

# Joint UN Programme for the HIV/AIDS Management



## Background

With the threat of HIV/AIDS undermining efforts to achieve the Millennium Development Goals and National Development targets, the Government of Papua New Guinea endorsed the National Strategic Plan on HIV/AIDS 2006-2010. Because a comprehensive epidemiological database and a systematic mechanism for tracking the epidemic was lacking, it was agreed at the first ever consensus workshop of major stakeholders in Port Moresby in 2004 that epidemiological surveillance and monitoring of the epidemic was critically inadequate and lacking within the national response.

## Purpose of project

The project is supporting Civil Society and Government to effectively manage the response to HIV and AIDS in Papua New Guinea. Specifically, so the country can better advocate, co-ordinate, monitor and evaluate strategic programmes that target vulnerable groups.

## Key results and Reports

1. Civil Society has the capacity to effectively participate in the HIV/AIDS response – and target vulnerable groups with improved advocacy.
2. A National Monitoring and Evaluation system has the capacity to produce quality data on the epidemic.
3. People living with HIV/AIDS have the capacity to be involved in advocacy and other parts of the response effort

## Main activities

1. Providing support and training to HIV NGOs
2. Workshops and training for staff of the National AIDS Council Secretariat and the Department of National Health
3. Training for religious organizations on HIV
4. Training and support for PLWHA

## Contributing donor(s)

UNDP, UNFPA, UNIFEM, UNICEF, Government of Papua New Guinea

## Duration

2009 - 2012

## Total budget

USD 1,890,900

## Project Partners

### Implementing Partner:

UNDP

### Responsible Parties:

National AIDS Council Secretariat and the Department of National Health

### Other Partners:

N/A

## Location

National

## Thematic Area

Corporate Thematic Area: HIV/AIDS

## Millennium Development Goal

Goal 6: Halt and reduce the spread of HIV/AIDS

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