

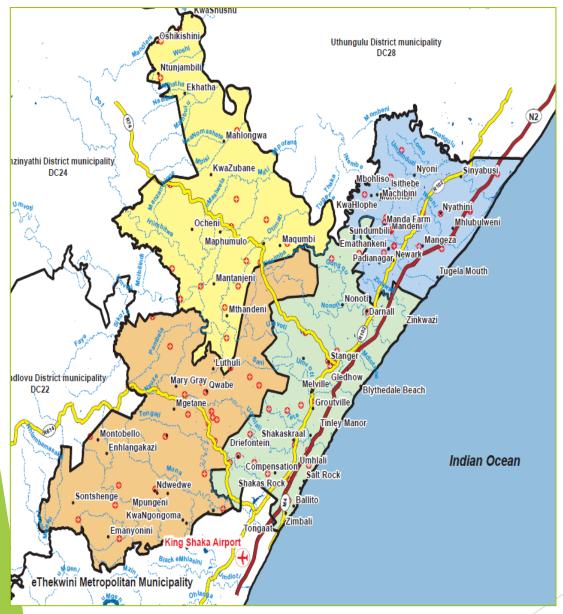
# iLembe District Report For The Third Quarter Of 2021/2022 (October – December 2021)

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Provincial Council on AIDS Meeting Date: 18 May 2022

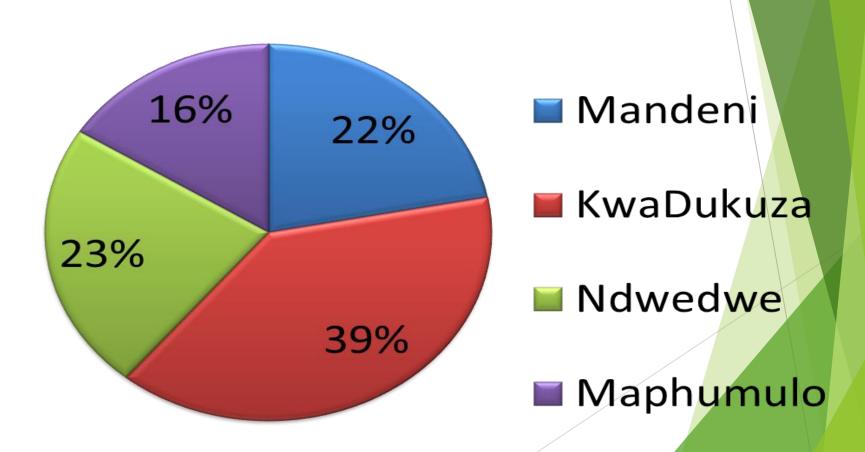
Presenter: His Worship Honorable Mayor Cllr. T.P Shandu

#### **ILEMBE DISTRICT OVEVIEW**

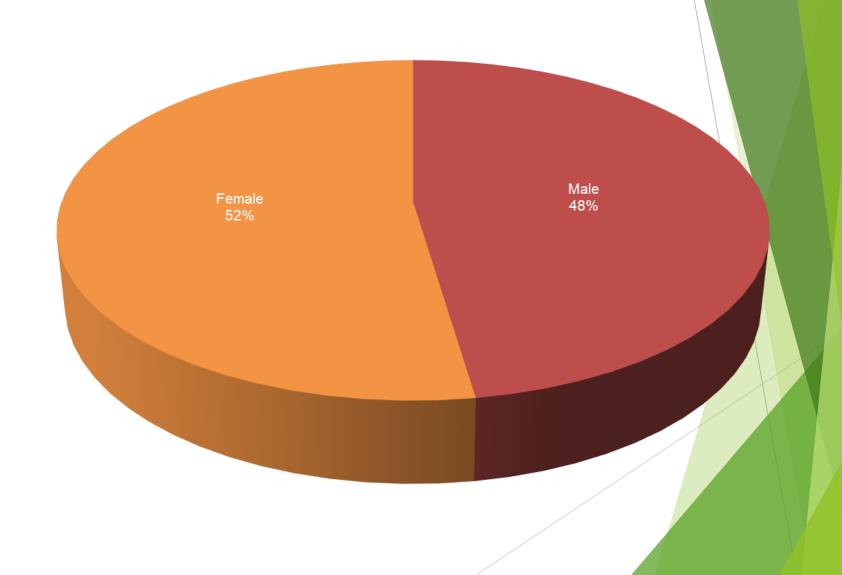


- East Coast of KZN
- Smallest of 10 Districts at 3260km
- Total population 657 612
- 38 Traditional Councils cover 63% of total area.
- Total wards 77
- 4 Local Municipalities, namely, Ndwedwe, Maphumulo, Mandeni and KwaDukuza.

