LESS DISCRIMINATION, BETTER SERVICES, MORE SUPPORT!

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Estimated 240,000 PLHIV

Estimated 887,000 PWID

Unprotected sex and unsafe injecting drug use: primary drivers of HIV epidemic

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Estimated 208,000 PWID living with HIV/AIDS

HIV prevalence of 23.5% among PWID

POOR HEALTH SEEKING BEHAVIORS

Lack of safe & enabling environment

Legal Restrictions

Socio-cultural restraints

Contextual limiting factors

Low quality of service provision/delivery

Low availability of services

Difficult access to services

Legal

Stigma

Gender

Religious

Social norms

Socio-economic

Legal

Risky behaviors

Shortage

Demographic

Deficient anti-stigma & discrimination strategies

Punitive laws on sex and drugs

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