

WORLD AIDS DAY

THE AIDS JOURNEY IN PAKISTAN

HIV/ AIDS CASES BY GENDER - 2016



Women
226



Men
989



Children
16



Transgender
29

DEATHS DUE TO HIV/AIDS IN PAKISTAN (2005-2015)

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14.41%



17.6%

INCREASE IN NUMBER OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS

HIV/AIDS CASES BY AGE GROUP - 2016

18 - 30 658

31 - 40 351

41 - 50 146



The Number of new HIV Infections in Pakistan grew at an average of 17.6 percent per year between 2005 and 2015, making it the highest increase in the world



HIV is an increasing health concern in Pakistan with the growing number of cases. Moderately high drug use and the lack of acceptance of the existence of common non-marital sex has allowed AIDS to become a soon to be epidemic among injected drug users, sex workers and repatriated migrant workers in Pakistan.



COMMUNITY WORLD SERVICE ASIA'S COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAM ON HIV&AIDS

Community World Service Asia conducted Community Awareness programs on HIV & AIDs from 2003 to 2014 to raise awareness on the causes and prevention of HIV/AIDS. These sessions were complimented with sessions on human rights and gender issues among rural and urban communities.

Youth, representatives and students from educational institutes, civil society, NGO workers and other community members participated in these sessions in parts of Sindh and Punjab provinces.

Key Activities

- Organized four community awareness sessions on HIV&AIDS (2 community sessions conducted in Sindh and two in Punjab)
- Organized two Adolescents' sessions cum poster competition in Sindh & Punjab.
- Organized two 3-day Youth Camp with adolescents (conducted one in Sindh & one in Punjab)
- Organized 5-day Training of Trainer (ToT) workshop with staff belonging to civil society organizations working on HIV and AIDS at O'Spring, Murree.
- Organized one day Hands in Hands festival on HIV&AIDS with the energetic youth of Thatta, Sindh.



3768

Number of individuals indirectly benefited in each community served



628

Number of individuals directly benefited in each community served

246
382

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