

### AIDS IS NOT OVER IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

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## Journey of AIDS by the numbers

### Since the beginning of the epidemic -

### Globally...

75 million people have become infected with HIV (Population size of Turkey)

32 million people have died from AIDS-related illnesses (Population size of Canada)

#### In Asia and the Pacific...

12 million people have become infected with HIV (Almost twice the population size of Lao PDR)

6 million people have died from AIDS-related illnesses (Population size of Singapore)



### Asia and the Pacific Fast-Track Targets

By 2020

**Fewer than** 

90 000

new infections

More than

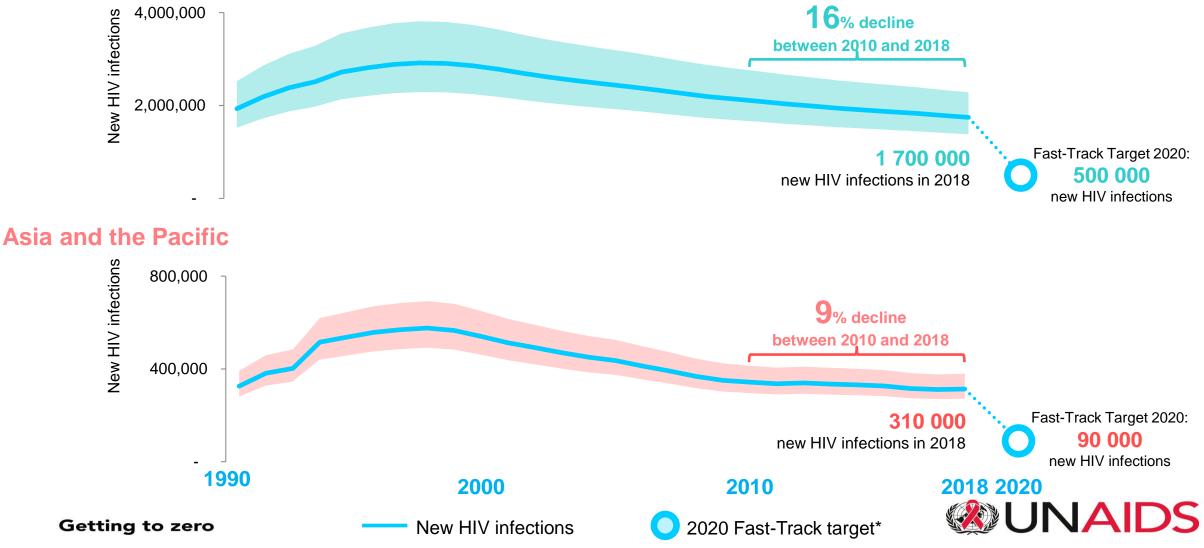
4.2 million

on treatment

**ZERO** 

discrimination

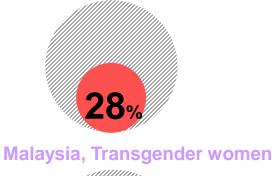
HIV response has achieved notable success in declining new infections globally and regionally, but during the past 8 years the decline in new HIV infections has stalled

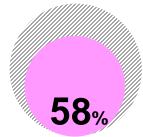


## Mind the gap: use innovations to maximize prevention

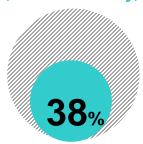
### Prevention gap, select countries and populations

