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**Earliest Patient Arrival Time** 

## **Facility Hours and Waiting Times**

## Facility is Open 24 Hours

No

Open Time M-F: 8:00 Open Time Sat: NA Average stop time: 15:00

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?

Amount of time spent:

This ranks:

5:32

Responses:

Earliest arrival time

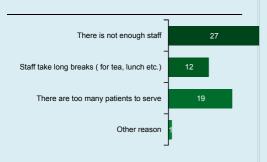
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#### This ranks:

- 126 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 20 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)
- 6 of 11 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

Are the Queues at the Facility Long?

100% of patients report long queues



## Please specify the other reasons why the queues are long

270 of 394 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)

28 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom

5 of 11 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

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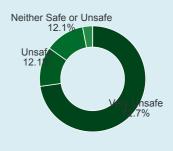
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Responses: 33





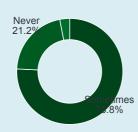
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- · 313 of 340 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 33 of 40 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 5 of 9 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

# **Facility Staff**

## Are there Enough Staff at the Facility?

Sometimes Never Don't know



Responses: 33

Yes

Sometimes

No

Patient

## Are Staff Friendly and Professional?

No 6.1% Yes



This ranks:

- 293 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half) 29 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)
- 6 of 11 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

## Facility Manager: Does the Facility have Enough Staff?

Facility

No

### Which Cadres are Understaffed?

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



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## **Clinic Conditions and Patient Safety**

## What is the Condition of the Building?

# Building condition was:

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☑ Broken furniture	☑ Broken windows or doors	☐ Broken roof or walls	
☐ Other	☐ Don't know		

# How Clean is the Facility



Patient Responses: 33

Very Dirty

Neither Clean or Dirty

Very Clean

- 377 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 43 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 10 of 11 Facilities in the District (Bottom Quarter)

### What is the Condition of the Toilets?

Total Observations:1

Toilet condition was:

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☐ No soap	☐ No water	☐ No toilet paper
☐ No light	☐ Dirty	☐ Blocked
☐ Broken	☐ Out of order	☐ Don't Know

## Facility Manager: Is there enough space in the facility Responses:1 to meet patient's needs?

# Yes enough space

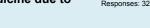
☐ Patients waiting space	☐ Rooms for medical care	☐ Private HIV counseling or testing
☐ Laboratory space	☐ Files	☐ Data capturers
☐ Adherence clubs	☐ Pharmacy	☐ Storage
☐ Other	☐ Don't know	☐ Prefer not to answer

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

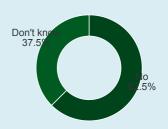
## Patient Reports of Medicine Shortage(s)

No Data for this Indicator

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



No Don't know
Don't know



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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
☐ Don't know	☐ Prefer not to answer	

## Contraception shortage(s)

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

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☐ Injection	☐ Implant	☐ IUD (interuterine device)
□ Other	☐ Don't know	☐ Prefer not to answer

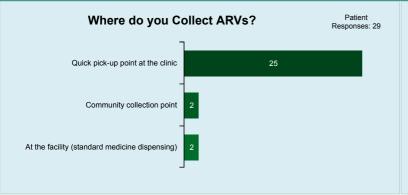
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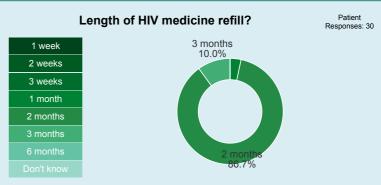
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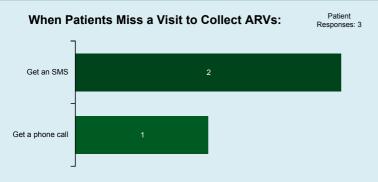


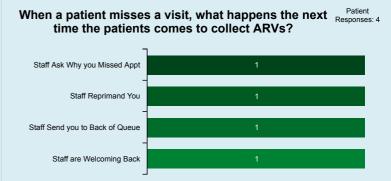
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## **ARV Collection and Access**









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

Patient Responses: 29

**93%** of patients say they would like to collect ARVs closer to home

#### This ranks:

- 291 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 27 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)
- 3 of 11 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

# Adherence Clubs

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

Patient Responses: 30

23% 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:

• Facility-Based Clubs:

• Community-Based Clubs:

0

Number of Adherence Club Facilitators:

NA

Number of Adherence Club Nurses:

NA

Adherence Clubs per Facilitator:

NA

This ranks:

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

No Data for this Indicator

## **Topics Covered in the Adherence Club**

No Data for this Indicator

No Ranking Data Available



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## **Access to Viral Load Testing / Information**

Do Patients Know Their Viral Load?

