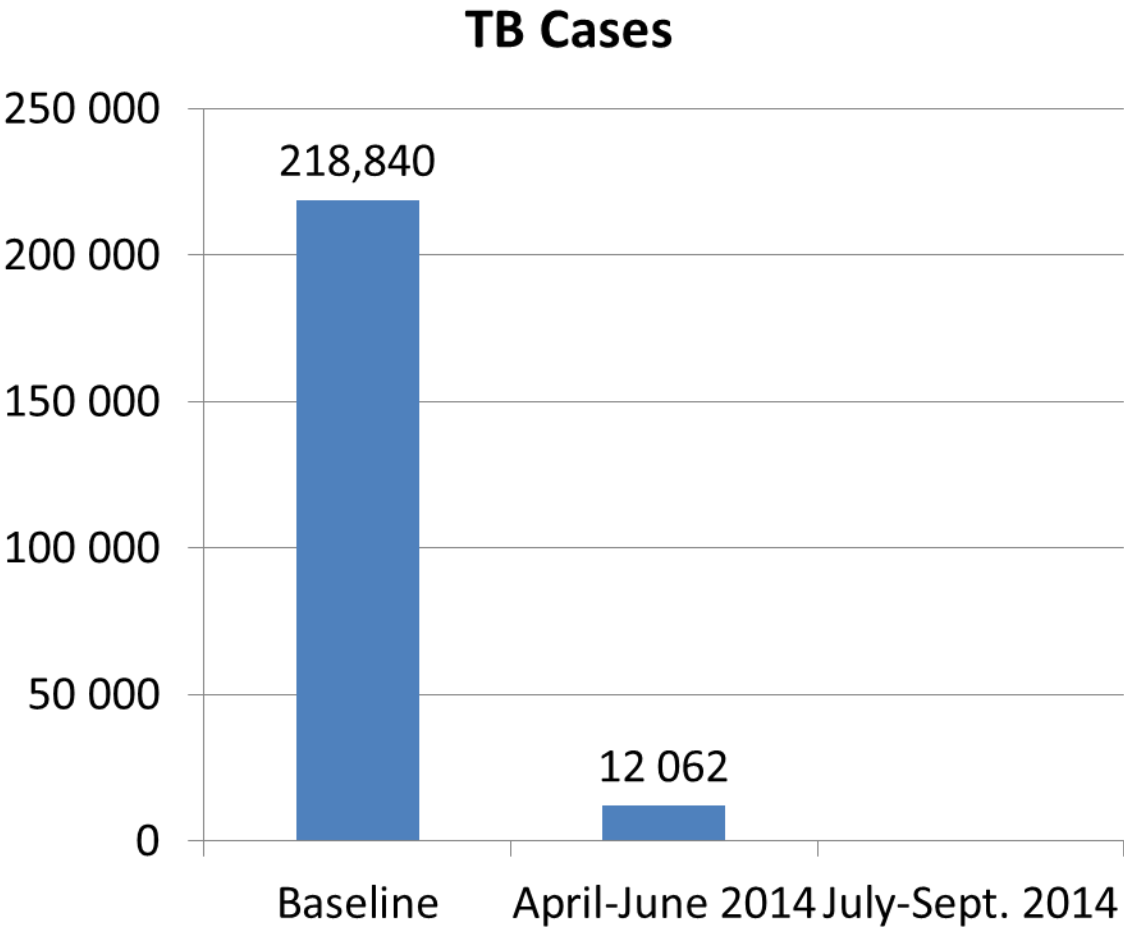
Positive HIV Cases



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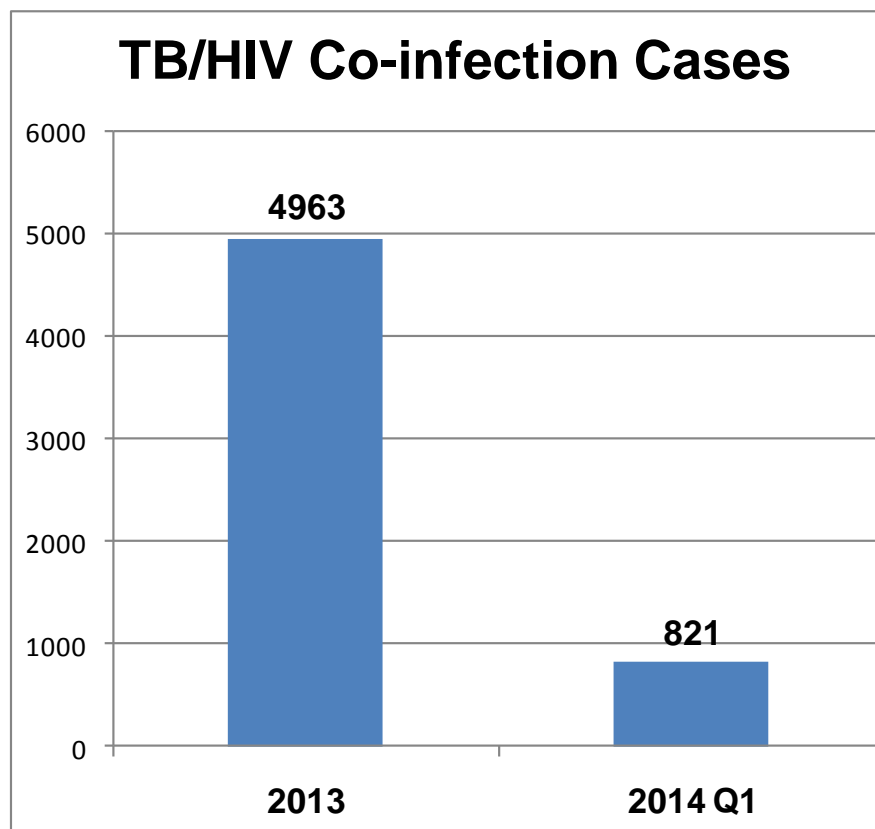


- TB is not only a medical problem but a reflection of social and economic challenges that impact on the poor, the unemployed and the vulnerable.

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INTERVENTION AREA: HCT & TB SCREENING



TB/HIV co-infection rate is still very high although it is less if compared to 2013/14 data.

