



UZBEKISTAN

Regional Program "Partnership for Equitable Access to HIV Care Continuum in Eastern Europe and Central Asia"



COMPOSITION OF CONSORTIUM



NGO Anti-Cancer Society
of Uzbekistan



NGO Ishonch va Hayot



PROJECT TERM

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PROJECT PRIORITY TASKS



Ensuring
access to vital
HIV services:
HIV care
continuum



Advocacy
of ensuring
transition to
strategic and
sustainable
state funding
for the
provision of
continuous HIV
care for KAPs



Boosting
coordination
and teamwork
between
different
community
groups at the
regional and
national levels



Activation
of work on
stigma
reduction both
on the part of
the society and
within
communities



KEY ACTIVITIES



Prepared a proposal on the implementation of HIV service standards for PLHIV/KAP, on the basis of NGOs and treatment-and-prevention facilities, including gender-related aspects;



Develop and evaluate the effectiveness of the standard rapid tests on the basis of NGOs and health care facilities aiming to implement them throughout the country;



Gender Roundtable to identify the needs of women living with HIV in Uzbekistan;



Roundtable on the formation of tolerance towards PLHIV and countering stigma and discrimination in the Republic of Uzbekistan



KEY PROJECT ACHIEVEMENTS



Service standards have been developed for PLHIV/KAP and submitted for approval to the Ministry of Healthcare and Social Development



Prepared Declaration on the standards of NGO-based rapid tests



The resolution of the roundtable “The role of women and girls of Uzbekistan in achieving the UN SDGs” was approved; is in the signing process by all stakeholders



The social video “World without Stigma” was filmed



A work plan was developed on the formation of a tolerant attitude towards PLHIV and countering stigma and discrimination in Uzbekistan.



PRIORITY ADVOCACY TASKS FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS

1

To introduce HIV service standards at the republican level, rapid tests for PLHIV/KAP, on the basis of NGOs and health care facilities, taking into account gender-oriented aspects, advocate for their official approval and implementation

2

Implement a national strategic plan on the formation of a tolerant attitude towards PLHIV and countering stigma and discrimination in Uzbekistan.