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NSP Deferment

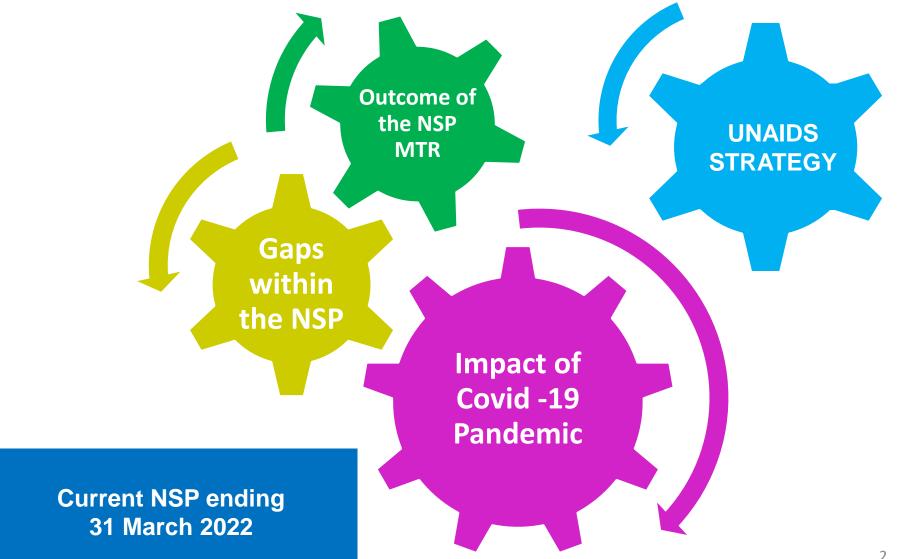




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Will the current NSP enable SA to end AIDS, **TB & STIs by 2030?**



NSP DEFERRAL – SANAC PLENARY RESOLUTION

- The 2-year period of 2021/22 and 2022/23:
 - Develop & Implementation of a Catch-Up plan to revitalise the HIV and TB programme
- The year 2022/23 start the development of the New NSP 2023 - 2028

FOCUS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE NSP: 10 POINT-PLAN

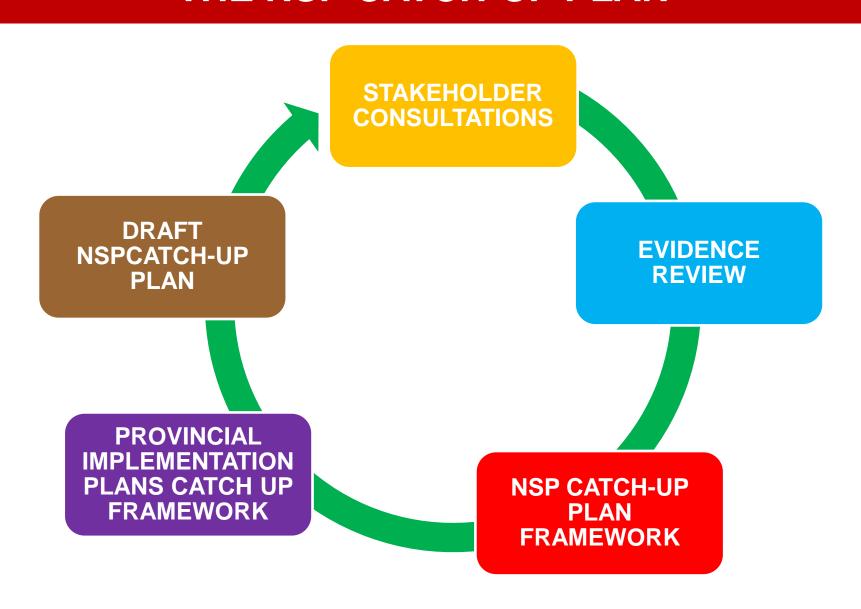
- 1. Revitalise the HIV, TB and STIs **prevention** agenda to reduce new infections.
- 2. Rapidly adapt the HIV Treatment Programmes in response to COVID-19, in line with the World Health Organisation.
- 3. Urgently scale up the Anti-retroviral Treatment programme by initiating new patients and welcoming back people returning after treatment interruptions, while retaining patients already in care.
- 4. Strengthen partnerships and accountability for the HIV, TB and STIs responses.
- 5. Galvanise and reinvigorate political leadership and financing.
- 6. Improve the **multi-sectoral response** and strengthen **community-led responses**.
- 7. Lead interventions that address the **elimination of stigma, discrimination and punitive laws.**
- 8. Spearhead the **integration of HIV, TB, Covid-19** and Universal Health Coverage.
- 9. Lead the **Community literacy** programme for People Living with HIV on **Covid-19 vaccination programme.**
- 10. Take control and measure the **resource allocation and monitoring** of the catch-up plan, including coordination.