# Percentage Of Population Per Local Municipality % District Population



## DISTRICT POPULATION - GENDER PROFILE



INDICATOR	CHALLENGES	KEY INTERVENTIONS
Mother to child transmission rate at 10 weeks is High at 0,51% vs Quarter 2 0,38%	<ul> <li>Poor viral load monitoring and management during ante-natal and post- natal period</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Enhance in-service education on the importance of viral load monitoring and management during antenatal and postnatal</li> <li>Encourage condom usage, and initiation on PREP in HIV – breastfeeding mothers.</li> <li>Encourage partner testing.</li> </ul>

INDICATOR CHALL	NGES KEY INTERVENTIONS
not o	<ul> <li>CLIMS Officer to target and distribute condoms in the grey areas on top of the normal condom distribution plan</li> <li>Monitor female condom distribution following training that was conducted in Quarter 2</li> </ul>

INDICATOR	CHALLENGES	KEY INTERVENTIONS
<ul> <li>Percentage of children screened for TB symptoms (children &lt;5)</li> </ul>	Target met.	<ul> <li>Enhance community awareness about the signs and symptoms and importance of being screened for TB.</li> <li>Outreach Teams to do TB screening on hard to reach areas working with Oparation Sukuma Sakhe</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>People living with HIV, on ART with viral load suppressed rate</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Poor blood results management</li> <li>Non functional literacy classes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>To discuss importance of treatment adherence during OSS, war rooms, DAC, LAC and WACs meetings</li> <li>Community Health Works to lead community Support Groups assisted by Local Leadership and WACs</li> </ul>

and children living rate. that are struggling	INDICATOR	CHALLENGES	KEY INTERVENTIONS
conduct operation mbo together with DAC, LAC, WAC stakeholders	and children living	rate.	with lost to follow up, conduct operation mbo together with DAC, LAC, WAC

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS/SUCCESSES**

• Ilembe DAC and Civil Society are very active in supporting all programmes that are aimed towards reduction of HIV/AIDS within the district and its family of municipalities.

#### **Ndwedwe Municipality Local AIDS Council**

- ▶ 29 October 2021
- Breast Cancer Awareness was conducted at Hloniphani ECD (ward 12), the focus was on raising an awareness about breast cancer, child protection, Covid 19 awareness, HIV/AIDS and Substance Abuse.
- 23 October 2021
- Farmworkers Program was conducted at Waterfall Sport Ground (ward 3), the focus was on Orphans living in farm dwellings and people working as farmworkers. The program was about Covid 19 awareness, human rights awareness and HIV and AIDS Awareness. Condoms were also distributed.
- ▶ 17 November 2021
- Disability Safety Awareness the campaign was conducted at Nondabula CDC (ward 9) targeting people living with disability
  and those who are taking care of them. The program was about raising an awareness about the disability and also address
  issues of GBV, HIV and AIDS and related matters.
- ▶ 01 December 2021
- 16 Days of Activism the campaign was conducted at Johnny Makhathini Hall (ward 15) its aim was to mobilize individuals and organizations within Ndwedwe LM to call for the prevention and elimination of violence against women and girls
- 08 December 2021
- HIV and AIDS Awareness the aim of this campaign is to ensure that the rights of people living with HIV and AIDS are not violated, and that discrimination on the basis of HIV, AIDS and TB is reduced, and ultimately eliminated

### ACHIEVEMENTS/SUCCESSES

#### Mandeni Municipality Local AIDS Council

- ▶ 01 December 2021
- Covid 19 and HIV awareness for PWDs Mandeni municipality joined forces with the iLembe district
  municipality and DoH embarked on a World Aids Day programme in commemoration of the World
  Aids Day. The event was held at Sibusisiwe Hall, Mandeni Municipality.
- ▶ 12 December 2022
- PLHIV PROGRAMME & Launch of Support Group the Mandeni Municipality in tandem with the Department of Health held a successful HIV/AIDS awareness programme and a launch of the Hlomendlini Support Group the programmer was held at Hlomendlini Hall in ward 04.