Philippines, Men who have sex with men



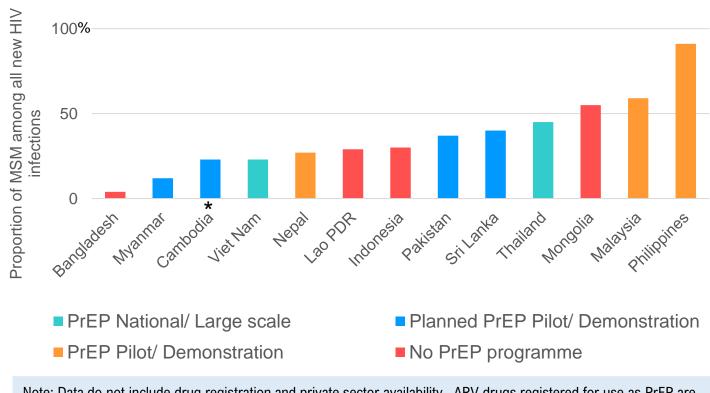


PNG, Port Moresby, Female sex workers





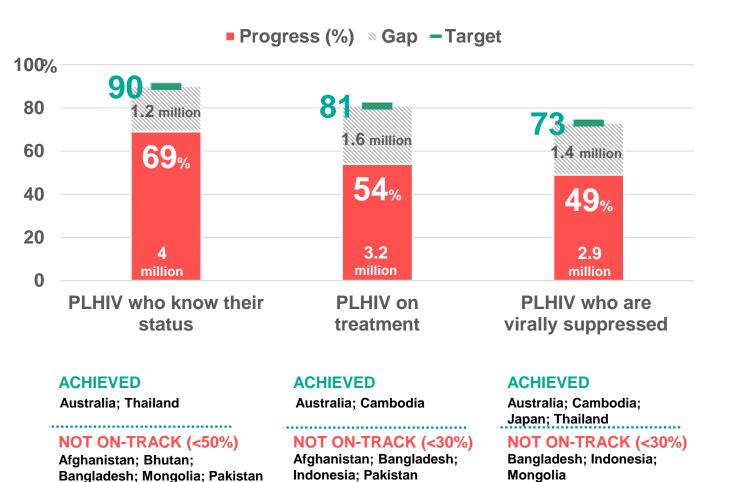
Proportion of MSM among estimated adult new HIV infections and availability of PrEP in select countries, as of June 2019



Note: Data do not include drug registration and private sector availability. ARV drugs registered for use as PrEP are available in the private sector in several countries including Malaysia, the Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam; India and China are not included in the above graph since disaggregated new HIV infections data for MSM are not available. India has completed a PrEP demonstration project. China has a current demonstration project. \*Cambodia has recently been rolling out PrEP

### Regional overview: Treatment target and gaps

HIV testing and treatment cascade, Asia and the Pacific, 2018



90-81-73 target 83 78 64 66 49 45

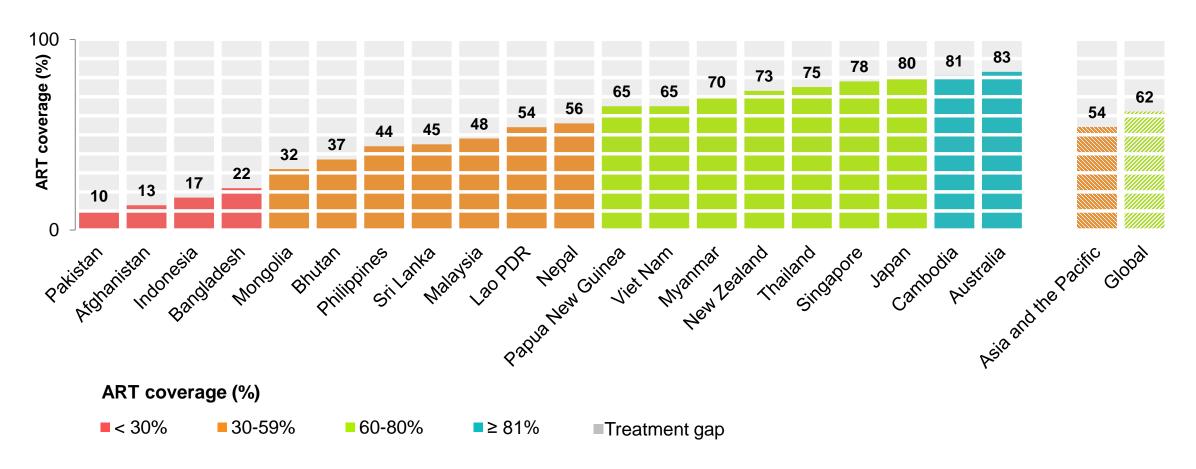
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Getting to zero



