

2008 Report on the global AIDS epidemic Errata Sheet

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Chapter 2, page 36: the statement “The proportion of both young women and men (ages 15–24) who had more than one partner in the previous 12 months decreased in 10 countries and remained unchanged in one,” should be changed to “....remained unchanged in two...”.

Chapter 2, page 41: the source for figure 2.9 is “UNAIDS/WHO/UNICEF, Epidemiological Fact Sheets on HIV and AIDS.” July 2008. “

Chapter 2, page 42: the source for figure 2.10 is “Demographic and Health Surveys and other national population-based surveys with HIV testing”.

Chapter 4, page 124: the figure for mother-to-child transmission for South Africa 67% (58%–81%) should read 57% (49%–69%).

Chapter 5, page 142: the title of Figure 5.6, “Relationship between tuberculosis notification rate and HIV prevalence in Zimbabwe, 1990–2005” should read “Relationship between tuberculosis notification rate and HIV prevalence in Zimbabwe, 1990–2006”.

Chapter 5, page 148: the title of Figure 5.11 “Percentage of countries reporting laws, regulations or policies that present obstacles to services for most-at-risk populations” should read “Percentage of countries reporting laws, regulations or policies that present obstacles to services for injecting drug users”.

Resource mobilization for the HIV response, page 183: Figure G title reads “Bilateral and multilateral disbursements to HIV-related programmes in 2006” should read “Bilateral and Multilateral resources available to HIV-related programmes, 2006”.

Same figure:

Left-hand side graphic: sub-title reads “Bilateral and Multilateral disbursements to HIV-related programmes in 2006 (US\$)” should read “Total Resource availability for HIV-related programmes in 2006”.

Same figure:

Add additional footnote: “The organizational disbursements are different than commitments or obligations, as well as different from in-country expenditures”.

Chapter 7, page 190: Table 7.1: title: “Percent Coverage of Antiretrovirals for prevention of Mother-to-Child Transmission, Breakdown by Quartiles (N=113)”, should read “Percent Coverage of Antiretrovirals for prevention of Mother to Child Transmission, Breakdown by Quartiles (N=63)”.

The editors of the Global Report have decided to remove those countries from the tables where the estimated number of persons who need prevention of mother-to-child transmission is fewer than a total of 500 for the country. The methodology does not allow for acceptable precision at these levels of need.

First column: “Less than 25% coverage (61 countries)” should read “Less than 25% Coverage (36 countries)”.

The following countries should be deleted from this table as their total needs estimate is fewer than 500 persons: Algeria, Azerbaijan, Bolivia, Comoros, Costa Rica, Hungary, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People’s Democratic Republic, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mongolia, Morocco, Panama, Philippines, Serbia, Sri Lanka, Tajikistan, Tunisia.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as no data were received in the most recent round of UNGASS reporting or for which UNAIDS/WHO need estimates are not available: Afghanistan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Mexico,

Niger was incorrectly placed in column one and should be listed in column two (25% to 49%).

Second column: “25% to 49% coverage (27 countries)”, should read “25% to 49% coverage (16 countries)”.

The following countries should be deleted from this table as their total needs estimate is fewer than 500 persons: Armenia, Belize, Chile, Guyana, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Poland, Romania, Singapore, Suriname, Uruguay, Uzbekistan.

Third column: “50% to 75% coverage (14 countries)”, should read “50% to 75% coverage (6 countries)”.

The following countries should be deleted from this table because their total needs estimate is fewer than 500 persons: Ecuador, Fiji, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Trinidad and Tobago.

Fourth column: “Greater than 75% coverage”, should read “Greater than 75% coverage (4 countries)”.

The following countries should be deleted from this table because their total needs estimate is fewer than 500 persons: Bahamas, Barbados, Belarus, Cuba, Czech Republic, Georgia, Moldova.

Chapter 7, page 191: Table 7.2: title “Percent coverage of Antiretroviral Therapy for Adults and children with Advanced HIV, Breakdown by Quartiles (N=136)” should read “Percent coverage of Antiretroviral Therapy for Adults and children with Advanced HIV, Breakdown by Quartiles (N=106)”.

The editors of the Global Report have decided to remove those countries from the tables where the estimated number of persons who need antiretroviral therapy is fewer than a total of 500 for the country. The methodology does not allow for acceptable precision at these levels of need.

Column one “Less than 25% Coverage, (55 countries)”, should read “Less than 25% Coverage (45 countries)”.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as the estimated number of people in need of antiretroviral therapy is fewer than 500: Comoros, Malta, Mongolia.