Activities that the District will embark on:

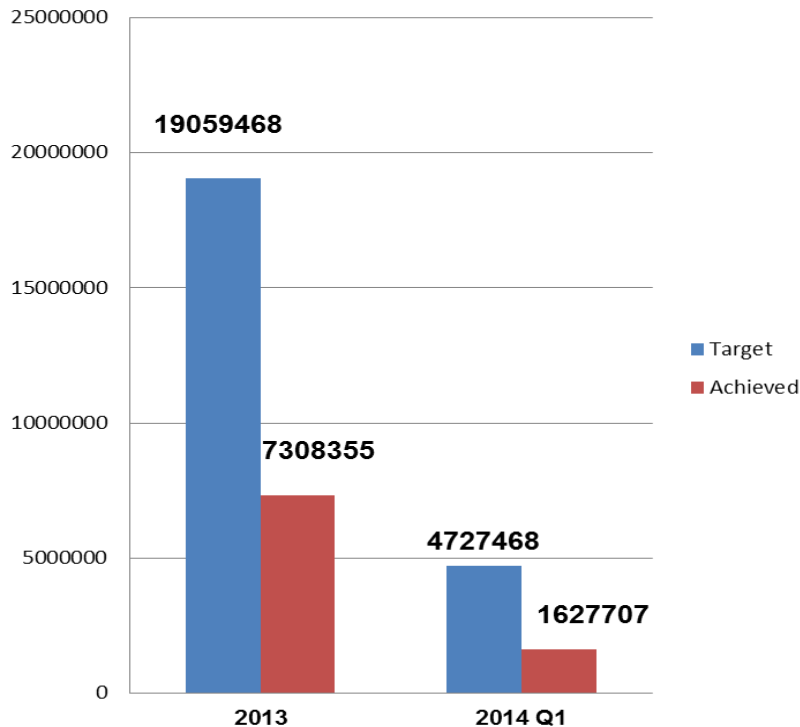
- Multi-sectoral approach by all relevant government departments and other stakeholders to address the drivers of TB
- Mandatory TB screening for all clients receiving health care services
- Mass TB screening in TB hotspots
- Strengthen Isoniazid Preventive Therapy (IPT) for all HIV clients that do not have TB.

