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#### **Facility Hours and Waiting Times**

#### Facility is Open 24 Hours

No

Open Time M-F:7:00Open Time Sat:NAAverage stop time:15:51

NDoH May 2019 Circular: "Facilities must be open from 5.00 - 19.00, as well as 8.00 - 16.00 on Saturdays."

Time Patients Spend at the Facility?

Patient Responses: 22

Amount of time spent:

5:43

#### This ranks:

- 335 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 38 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 15 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Quarter)

**Earliest Patient Arrival Time** 

Patient Responses: 22

Earliest arrival time

6:10

Patient

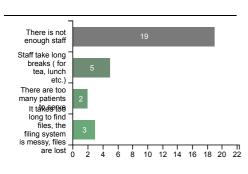
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- 98 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 10 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Top Quarter)
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Are the Queues at the Facility Long?

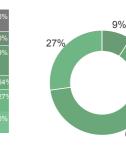
Patient esponses:

91% of patients report long queues



Please specify the other reasons why the queues are long

How Safe is the Facility to Wait Before it Opens?



#### This ranks:

- 82 of 321 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 10 of 34 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)

64%

8 of 18 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

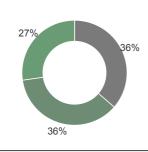
#### **Facility Staff**

#### Are there Enough Staff at the Facility?

 Always:
 36%

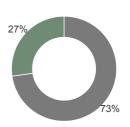
 Sometimes:
 36%

 Never:
 27%



Patient Responses: 22

Are Staff Friendly and Professional?



#### This ranks:

- 223 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- · 22 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)
- 6 of 18 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

# Facility Manager: Does the Facility have Enough Staff?

Facility Responses:1

No

#### This ranks:

- 150 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 8 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Top Quarter)
- 2 of 18 Facilities in the District (Top Quarter)

#### Which Cadres are Understaffed?

Facility Responses:1

Patient

Responses: 22

□ Doctor	☑ Professional nurse	☑ Enrolled nurse
☐ Enrolled nurse assistant	☐ Pharmacist	☐ Assistant pharmacist
☐ Lab technician	☐ Lay counselors	☐ Linkage officers
☐ Adherence club facilitators	☑ Data capturer	☐ Security guard
☑ Cleaner	☑ General assistant	☐ No cadre is understaffed
☐ Dont know	☐ Prefer not to answer	



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#### **Clinic Conditions**

#### What is the Condition of the Building?

#### Building condition was:

## Good

Patient Responses: 22

☐ No light /or lights not working in some areas of the facility	☐ Broken furniture	☐ Broken or cracked roof, walls or floor
☐ No running water at the facility		☐ Old building needs renovation
☐ Rubbish piles	☐ Other	

#### What is the Condition of the Toilets?

Total Observations:1

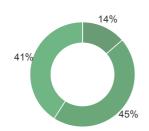
#### Toilet condition was:

Bad

✓ No soap	☐ No water at all	☑ No toilet paper
☐ No light	□ Dirty	☐ Blocked
□ Broken	☐ Out of order	☐ No running water

#### How Clean is the Facility

Very Dirty:	0%
Dirty:	0%
Neither Clean nor Dirty:	14%
Clean:	45%
Very Clean:	41%
Dont know:	0%



#### Facility Manager: Is there enough space in the facility to meet patient's needs?

No Data for this Indicator

#### This ranks:

- 168 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 17 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)
  9 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

#### **Access to Medicines and Shortages/Stockouts**

#### Patient Reports of Medicine Shortage(s)



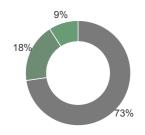


Responses: 16

#### Any Patients left without the Medicine due to **Shortage**

Responses: 22

Yes:	73%
Dont know:	9%



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☑ HIV medicine	☑ PrEP	☐ TB medicine
☑ Contraceptives	☑ Pregnancy Test	✓ Vaccines
☐ Bandages (or other dry stock)	☐ Other medicines or tests	☐ None of the above
☐ Dont know	☐ Prefer not to answer	

