SNAPSHOTS

HIV Epidemic in Asia and the Pacific

UNAIDS
**SNAPSHOT 2018**

**ASIA AND THE PACIFIC**

**Treatment cascade, 2017**

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<th>Number of people</th>
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Source: Global AIDS Monitoring 2018 and UNAIDS 2018 Estimates

*China, India and Indonesia do not report viral load testing data in 2018 GAM reporting. Estimated 55% of PLHIV who are on treatment in 13 reported countries had tested for viral load in the past 12 months.*
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- **Condom use at last sex (%)**
  - **MEN WHO HAVE SEX WITH MEN**: 65%
  - **PEOPLE WHO INJECT DRUGS**: 32%
  - **FEMALE SEX WORKERS**: 83%

- **Needles and syringes distributed (per PWID per year)**
  - **MEN WHO HAVE SEX WITH MEN**: 54
  - **PEOPLE WHO INJECT DRUGS**: 125
  - **FEMALE SEX WORKERS**: 42

- **HIV testing coverage (%)**
  - **MEN WHO HAVE SEX WITH MEN**: 54
  - **PEOPLE WHO INJECT DRUGS**: 44
  - **FEMALE SEX WORKERS**: 42

**Resource availability and Fast-Track resource needs in Asia and the Pacific**

**Legal barriers to the HIV response remain in 38 UN Member States in Asia and the Pacific**

- **37** countries in Asia and the Pacific region
  - **38 countries in the region**
  - **10** countries with punitive laws

Source: UNAIDS, UNODC, UNFPA, UNDP: Punitive Laws Hindering the HIV Response in Asia and the Pacific (2016 June update)