## Current treatment scale-up has made significant achievement but the region is lagging behind the global trend

#### ART coverage and treatment gap, Asia and the Pacific, 2018

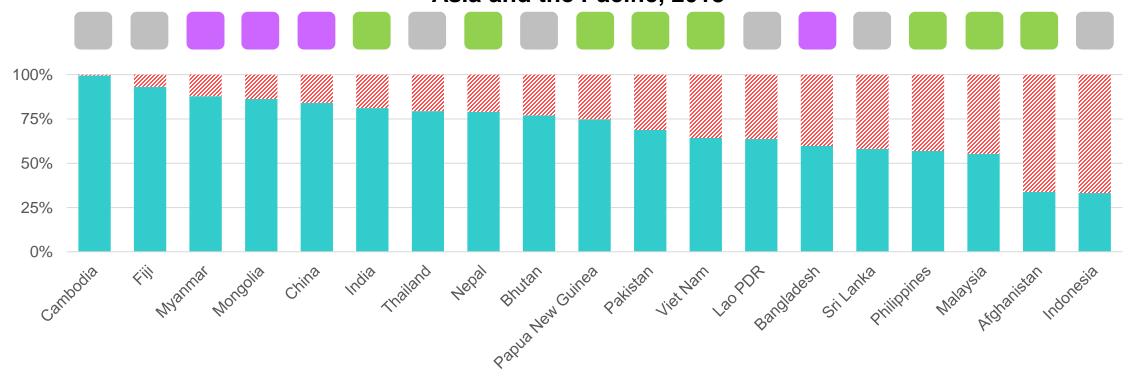




## Same day ART initiation: a call to prevent onward transmission and AIDS-related deaths

Proportion of PLHIV who know their HIV status by treatment and by policy on same day initiation of ART,

Asia and the Pacific, 2018

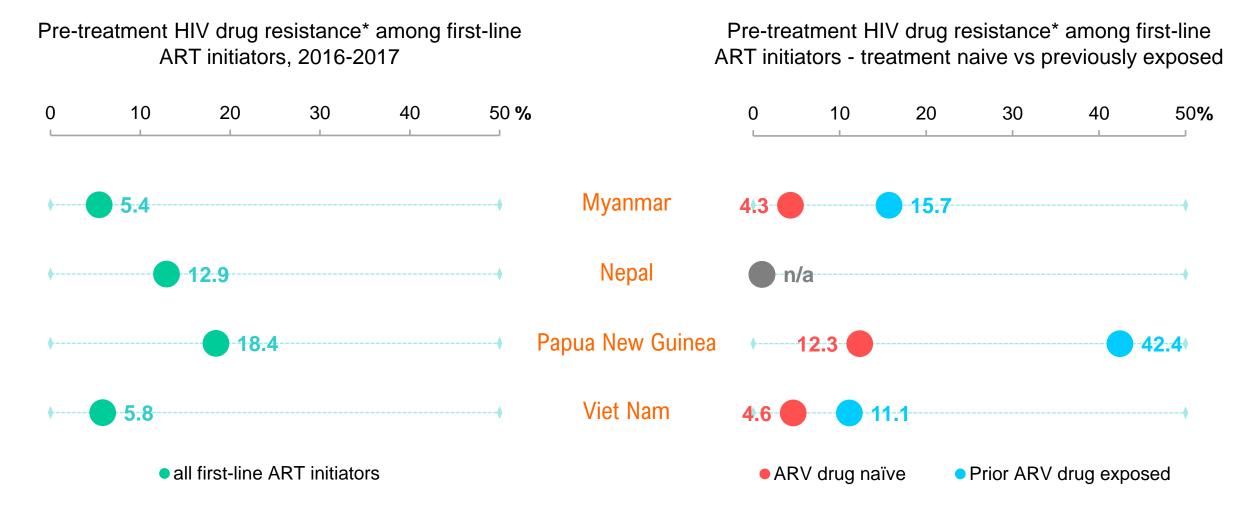




Possible to start ART on the same day as HIV diagnosis NOT possible to start ART on the same day as HIV diagnosis No info