Responses: 30

Have Patients had a Viral Load Test in the Past Year? Patient Responses: 30

97% of patients report having a viral load test

100% of patients know their viral load

## This ranks:

- 1 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Top Quarter)
- 1 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Top Quarter)
- 1 of 11 Facilities in the District (Top Quarter)

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- 189 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
- 19 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)
- 5 of 11 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

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

Patient Responses: 29

100% of patients report viral load was explained

- 1 of 396 Facilities Nationally (Top Quarter)
- 1 of 45 Facilities in the Province (Top Quarter)
- 1 of 10 Facilities in the District (Top Quarter)

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

Patient

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

Patient

100% of patients understand an undetectable viral load means ARVs are working

Yes

Don't know

- 1 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Top Quarter)
- 1 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Top Quarter)
- 1 of 11 Facilities in the District (Top Quarter)

80% of patients understand an undetectable viral load means a person cannot transmit HIV

- 112 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Top Half)
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- 4 of 11 Facilities in the District (Top Half)

# **Confidentiality and Privacy**

Have Patients been Asked to Participate in Index Testing?

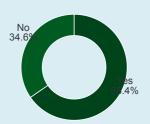




## Did a Health Worker Tell You You can Refuse to Participate in Index Testing?

Responses: 26





## This ranks:

- 226 of 388 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Half)
- 22 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Top Half)
- 9 of 11 Facilities in the District (Bottom Quarter)

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

Patient Responses: 30

100% of patients think the facility keeps people's HIV status confidential and private

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

## Is Psycho-Social Counseling Available for PLHIV?

Patient Responses: 30

93% of patients report counseling is available

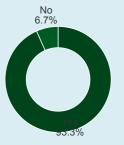
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## Is Psycho-Social Counseling Available for PLHIV?

Responses: 30





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

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

☑ Adolescent girls/young	☑ All women	✓ Men who have sex with
women		men
✓ Sex workers	☐ People who inject drugs	☐ Anyone who is sexually active
☐ Other	☐ Don't know	☐ Prefer not to answer

Are Women Who are On or Switching to Dolutegravir- Responses:1 **Based Regimens Offered Contraception?** 

Yes

## **COVID-19 Disruptions**

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

Yes the clinic is open, and patients can enter the facility

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

☑ 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?

	☑ I couldn't get transportation to the clinic when I needed it	☐ The clinic wasn't open when I needed it	☐ The clinic didn't have the medicine that I needed
	☑ The queue at the clinic was longer than usual	☑ There were less staff working than usual	☑ The clinic not providing the service I needed
	☑ There is no physical distancing at the clinic putting me at risk of getting COVID- 19	☐ There is no access to soap and water at the clinic	☐ There is no access to hand 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?

☐ We are experiencing more stockouts or shortages of medicines that usual	☐ 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 more restricted hours of operation than usual	☐ We have higher patient wait times that 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+ No Clinic Result: RED

Enough room in the waiting area?

Most recent observation: Yes

Of 435 Facility Observations:

- Yes: 208
- No: 227

Time Patients Spend at the Facility?

Amount of time spent: (pass requires less than 1:15).

No: 5:32

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- 28 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)

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Were the Facility Windows Open?

Most recent observation:

Yes

Of 435 Facility Observations:

- Yes: 400
- No: 35

Are people being asked for TB symptoms?

12% of patients report: Yes

No

This ranks:

- 343 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 34 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Half)
- · 6 of 11 Facilities in the District (Bottom Half)

Are people who are coughing in a separate room?

0% of patients report: Yes

No

This ranks:

- 336 of 397 Facilities Nationally (Bottom Quarter)
- 37 of 46 Facilities in the Province (Bottom Quarter)
- 10 of 11 Facilities in the District (Bottom Quarter)

Are there posters telling patient to cover mouth when coughing/sneezing?

Most recent observation:

Yes

Of 435 Facility Observations:

- Yes: 379
- No: 56