#### **Maphumulo Municipality Local AIDS Council**

- ▶ 14 December 2021
- Covid -19 and HIV awareness Asibahlenge and Ward 04 War room arranged Festive Season Programmer Edu-entertainment (Covid 19 and HIV/AIDS awareness).
- ▶ 15 December 2021
- HIV/AIDS awareness at Maphumulo clinic. 68 people attended.
- 20 December 2021
- Covid -19 and HIV awareness campaign at Maphumulo taxi rank. 13 people vaccinated and 70 attended.





On the 07 December 2021 World AIDS Day Commemoration at Hlomendlini - Ward 3





WORLD AIDS day Commemoration at Ndwedwe Local Municipality - Ward 11 went very well PLWHIV sector was facilitating the event.

#### FUNCTIONALITY OF THE DAC, LAC's AND WAC's (Oct 2021 - Dec 2021)

QUARTER	WAC	LAC	DAC
FY 2021/2022 (Oct 2021 – Dec 2022)	Mandeni: All 18 out of 18     WAC's have been     resuscitated	<ul> <li>LAC Meetings were held during Q1, and 2.</li> <li>The next LAC Meeting is scheduled for February 2022</li> </ul>	held during Q1 and 2  The DAC Meeting
	KwaDukuza: All 21 of 29     WAC's have been     resuscitated	<ul> <li>LAC Meeting were held during Q1 and 2.</li> <li>The next LAC Meeting is scheduled for February 2022</li> </ul>	2022 .
	<ul> <li>Maphumulo : All 11 out of 11 WAC's have been resuscitated</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>NO LAC Meeting was held during Q1 and 2.</li> </ul>	
	Ndwedwe All: 15 out 19     WAC's have been     resuscitated,	<ul> <li>LAC Meeting were held during Q1 and 2</li> <li>The next LAC Meeting is scheduled for February 2022.</li> </ul>	

#### OTHER KEY CHALLENGES AND MITIGATION INTERVENTIONS

KEY CHALLENGES	MITIGATION INTERVENTIONS
1. Late submission and non submission of quarterly reports by Sector Departments and LACs to the DAC secretariat.	<ul> <li>To clearly stipulate the time frames for submission of reports, including monitoring and evaluation thereof.</li> </ul>
2. Non functionality of some WAC's in most municipalities.	<ul> <li>Ongoing engagements with all key sectors to conscientise them about the importance of well established WAC's.</li> <li>All municipalities to ensure that items on LAC's and DAC's become standing agenda items in all IGR Meetings.</li> <li>Identification of champions in all local municipalities to provide hands on support in all Ward Aid Councils (WAC's)</li> </ul>
3. Capacity challenges in some of the WAC's	<ul> <li>Identification of other fieldworkers at a local level, to augment the current capacities in all Wards.</li> <li>Ongoing training programmes in all WAC's to stakeholders, on their expected roles and responsibilities</li> </ul>

#### PRIORITIES AND ACTION PLAN FOR THIS QUARTER 4

- Monitor 95 95 95 goals for district
- Monitor the High numbers of Teenage Pregnancy Special age 10 to 19 years old working with all the four Local AIDS Councils.
- Behavioral Change Campaign focusing on programs against GBV,
   High Teenage Pregnancy raters in District, Isibaya samadoda and youth
   Dialogues
- Consultation and Mobilization of all Community stakeholders to Support strategic programs.
- Continuer conducting door to door programs and visiting all the low performing facilities working with District Civil Society.
- Strengthening and reviving of all Ward AIDS Committees
- Visit all Local AIDS Councils Road Shows and induction for all Ward Councils'
- Welcome back loss to follow up campaigns

# **THANK YOU**