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INTERVENTION AREA: CONDOMS DISTRIBUTION

Male Condom Distribution



Quarter 1 target was not reached.

Scale-up activities that the District will embark on:

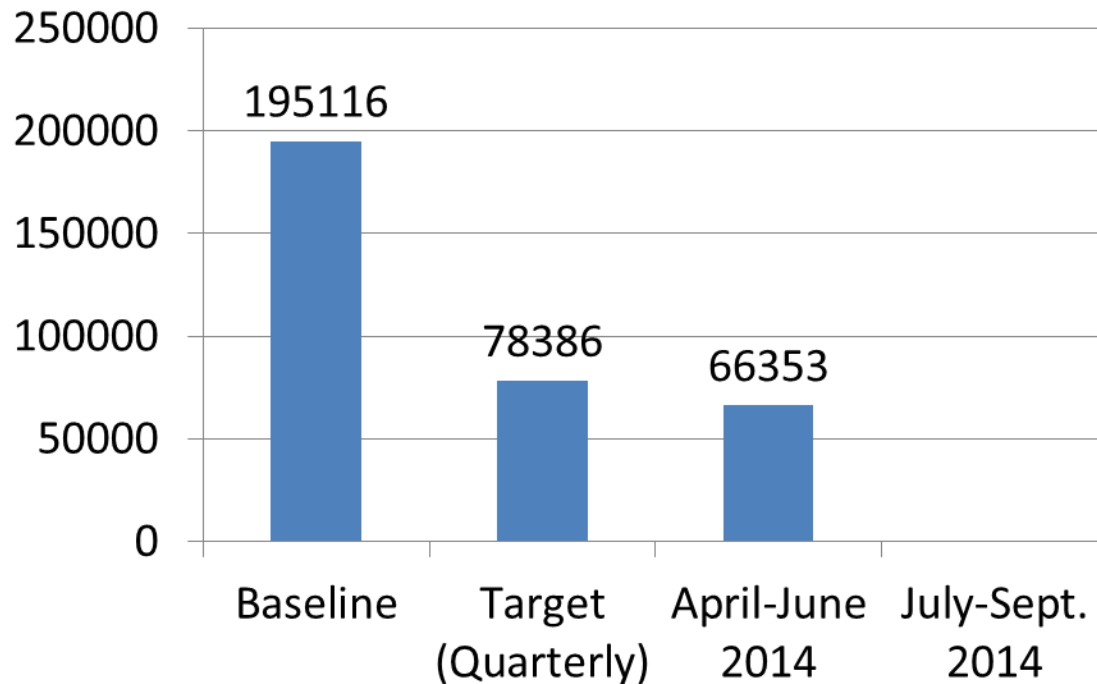
- Establish additional secondary condom distribution sites(shops, taverns, taxi ranks, farm areas, tertiary institutions).
- Form partnerships with NGOs, traditional leadership, traditional health practitioners and business sector on condom distribution.
- Each community field worker to distribute 200 male condoms per day.
- 50 condoms will be pre-packed with medication for all PHC clients.
- Social mobilization on condom use by all government departments

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INTERVENTION AREA: CONDOMS DISTRIBUTION