## HIV drug resistance: an urgent need to address the leakages in treatment continuum, and improve quality of treatment services



\*Estimated HIV drug resistance to any type of ARV drugs



## Support countries to put in place guarantees against discrimination in law, policies, and regulations

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

37

criminalize some aspect of sex work

16

criminalize same-sex relations



confine people who use drugs in compulsory detention centres



impose death penalty for drug-related offences



impose some form of HIV-related restriction on entry, stay or residence

Recent ground-breaking decision by India's Supreme Court strikes down law criminalizing LGBTI people

#### REPORTABLE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CRIMINAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION (CRIMINAL) NO. 76 OF 2016

NAVTEJ SINGH JOHAR & ORS. ...Petitioner(s)

**VERSUS** 

UNION OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE ...Respondent(s)

WITH

WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO. 572 OF 2016
WRIT PETITION (CRIMINAL) NO. 88 OF 2018
WRIT PETITION (CRIMINAL) NO. 100 OF 2018
WRIT PETITION (CRIMINAL) NO. 101 OF 2018
WRIT PETITION (CRIMINAL) NO. 121 OF 2018

JUDGMENT

Dipak Misra, CJI (for himself and A.M. Khanwilkar, J.)



### **TB** snapshot

### Globally...

10 million new TB infections of which

0.6 million are MDR/RR-TB infections

1.6 million TB deaths

#### In Asia and the Pacific...

6.84 million new TB infections (+2/3)

0.34 million are MDR/RR-TB infections (1/2)

MDR/RR-TB = Rifampicin Resistant (RR) -TB cases including MDR-TB cases

0.83 million TB deaths (1/2)



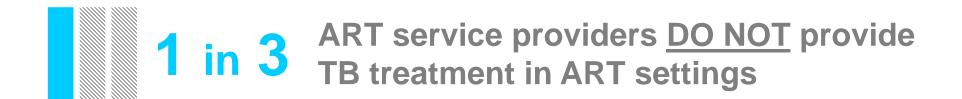
# 11 out of 12 high TB burden countries in Asia and the Pacific also have high MDR-TB burden, 2017

	High TB burden	High MDR-TB burden
Bangladesh	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Cambodia	$\overline{\checkmark}$	
China	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
DPR Korea	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
India	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Indonesia	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Myanmar	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Pakistan	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Papua New Guinea	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Philippines	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Thailand	$\overline{\checkmark}$	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Viet Nam	$\overline{\checkmark}$	



## Lost opportunities in integrating TB and HIV services to save lives by putting more people on TB and HIV treatment, Asia and the Pacific

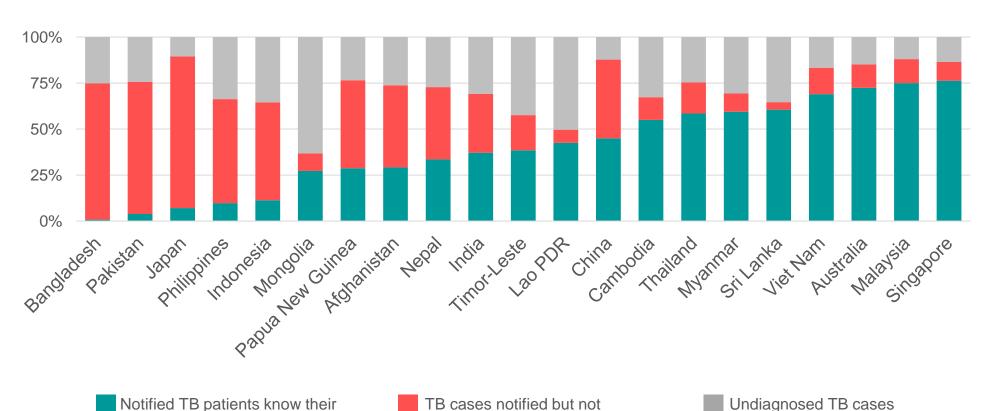






## Integration Gap: TB case finding and HIV testing





tested for HIV (HIV testing gap)