The following countries should be added to this column: Serbia, Sierra Leone.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as no data were received in the most recent round of UNGASS reporting or for which UNAIDS/WHO need estimates are not available: India, Saint Lucia.

The following countries have been inappropriately placed in this column and should be listed in the 25% to 49% column: Angola, Cote d’Ivoire, Nigeria, South Africa, Viet Nam.

Column two: “25% to 49% Coverage (45 countries)” should read “25% to 49% Coverage (40 Countries)”.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as the estimated number of people in need of antiretroviral therapy is fewer than 500: Fiji, Maldives.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as no data were received in the most recent round of UNGASS reporting or for which UNAIDS/WHO need estimates are not available: Cape Verde, Colombia, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Tunisia, United States of America.

Column three: “50% to 75% Coverage (20 countries)”, should read: “50% to 75% Coverage (14 countries)”.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as the estimated number of people in need of antiretroviral therapy is fewer than 500: Luxembourg.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as no data were received in the most recent round of UNGASS reporting or for which UNAIDS/WHO need estimates are not available: Belgium, Dominica, Greece, Sweden.

Column four: “Greater than 75% Coverage (16 Countries)”, should read “Greater than 75% Coverage (6 Countries)”.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as the estimated number of people in need of antiretroviral therapy is fewer than 500: Bhutan, Georgia.

The following countries should be omitted from this table as no data were received in the most recent round of UNGASS reporting or for which UNAIDS/WHO need estimates are not available: Cyprus, Denmark, Germany, Israel, Palau, Portugal, Tuvalu, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The following country should be added to this column: Brazil.

Chapter 7, Figure 7.6, page 203: title of this figure, “Prevention, care, treatment, and antiretroviral therapy expenditures from public and international funding sources—Mozambique, 2004–2006, US\$ millions”, should read “Prevention, care and treatment expenditures from public and international funding sources—Mozambique, 2004–2006, US\$ millions”.

Annex 2, Indicator 4, pages 264–273: Antigua and Barbuda: the total number of persons receiving ART at the end of 2007 is 148 not 30.

Ghana: the percentage of persons with advanced HIV receiving antiretroviral therapy using WHO/UNAIDS methodology (low-high) in 2007 should be 15 (13-19). The Total need estimate using UNAIDS/WHO methodology (low-high) is 87 00 (69 000–110 000).

Indonesia: the total country reported need for 2007 should be blank, instead of ‘0’.

Jordan: the total country reported need for 2007 should be blank, instead of ‘0’.

Latvia: the percentage of persons with advanced HIV receiving antiretroviral therapy using WHO/UNAIDS methodology in 2007 (low-high) should be 15 (9–22).

Lesotho: delete footnote in the column related to ‘number of persons receiving ART at the end of 2007’.

Rwanda: the total country reported need for 2007 should be blank, instead of ‘0’.

Serbia: the percentage of persons with advanced HIV receiving antiretroviral therapy using WHO/UNAIDS methodology (low-high) in 2007 should be 17 (8-30).

Sierra Leone: the percentage of persons with advanced HIV receiving antiretroviral therapy using WHO/UNAIDS methodology (low-high) in 2007 should be 20 (13-30).

South Africa: the number of persons receiving ART at the end of 2007 should read 458 951 instead of 45 895.

Suriname: the total country reported need for 2007 should be blank, instead of '0'.

Trinidad and Tobago: the total country reported need for 2007 should be blank, instead of '0'.

ASS indicator 4, ART table
Changes to country figures

Annex 2, Indicator 4, page 267 For Democratic Republic of the Congo, column "Total need estimated using UNAIDS/WHO methodology" should only be the range [99 000–150 000]. No point estimate available at this time.

Annex 2, Indicator 4, page 269 For Kenya, column "Total need estimated using UNAIDS/WHO methodology" should only be the range [370 000–70 000]. No point estimate available at this time.

Annex 2, Indicator 13, page 297 Sierra Leone: for section "Country Reported 2007 value": change the survey year to "2007", delete the values 25% in both "both sexes 15–24" column and "male 15–24" column, i.e. leave them blank.

Annex 2, Indicator 15, page 301 Peru: for section "Country Reported 2007 value": value "7" should be in "Females" column instead of "Both sexes 15–24".

Annex 2, Indicator 16, page 304 Canada: for section "Country Reported 2007 value": add "2006" for the column "Survey year", add "13%" for the column "Both sexes 15–49".

Annex 2, Indicator 16, page 309 Swaziland: for section "Country Reported 2007 value": change the "Male" column from 23 to 17. Delete all the values under "both sexes".