Provincial Council on AIDS Q4 January-March 2023

His Worship: Mayor, Clir M Kaunda

Durban City Hall, Mandela Regin

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Resolutions and Progress

Issues raised	Progress	Comment
Recruitment of TB support officers (TSOs) to conduct tracking and tracing of loss to follow up clients	48 TB support officers have been recruited by AURUM.	TSOs are currently underdoing basic TB training. They will be allocated to facilities mid May 2023.
Hijackings of supporting partners vehicles	Supporting partners to provide details of cars that have been hijacked and SAPS case numbers.	TBHIV Care submitted. The Mayor to engage with Hlokomela and security cluster.



HIV Testing and linkage to care

- 10 498 clients tested positive for HIV in Quarter 4 and 9 598 were linked into care which is 91.4% linkage rate.
- HIV positivity yield remains at 3.4% which is low against the target of 4.5% however, HIV tests conducted in this quarter increased by **3120** clients.
- Active tracing of all previously initiated clients and defaulted is continuing at facilities for linking back into care through welcome back campaign.
- 27 Peer Educators and 14 Adherence Officers have been placed in facilities to strengthen adherence and retention in care.
- Facilities continue with index contact testing for all biological children and partners.
- Community testing by supporting partners and outreach teams is ongoing.
- Targeted testing to reach key and vulnerable population is ongoing.



PREP and Condom distribution

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PREP

- 11 737 adolescent and young people were initiated on Prep in Quarter 4 compared to 7 096 in the previous quarter which is a total of 4 641 increase.
- 10 659 Key and Vulnerable Populations were initiated on Prep in Quarter 4 compared to 9 342 in the previous quarter which is a total 1 317 increase.

CONDOM DISTRIBUTION

- 7 974 000 male condoms were distributed in quarter 4 as compared to 13 263 571 that was distributed the previous quarter
- 516 600 female condoms were distributed in quarter 4 as compared to 761 569 that was distributed in Q3.
- The decline in performance emanates from the shortage of stock as delivery was only received on the 1st week of April.

Uptake of health services by Men

Headcount (Jacobs)	114
Number of males tested for HIV	87
Number of males tested positive for HIV	02
Number of males screened for STIs	55
Number males treated for STIs	08
Number of males screened for diabetes	114
Number of males screened for hypertension	114
Number of males screened for erectile dysfunction	12
Number of Medical Male Circumcision performed	10
Number of condoms distributed	1740

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- 964 sexual assault case were reported in quarter 4 of which 274 were children under 12 years.
- Total sexual assault cases dropped by 39 in quarter 4 compared to the previous quarter.
- Hotspot areas remain the same in every quarter with an addition of Hlengisizwe CHC (16) in quarter 4

-RK Khan 296

-Prince Mshiyeni 239

-Mahatmah Ghandi 262

-Addington hospital 134

-KwaMashu CHC 14

Teenage pregnancy

- 44 babies were delivered by mothers (10-14 years) compared to 47 in the previous quarter
- 2 070 babies were delivered by mothers (15-19 years) compared to 1 916 in the previous quarter, an increase of 154.
- 27 Learner Support Agents have been placed in 27 high schools through
 the Cluster Model supported by TBHIV Care to market health services in the
 local catchment area for easy referral of learners to the Clinics where Peer
 Educators have been placed.



4 060 new clients were started on treatment out of the 4 220 clients that were identified which translates to 96% linkage rate.

TB deaths dropped by 34 as 188 was reported in Q4 as compared to 222 that was reported in Q3

TB loss to follow up cases increased from **362** that was reported in Q3 to **452** that is reported in Q4

TB success rate is at 83.3% in Q4 which is 1.3% improvement from Q3



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Teenage pregnancy Dialogue







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Men's health activation - Jacobs