Getting to zero

(TB case finding gap)

HIV status

## 40% of newly diagnosed HIV cases in National Capital Region (NCR) were identified through community-led "LoveYourself" programme

### **LOVEYOURSELF IN NUMBERS**

2,688,102 Website page views \*all time high

108,833 Clients served in centers from 2011 to March 2019

**52,000** Online community of supporters and friends

3,800 Reactive clients enrolled to treatment

1,100 LoveYourself volunteers \*all batches

loveyourself

**6** Community centers

#### **2018 Accomplishments**



40.1%

of all the reported HIV cases in the National Capital Region come from the group's centers.



28,000

clients have been tested on its centers & testing programs.



15.1%

is LoveYourself's contribution to the total reported HIV cases in the Philippines.



1,725

reactive clients were enrolled to its treatment program.

# A community-led model "I Reserve" application in Viet Nam: High yield and 100% enrollment to treatment

"I Reserve" Application: Convenient/confidential booking





- On-line app to link MSM to HIV testing, PrEP++ launched late March 2017
- 8 CSOs in HCMC and 2 CSOs in Hanoi received clients from "I Reserve"
- 208 clients used I Reserve to make appointments; 20 New HIV cases detected
- 98% of those HIV testing are new contacts



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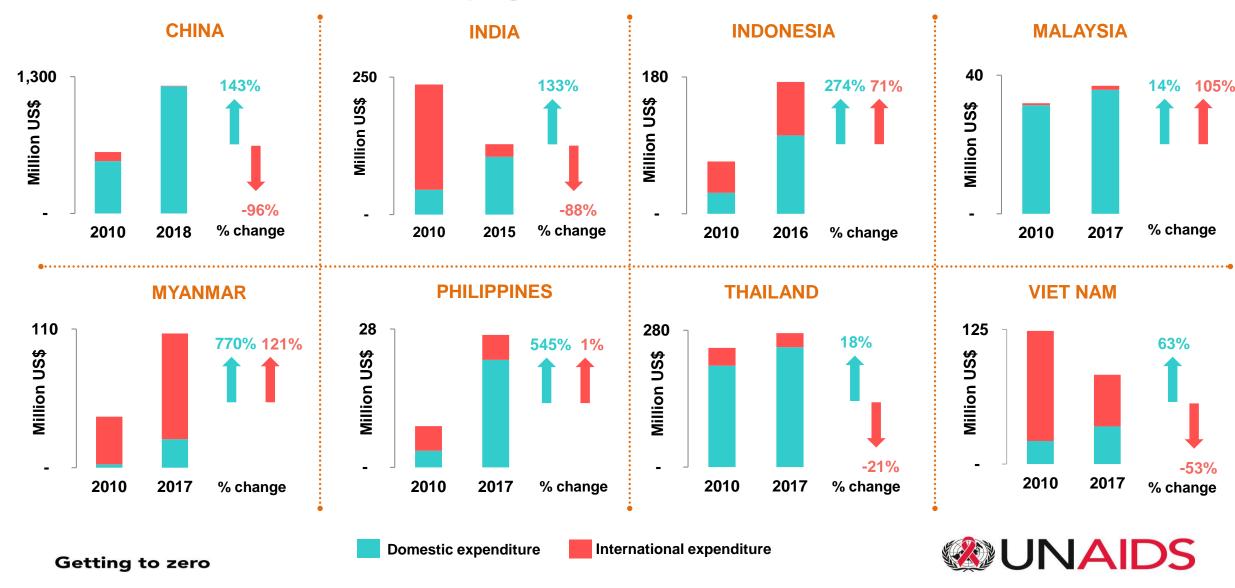