Female Condom Distribution



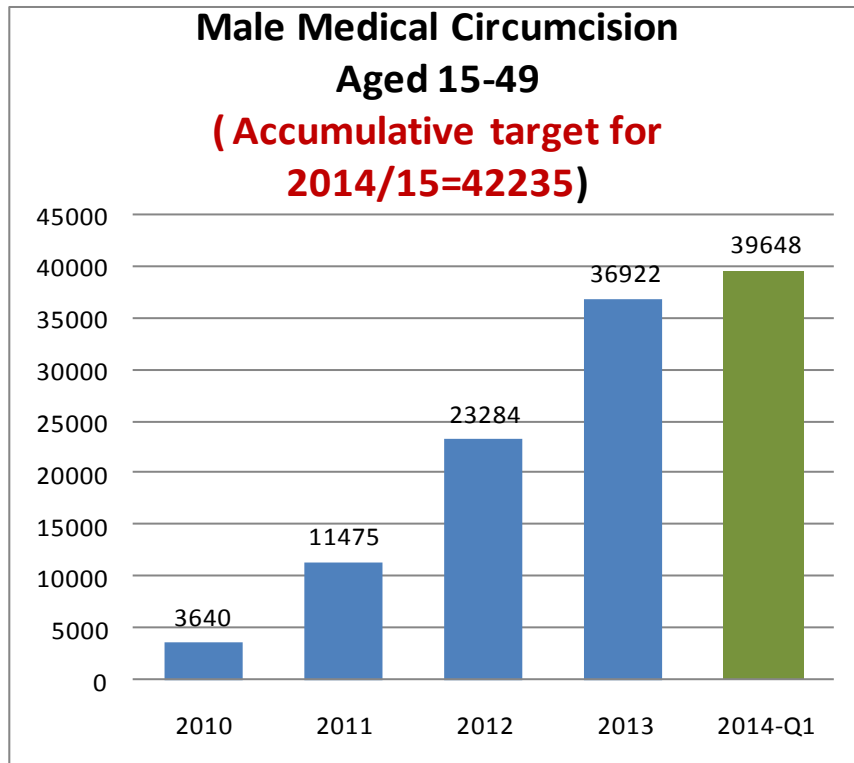
- District was unable to reach the quarterly target of 78 386 for female condoms distribution.
- Facilities who did not reach their targets have been identified and have plans to upscale their performance which will be monitored closely by the District team.

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INTERVENTION AREA: MALE MEDICAL CIRCUMCISION

**The District is 2587 short of
2014/15 annual target**



What has the District done:

- Partnership with NGOs on MMC Camps
- Mass mobilization through OSS
- Mobilization by MMC Traditional Coordinators

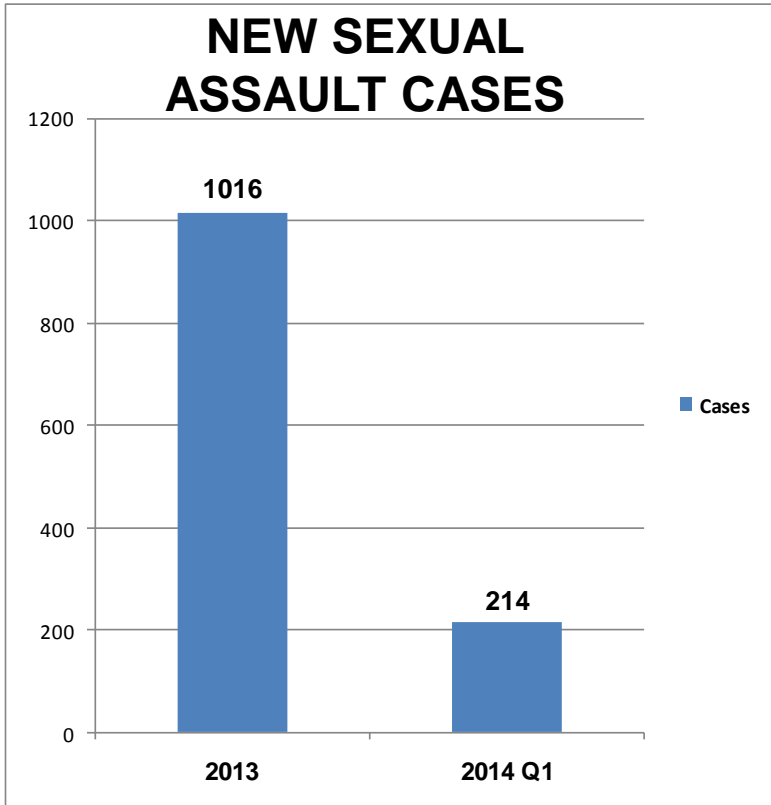
Scale-up activities that the District will embark on:

