



**HARRY GWALA DISTRICT DAC PRESENTATION  
Q3 2021/22  
DATE: 18 / 05/2022  
VENUE: HARRY GWALA MUNICIPALITY**



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## GOAL 1

### Accelerate prevention of new HIV, STI's and TB

Challenges Q3	Mitigation (Plans to Address Challenge)	Status on actions Taken
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continued Low positivity yield 2.2 % against Provincial norm of 7%</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conduct outreach testing of the targeted Population of 15yrs and above</li> <li>Increase index testing and contact testing.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sub-district performance monitoring done on weekly basis through nerve Centre meetings.</li> <li>Working closely with district support partner to improve the performance.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Both males and female condoms underperformance of 65% males and 26% female.</li> <li>Only Greater Kokstad managed to distribute as per assigned target with NMZ being the poorest performing sub district.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allocated condoms targets to all sub-districts and per facilities for collection and distribution.</li> <li>Weekly monitoring of condoms per facilities.</li> <li>Accelerate female condom distribution to outreach as in high transmission areas (HTA s ).</li> <li>Capacitate women condom use including TVETs.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sub district Condom champions were allocated for each sub-district.</li> <li>All district Anchors carry condoms when visiting facilities for support.</li> <li>Weekly targets for sub districts are monitored during nerve center meetings.</li> </ul>



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## GOAL 1 cont...

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Infant mortality rate	Majority of deaths are babies from birth to 6 days due to extreme Prematurity, gross congenital abnormality not compatible with life need close monitoring and actively managing including use of steroids	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>more effort is put to reduce infant mortality by capacitating health care workers and engaging community for issues related to patient delaying seeking medical assistance resulting in infant death,</li></ul>
Maternal death	To continue with PPIP review meetings as a strategy to reduce and prevent maternal deaths due to preventable causes. Monitor and support PHC facilities on BANC Plus implementation,	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Continued with ongoing monthly district and sub district maternal mortality and morbidity review meetings to improve quality of care and good perinatal outcomes. .</li><li>PHC facility support visit for BANC Plus mentorship</li></ul>
High Teenage pregnancy	AYFS and Multisectoral collaboration and implementation of Youth zone facilities in all high impact facilities to reduce teenage pregnancy.	A District AYH consultative engagements conducted 4th June 2021at UMzimkhulu TVET college whereby all sub-district municipality Youth delegates was represented. To conduct AYGFS through Integrated School Health services.



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## GOAL 2:

Reduce morbidity and mortality by providing treatment, care and adherence support for all

Challenge	Mitigation (Plans to Address Challenge)	Status on actions Taken
High MDR (multi-drug resistant) TB loss to follow up rate.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To intensify patient appointment system.</li><li>• To trace all patients that have missed their appointment early.</li><li>• To engage other stakeholders to assist with retention to care of all patients.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Continuous monitoring of the implementation of appointment system .<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Multi stakeholders engagement done to assist retention to care of all patients.</li><li>▪ Scheduled cross boarder meetings with District Support Partner and Alfred NZO.</li></ul></li></ul>
All high volume facilities struggling in performance on couple year protection rate @ 54 against target of 60% (SRH) limited supply of contraceptives consumables.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Monitoring and supervision of chronic stream on Sexual Reproductive Health service provision.</li><li>• Marketing and provision of FP (family planning) in the female wards.</li><li>• Ensure availability of IUCD( intra-uterine contraceptive device) instruments in all facilities for Loop insertion.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• intensified mentorship of staff trained on IUCD(intra-uterine contraceptive device) and sub-dermal implant insertions .</li></ul>



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CURRENT CHALLENGES	COMMENTS	PLANNED INTERVENTIONS
Infant PCR test positive around 10weeks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 babies tested PCR positive at 10 weeks.</li> <li>2 from Hlokozi clinic 1 in Oct and 1 in Dec all from Ubuhlebezwe sub District.</li> <li>1 child is from UMzimkhulu Sub district Sphamandla clinic.</li> <li>2 mothers seroconverted during Breastfeeding at 10 weeks</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strengthen Marketing of PrEP and other methods of HIV prevention for women during pregnancy and breastfeeding by all clinicians and lay counsellors.</li> <li>Health education on dangers of mixed feeding for all women regardless of HIV status.</li> <li>To strengthen HIV testing for pregnant women at every basic ante natal care (BAN)C visit and postnatal during breastfeeding .</li> <li>Revival of literacy classes for all clients on treatment especially pregnant and breastfeeding women.</li> </ul>
Infant deaths under 5 years	Target not met majority of the deaths occurs in 0-6 days infants due to lack of high care facilities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Monitor and Conduct regular basic ante natal care.</li> <li>Audit mentorship to improve quality of Antenatal care on hypertension management and infections in pregnancy.</li> </ul>



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## SUCSESSES

- Conducted 2 weeks training from (15-26 November 2021) on HIV counselling and testing to THP and PLHIV sectors.
- 12 – 17 year old group started vaccinating on the 20th of October 2021
- Ensured transport is available to vaccination sites.
- Engagement with local government and other stakeholders e.g. local taxi associations, Community development workers, churches , school governing bodies , local leadership structures with regards to Covid-19 booster doses.
- Health care workers conducted mobilization including door to door campaigns for vaccination.
- Convened Isibaya samadoda dialogue led by UMntwana Nhlanganiso Zulu at Gugwini sports field UMzimkhulu on 4 March 2022.
- 09 March conducted community dialogue on teenage pregnancy 250 young girls reached.
- Conducted World TB day at Nkelabantwana hall under Dr. NDZ on 23 March 2022, 300 people reached.



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## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

ACTIVITY	VENUE	DATE	RESPONSIBLE
Child protection week	Daniel Mzamo special school	21/April /2022	DSD/Ubuhlebezwe & HGDM
Dialogue on Teenage pregnancy	Peace Initiative hall	26/05/2022	DOH HGDM
Happy hour for youth	All facilities	Started & ongoing	DOH/ Lifeline & HGDM
Dialogue on social behaviour change in (adolescent girls and young women) AGYW	UMzimkhulu college (TBC)	TBC	DOH/ DSD/ HGDM



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## THPS & PLHIV TRAINING ON HIV COUNSELLING AND TESTING



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# Dialogue on Teenage Pregnancy in Mariathal Combined School



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Teenage pregnancy dialogue at Malenge ward 1 UMzimkhulu





## Isibaya samadoda/ikhosomba lamajita dialogue at Gugwini NMZ Ward 20





# World TB Day at Nkelabantwana ward 10 Dr. NDZ



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