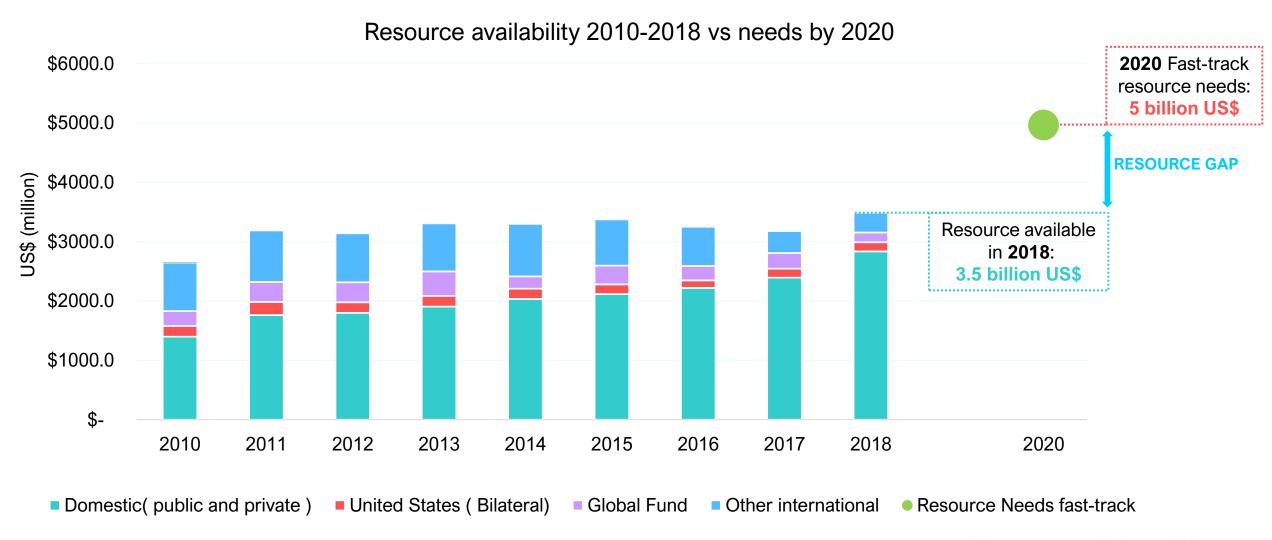




# Increased government investments in AIDS Mostly goes for treatment!



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







### Recognizing the challenges and realities

- Rising epidemics in populations (particularly MSM) and locations continue to be source of concern.
- Limited use of innovative service delivery models and new tools (such as self-testing and PrEP) to reach the hard-to-reach key populations (e.g. young and adolescent MSM).
- Emergence of new challenges in sustaining achievements made in a number of countries (Bangladesh, Malaysia, PNG,...) with signs of resurgence of epidemics in populations and locations where the UNAIDS and cosponsors presence is much reduced.
- Shrinking space for civil society and weakening of its capacity and activism, erosion of human rights and growing conservatism in a number of countries.
- Prevention programmes for KPs are mostly dependent on external funding which is continuously reducing. Domestic resources are mainly allocated for treatment programme
- Sustainability issues for "non-fast" track countries.
- Delay in availability resources [locally and regionally mobilized] affects ability for timely implementation and meeting the expectations of donors and partners.
- Section 377 judgement by Supreme Court in India creates an opportunity for advocacy in region

# DFAT Grant (2018-2020) Scaling-up prevention at country level

5 Areas	Cambodia	Indonesia	Lao PDR	PNG
1) Understanding, assessing and addressing gaps in HIV prevention	<b>~</b>		<b>~</b>	<b>✓</b>
2) Identifying and addressing factors that adversely affect establishing enabling environments for HIV prevention service delivery and behavior change	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
3) Enabling greater engagement of key population groups and civil society	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
4) Expanding outreach and stigma free services for those at risk of HIV infection	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
5) Increasing condom availability and working towards providing PrEP	<b>✓</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>\</b>	<b>✓</b>
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### **CAMBODIA**