- Facilitate Isibaya Samadoda dialogues to promote MMC
- Implement “Phila ndoda uvikele umndeni wakho” campaign
- “Bring your male child for circumcision” campaign

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INTERVENTION AREA: PREVENTION OF EXPOSURE TO TRANSMISSION FROM OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE, SEXUAL VIOLENCE



Sexual assault remains a challenge although there is decline in the number when comparing to 2013/14 data.

- 29.4% of the total cases in Quarter 1 2014/15 were children under 12 which is a decline from 39% in 2013/14

What has the District already done:

- The District has identified municipal wards that are most affected and have conducted community dialogues there.

Activities that the District will embark on:

- Multi-sectoral approach by all relevant government departments and other stakeholders to address the psychosocial drivers of sexual assault and women and child abuse in general

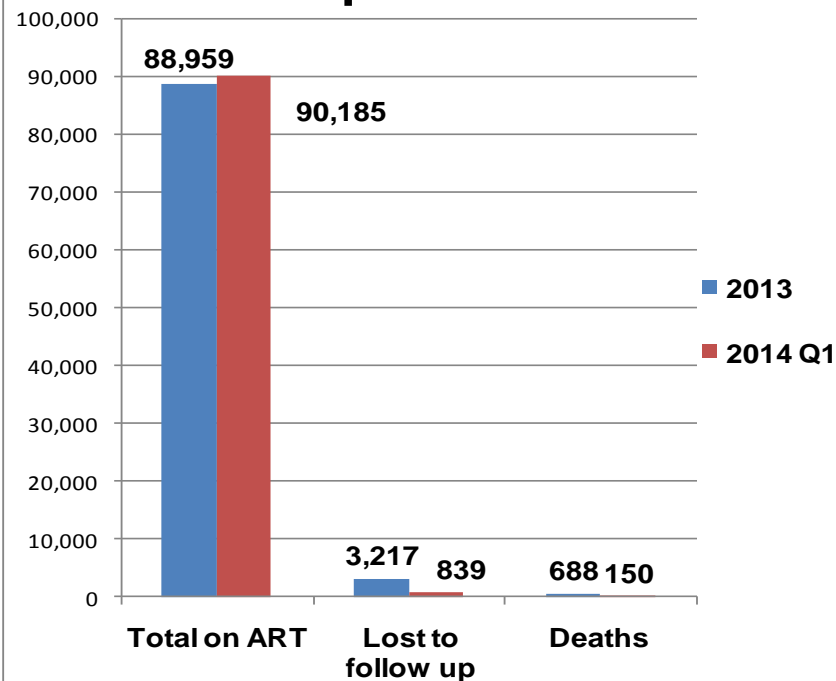
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Strategic Objective 3: Sustain Health & Wellness

INTERVENTION AREA: COMPREHENSIVE ART SERVICES

People On ART



2014/15 Targets:

Total people on ART :100 000

Total new ART initiations: 22524

Loss to follow-up remains a challenge

Deaths due to AIDS are gradually declining

What has the District done:

Introduction of HAST defaulter tracer teams who are tracing TB as well as ART defaulters

Scale-up activities that the District will embark on:

Involvement of Family Health Teams and CCGs in tracing clients.

Empower health care workers to use 3Tier.net reporting system to identify early and late missed appointments to facilitate the tracking system.

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Strategic Objective 5: Coordination, Monitoring & Evaluation

INTERVENTION AREA: COORDINATING, MONITORING & EVALUATION

Reporting	Received
LAC Reporting to the DAC	2
WAC Reporting to the LAC	17

- In order to increase functionality of the WACs and LACs, as a District we are going to engage Education and Training Unit (ETU) to assist with the review of LAC strategies and capacitation of WACs.
- The LACs to report were:
 - Ntambanana
 - uMfolozi

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THANK YOU

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