



**Factsheet 8: Targeted Intervention among Key Population in Nepal, as of July 2014**

**People who Inject Drugs (PWID)**

- Harm reduction program (Needle Syringe Exchange and OST Program) are key interventions among people who inject drugs in Nepal.
- Government of Nepal has been implementing Methadone Maintenance Therapy program through six sites (Tribhuvan University Teaching Hospital, Kathmandu, Patan Mental Hospital, Lalitpur, Bheri Zonal Hospital, Banke, Koshi Zonal Hospital, Morang, Lumbini Zonal Hospital, Rupandehi and Western Regional Hospital, Kaski).
- Namuna, Youth Vision and Save the Children supported NGOs are implementing harm reduction services with

Indicator	Achievement		
	16 July 2011-15 July 2012	16 July 2012-15 July 2013	16 July 2013-15 July 2014
Number of districts covered	23	23	23
Reached through BCC	6,064	11,832	6,570
Condom distributed	226,258	535,824	610,557
HIV tested and counseled	1,731	4,561	5,332
STI diagnosed and treated	2,192	1,111	1,143
Needle/Syringe exchanged/provided	159,892	2,033,101	1,731,095
Newly enrolled on Methadone (Cumulative)	NA	421	404
Newly enrolled on Buprenorphine	NA	550	465

**Men who have Sex with Men (MSM) and Transgender (TG) People**

- The priority targeted prevention intervention among MSM and TG are behavior change interventions, including provision of condoms and lubricants, HIV testing and counseling, diagnosis and treatment of STIs and referral services.
- The Blue Diamond Society is implementing the interventions with the support from Government of Nepal and its pooled fund partners and the Global Fund.

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	16 July 2011-15 July 2012	16 July 2012-15 July 2013	16 July 2013-15 July 2014
<b>Number of districts covered</b>			31
<b>Reached through BCC</b>	40,827	44,496	34,427
<b>Condom distributed</b>	1,123,306	2,012,381	2,046,540
<b>Lubricants distributed</b>	NA	NA	943,123
<b>HIV tested and counseled</b>	8,451	9,810	7,574
<b>STI diagnosed and treated</b>	8,135	8,348	5,426

**Male Labor Migrants and their spouses**

- ⚠ Male labor migrants (particularly to India) in Nepal are at risk for HIV and they may act as a bridging population for HIV transmission to the general particularly their sexual partners.
- ⚠ The priority targeted prevention interventions among migrants and their spouse are behavior change interventions, including provision of condoms, HIV testing and counseling , diagnosis and treatment of STIs and referral services.
- ⚠ Government of Nepal and its partners-Save the Children, AMDA - HAMI Project and Saath- Saath Project are implementing intervention through NGOs among migrants and their spouses.

Indicator	Achievement		
	16 July 2011-15 July 2012	16 July 2012-15 July 2013	16 July 2013-15 July 2014
<b>Reached through BCC</b>	79,076	309,954	285,623
<b>Condom distributed</b>	673,076	1,215,896	2,991,704
<b>HIV tested and counseled</b>	59,415	60,929	42,679
<b>STI diagnosed and treated</b>	40,113	40,701	21,757

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### Female Sex Workers (FSW) and their Clients

- ⚠ FSWs are themselves at risk of HIV and STI transmission due to high number of sexual partners and sexual contacts some of which may be unsafe.
- ⚠ Clients of female sex worker may act as the bridging population for HIV and STI transmission to their sexual partners in case of unsafe sexual contacts.
- ⚠ The priority targeted prevention intervention among female sex workers and clients are behavior change intervention, including provision of condoms, HIV testing and counseling, presumptive treatment of STI-diagnosis and treatment of STIs and referral services.
- ⚠ The Government of Nepal and its partners - Saath- Saath Project and Save the Children are implementing interventions through NGOs among female sex workers. In addition, Saath-Saath Project also provides services to the their clients of female sex workers

Indicator	Achievement					
	16 July 2011-15 July 2012		16 July 2012-15 July 2013		16 July 2013-15 July 2014	
	FSW	Clients of FSW	FSW	Clients of FSW	FSW	Clients of FSW
Number of districts covered					29	25
Reached through BCC	22,573	49,319	28,686	69,631	30,416	77,002
Condom distributed	1,987,163	1,058,879	2,813,118	1,502,802	3,434,421	19,55,697
HIV tested and Counseled	6,066	8,100	7,720	10,553	9,970	11,076
STI diagnosed and treated	6,260	7,915	7,769	729	10,037	595

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### Children Affected By AIDS (CABA)

- ⚠ CABA targets HIV positive children under 18 years of age.
- ⚠ CABA Program is implemented by Government of Nepal in collaboration with Save the Children
- ⚠ Under CABA Support, every HIV infected Child is provided with Ns.1000 per month as education, nutrition and livelihood.

#### CABA -as of 15 July 2014

Indicator	N
Number of districts covered	45
Number of children infected by AIDS (CABA) supported by the essential packages	990

### Prison Inmates

- ⚠ Prison Inmates are also at risk of HIV and STI transmission.
- ⚠ They may act as the bridging population for HIV and STI transmission to their partners in case of unsafe behavior.
- ⚠ The priority targeted prevention intervention among prison inmates are behavior change intervention, including provision of condoms, HIV testing and counseling, presumptive treatment of STI- diagnosis and treatment of STIs.
- ⚠ Youth Power Nepal have been implementing TI services to prison inmates in Pokhara prison, Kaski district, Bharatpur prison of Chitwan district and Damauli prison of Tanahun district respectively in support of Government of Nepal.

#### 1st Shrawan 2070- 15th Baisakh 2071

Indicator	
# of prisoner reached for BCC	762
# of condom distributed to post released	937

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