#### Contraception shortage(s)

☑ Condoms (male/external)	☑ Female/internal condoms	☐ Birth control pill
✓ Injection	☐ Implant	☐ IUD (interuterine device)
☐ Other	☐ Dont know	☐ Prefer not to answer

#### HIV medication shortage(s)

☐ First Line FDC	☐ DTG-Based First Line FDC	☐ Dumiva (ABC/3TC)
☐ Lamivudine (3TC)	☐ Emtricitabine (FTC)	☐ Abacavir (ABC)
☐ Zidovudine (AZT)	☐ Lobinavir/Ritonavir (LPV/r)	☐ Atazanavir/Ritonavir (ATV/r)
☐ Dolutegravir (DTG)	☐ Nevirapine (NVP)	☐ Other
☑ Don't Know	☐ Prefer not to answer	☐ EFV-Based First Line FDC

#### Facility Staff Reports of Medicine Shortage(s)

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☐ Injection	☐ Implant	☐ IUD (interuterine device)
□ Other	☐ Dont know	☐ Prefer not to answer

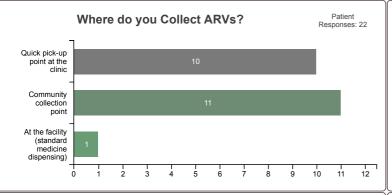
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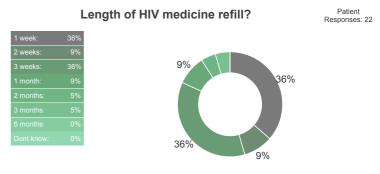
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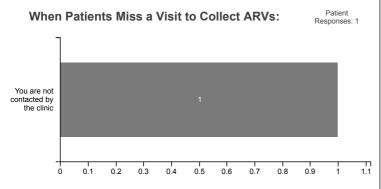


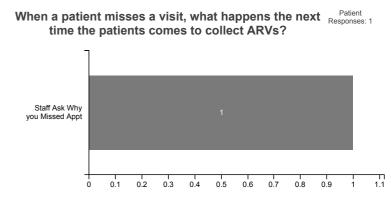
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#### **ARV Collection and Access**









#### Would Patients Like to Collect ARVs Closer to Home?

Patient Responses: 22

82% of patients say they would like to collect ARVs closer to home

- 331 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 34 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 11 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

#### **Adherence Clubs**

If Not in an Adherence Club Already, Are you Aware Responses: 22 of Them at this Facility?

77% of patients are aware of facility adherence clubs

Does the Adherence Club make HIV medicine pick up faster?

No Data for this Indicator

Is there peer support from PLHIV in the club?

No Data for this Indicator

## Adherence Club Staffing

Total Adherence Clubs at Facility: 10 Facility-Based Clubs: 10 Community-Based Clubs: Λ Number of Adherence Club Facilitators: NA Number of Adherence Club Nurses: 3 Adherence Clubs per Facilitator: NA

This ranks:

No Ranking Data Available

Does the Adherence Club provide information about
the importance of taking your HIV medicine?

No Data for this Indicator

Total

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$\hfill \square$ Side effects of medicines	☐ Why patients should adhere to their ARVs	☐ Different medicine options, such as new drugs (ex. Doloutegravir)
□ Other	☑ None	☐ Dont know
□ Profer not to answer		



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### Access to Viral Load Testing / Information

Do Patients Know Their Viral Load?

Patient Responses: 22 Have Patients had a Viral Load Test in the Past Year? Patient Responses: 22

**77%** of patients know their viral load

- 261 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 20 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)
- 12 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

91% of patients report having a viral load test

- 306 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 35 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 15 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Quarter)

#### Did a Health Worker Explain the Viral Load Test Result?

Patient Responses: 20

80% of patients report viral load was explained

- 271 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 31 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 12 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

**Treatment Literacy: Do Patients Understand Viral** Load and their Health?

Patient Responses: 22

77% of patients understand an undetectable viral load means ARVs are working

This ranks:

- 263 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 27 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)
- 13 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

**Treatment Literacy: Do Patients Understand Viral** Load and Transmission?

Patient

68% of patients understand an undetectable viral load means a person cannot transmit HIV

This ranks:

- 248 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 26 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)
- 11 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

#### Confidentiality and Privacy

Have Patients been Asked to Participate in Index Testing?