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REFERENCE COMMITTEE

- a) the current status of the HIV, TB and STI response taking into account the MTR of NSP, up to date Thembisa and Naomi estimates, and the TB Prevalence Survey Report.
- b) the **impact of COVID-19** on the TB and HIV response;
- the development of TB/HIV/STI priorities for inclusion in the NSP Catch-up plan
- d) the development a clear High Level Action Plan with timelines, M&E Framework.
- e) the allocation of relevant **resources** to the Catch-Up activities (critical enablers)
- f) the identification of **key risks** to the delivery of the Catch-Up plan and **mitigation measures**.
- g) the identification of areas where SANAC could assist in the COVID-19 vaccine rollout program; and
- h) consideration of the implications of COVID-19 and the deferment of the new NSP on the lives of South Africans who are infected with and affected by HIV, to whom every new NSP brings a renewed sense of hope. Consideration should also be given to the implications of the deferment for principal international donors.

PROCESS OUTLINE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE NSP CATCH-UP PLAN



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	Key Activity	Responsibility	Time Frame
1	Secure approval for the deferment of the development of the new NSP 2023-2028 from the DG, Minister of Health, PRC, IMC and Plenary	SANAC Secretariat	March 2021
2	Develop and Implement Communications Plan for the deferment of the NSP Catch up plans	SANAC Secretariat	April 2021 - May 2021
3	Coordinate multi-stakeholder engagement, and development of the 2-year Catch- Up plan (2021 and 2022)	SANAC Secretariat	May 2021 – July 2021
4	Coordinate approval of the 2-year Catch- Up plan (2021 and 2022) through SANAC governance structures	SANAC Secretariat	July 2021
5	Review budget implications for the implementation of the catch-up plans	Lead: SANAC Secretariat Support: Costing TWG, All SANAC Sectors	July/August 2021
6	Coordinate the implementation of the catch-up plans for accelerating progress towards the current NSP 2017-2022 targets	Lead: SANAC Secretariat Support: All SANAC Sectors	August 2021 - March 2023
7	Submit ongoing progress reports to the PRC, IMC and SANAC Plenary on progress with the implementation of the 2-year Catch- Up plan (2021 and 2022)	Lead: SANAC Secretariat Support: All SANAC Sectors	September 2021 – March 2023
8	Develop the new NSP for HIV/TB and STIs 2023-2028	Lead: SANAC Secretariat Support: NSP Steering Committee & All SANAC Sectors	April 2022 – December 2022
9	Launch the new NSP 2023-2028	Lead: SANAC IMC & Plenary Support: SANAC Secretariat	March 2023, on World TB Day

All SANAC Sectors

PCA to NOTE

- To note the approved deferment of the process of the development of the new National Strategic Plan for HIV, TB and STIs to start in January 2022 and not in February 2021.
- To note the approved extension of the term of the current National Strategic Plan, which ends in March 2022, to end in March 2023.
- To note the process outline and timelines for the development of the NSP Catch-up Plan



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