Areas	Activities	Partners
Prevention Gaps	<ul><li>Report- prevention gaps, strategies</li><li>Agreed national targets</li><li>Self testing pilot</li><li>EMTCT Roadmap</li></ul>	NCHADS, NAA, GF, PEPFAR, Joint UN Team on AIDS, Linkages -FHI 360
Enabling Environments	<ul><li>Legal &amp; policy barriers and LGBTI service access</li><li>Policy Dialogue</li></ul>	Joint UN Team on AIDS, CCHR, ROCK
Enable engagement of CSO & KPs and stigma free services	<ul> <li>Stigma Index development, training for PLHIV &amp; KPs and implementation in 6 provinces</li> </ul>	NCHADS, Linkages FH 360, PEPFAR, Population Council, CPN+
Increasing condom availability and PrEP	PrEP pilot for MSM & TG women in Phnom Penh	NCHADS, Linkages FHI 360, PEPFAR



### **LAO PDR**

Areas	Activities	Partners
Prevention Gaps	<ul> <li>Review of prevention service gaps targeting KPs</li> </ul>	CHAS, USCDC, UN Team on AIDS, APL+, FHI360, PSI, PEDA, Lao PHA
Enabling Environments	Development of plan to increase access to HIV programs & services for KPs	CHAS, UN Team on AIDS
Enable engagement of CSO & KPs	CSO capacity development plan	CHAS, LPN+, FHI 360, PHA/PEDA, PSI
Expand Stigma free services	Peer led harm reduction program in Houaphan province	Lao Red Cross, CHAS, UNODC, PCCA, Lao PHA
Increasing condom availability and PrEP	National condom plan for KPs	CHAS, Lao PHA, FHI360, PEDA, PSI



### **PNG**

Areas	Activities	Partners
Prevention Gaps	<ul> <li>Decentralized prevention plans in 2-3 prov.</li> <li>Protocol for community based/self testing in 2 Epi consensus workshop KP size estimations</li> <li>eMTCT Roadmap</li> </ul>	NDoH, NAC, WB, PEPFR, CDC, UN Joint Team on AIDS, GF, FHI-360, HIV Advocacy Coalition, Igat Hope
Enabling Environments	<ul> <li>Review for revision of HAMP Act 2003</li> <li>Tool to measure S/D in health care settings</li> </ul>	NAC, UN Joint Team on AIDS, PEPFAR, USAID, NdOH, FHI-360, World Vision, IMR
Enable engagement of CSO & KPs	Strengthen PnG KP Consortium (support governance, develop workplan, fund raising)	NAC, Igat Hope, Friends Frangipiani, Kapul Champions
Expand Stigma free services	Standard package outreach materials	NAC, NDoH, WV, AngloCare, Hope Worldwide, Igat Hope
Condoms & PrEP	<ul><li>Condom review/analysis</li><li>PrEP assessment</li></ul>	NDoH, NAC, FHI360, PEPFAR, USAID, WHO, IMR



#### **INDONESIA**

Area	Activity	Partners
Increasing condom availability and PrEP	<ul> <li>Gap analysis to condom availability and strategy for management/distribution with roles/responsibilities for government &amp; CSOs</li> <li>National advocacy campaign to promote condom use &amp; demand generation especially in key populations</li> <li>Social marketing campaign in 23 priority fast track districts</li> <li>Review of PrEP programs in other countries</li> <li>Compile data on PrEP pilots underway in Indonesia</li> <li>Case for scaling up PrEP in selected sites in 23 priority fast track districts</li> <li>Study tour Vietnam, Thailand to learn about PrEP</li> </ul>	UNFPA, DKT, BKKBN, MoH, CSOs, CBOs, NGOs, USAID, Linkages, WHO, public icons, private sector,



#### Regional level activities to support HIV prevention scale-up

- Coordination, oversight of grant implementation
- Technical outreach and capacity building
  - Scale up PrEP programmes
    - Advocacy, capacity building, integration into NAPs
  - Enhanced prevention for key populations
    - Advocacy, interventions, location-population approach
  - Integration of AIDS into UHC
    - Advocacy, country experiences challenges, solutions



# Australia - key leadership role globally and in the Asia Pacific region

- -Accelerate HIV prevention in the region
- -Leverage the successes in PrEP
- -Link AIDS and health security
- -Highlight AIDS as an exemplar for UHC
- -Pursue North South collaboration



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