

OPENING REMARKS ASEAN CITIES GETTING TO ZERO MAYORS MEETING

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### **Globally, 200 cities account for one-fourth of total HIV infections**



## HIV in Asia and the Pacific is concentrated among key populations, especially in cities



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### 2014 Paris Declaration to end the AIDS epidemic by 2030

PARIS DECLARATION 1 December 2014 (amended 24 July 2018)

### FAST-TRACK CITIES: ENDING THE AIDS EPIDEMIC

Cities achieving the 90-90-90 targets by 2020



DÉCLARATION DE PARIS / LUNDI 1<sup>ER</sup> DÉCEMBRE 2014

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The Fast-Track cities network- the partnership between UNAIDS, the City of Paris, the International Association of Providers of AIDS Care and UN-Habitat, serves to provide support to priority cities to Fast-Track their HIV responses, to deliver on the commitments of the Paris Declaration



### Fast-Track and Ending AIDS city initiatives, ASEAN focus

### Getting to Zero Cities (G2Z) project

-Launched in 2011 as part of "2011 ASEAN Declaration of Commitment: Getting to Zero new HIV infections, Zero discrimination and Zero ADIS-related deaths"

–Flagship initiative of the ASEAN to achieve zero new HIV infections, zero discrimination and zero AIDS-related deaths in Southeast Asia

-Under the "2016 ASEAN Declaration of Commitment on HIV and AIDS: Fast-Tracking and Sustaining HIV and AIDS Responses to End the AIDS epidemic by 2030", ASEAN member states committed to focus on prevention and treatment responses along 90-90-90 and ending AIDS targets

–Expand from **13** pilot sites in 2012 to more than **73** sites across the region by end 2018

# Translating commitment into actions and contributing in achieving global agenda

- Generating local evidence to inform its high-impact intervention
- Reaching people who needs the services most in locations where they can have the greatest impact
- Using its local **resources** and sharing responsibilities
- Identifying local and regional **opportunities** to scale up the response
- Working on home-grown solutions and innovations to address challenges
- Building capacities of local and regional leaders as champions
- Partnering with local **communities**, development partners
- Documenting, sharing and adopting local knowledge and "good practices"



#### Getting to zero

### **Good practices towards ending AIDS in cities**

- Pre-exposure prophylaxis, available in cities like **Bangkok**, is a highly effective prevention choice for people who are at high risk of HIV
- Digital solutions
  - Tanya Marlo the chatbot in Jakarta is a digital solution capable of providing anonymous HIV advice and support, referrals to testing, treatment and care services. It is designed to appeal to young MSM.
- Community-friendly health care services
  - Sundown clinics that offer HIV services in key cities in the Philippines (clinic hours 2 pm to 10 pm).

# Harnessing the AIDS response for healthier, sustainable cities

- Ending the AIDS epidemic in cities will have profound, long-lasting benefits
- AIDS response can play a transformative role, as a pathfinder for broader health and development
- The key characteristics of the AIDS response multisectoral; evidence-based; people-centred approaches; community engagement and leadership; innovations and endurance for solutions; a commitment to human rights and gender equity with the vision of no one be left behind – can be the model for the path towards healthy and just cities

### THANK YOU

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