Patient Responses: 22

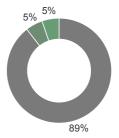




#### Did a Health Worker Tell You You can Refuse to **Participate in Index Testing?**

Patient Responses: 19





- 147 of 372 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 15 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)
- 7 of 18 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

Do Patients Feel this Facility Keep People's HIV Status Confidential and Private?

Patient Responses: 22

94% of patients think the facility keeps people's HIV status confidential and private

#### This ranks:

- 284 of 387 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 31 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 10 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)



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## **Psycho-Social Support for PLHIV**

Is Psycho-Social Counseling Available for PLHIV?

Patient Responses: 21

40% of patients report counseling is available

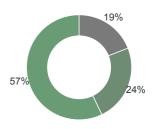
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- 34 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 12 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

#### Is Psycho-Social Counseling Available for PLHIV?

Patient Responses: 21





### **PrEP and DTG-Related Contraceptive Access**

#### What patients are offered PrEP? Select all that apply

☐ Adolescent girls/young women		☐ Men who have sex with men
☐ Sex workers	☐ People who inject drugs	☐ Anyone who is sexually active
☐ Other	☐ Dont know	☐ Prefer not to answer

#### **COVID-19 Disruptions**

Is the clinic currently open during the COVID-19 crisis?

Total Observations:2

# Is the clinic faced with any of the following issues because of the COVID-19 crisis?

Total Observations:1

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☐ There is no physical distancing inside the clinic grounds	☐ There is no physical distancing outside the gates of the clinic	☐ There is no access to soap and water
☐ There is no access to hand sanitiser	☐ Health workers are not wearing masks	☐ Health workers are not wearing masks properly
☐ Chronic patients are not entering the facility — they wait for medicines outside the gates	☐ The facility is not screening people for COVID-19 symptoms	☐ Clinical staff in the facility do not have enough PPE (masks, sanitiser)
□ Non-clinical staff in the facility do not have enough PPE (masks, sanitiser)	☐ CHWs/CCGs do not have enough PPE (masks, sanitiser)	☐ Other
✓ None of the above	☐ There is no access to hand sanitiser	

# Have you had any of the following issues getting healthcare because of the COVID-19 crisis?

Patient Responses: 22

☑ I couldn't get transportation		
to the clinic when I needed it	when I needed it	medicine that I needed
☑ The queue at the clinic was	☐ There were less staff	☐ The clinic not providing the
longer than usual	working than usual	service I needed
☑ There is no physical		☐ There is no access to hand
distancing at the clinic putting me at risk of getting COVID- 19	and water at the clinic	sanitiser at the clinic
□ Other	☑ None of the above	

# Facility Manager: Have you had any of the following issues at your clinic because of the COVID-19 crisis?

Facility Responses:1

	☐ We are experiencing more shortages of personal protective equipment for staff than usual	☐ We can only serve patients at the gate—patients do not enter the facility
	☐ We have higher patient wait times than usual	☐ We are operating with fewer staff than usual
☐ The clinic has been completely closed for a period of time	☐ We can serve less patients than usual	☑ None of the above
□ Other		•



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#### **TB Infection Control**

**Details** Green = 0 No Yellow = 1-2 No Red = 2 + NoClinic Result: YELLOW

Enough room in the waiting area?

Most Recent Observation Yes

Of 430 Facility Observations:

• No: 231

Yes: 199

Time Spent in the Facility after Opening

(pass requires less than 1:15).

No: 5:43

This ranks:

• 347 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)

• 38 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter) • 15 of 18 Facilities in the District (Bottom Quarter)

Were the Facility Windows Open?

Most Recent Observation

Yes

Of 430 Facility Observations:

Yes: 407

• No: 23

Are people being asked for TB symptoms?

50% of patients report: Yes

Yes

• 245 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)

• 8 of 18 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

22 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)

Are people who are coughing in a separate room?

48% of patients report: Yes

No

• 213 of 389 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)

17 of 41 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)

6 of 18 Facilities in the District (Top Half)