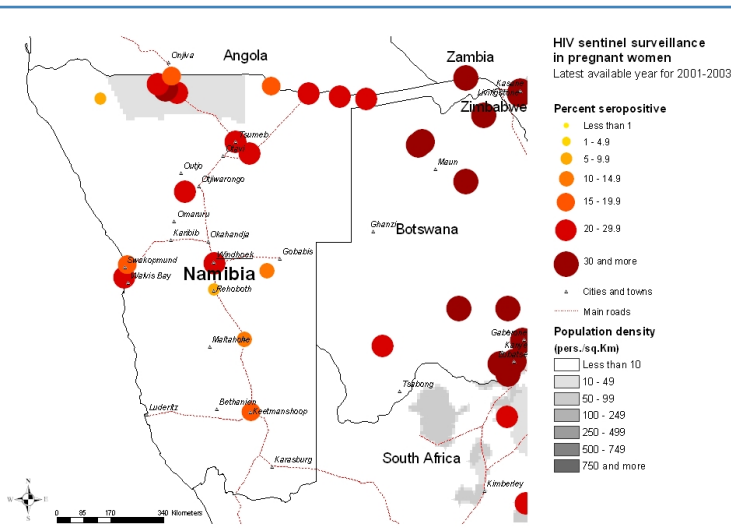


Estimated number of people needing antiretroviral therapy (0-49 years), 2005: **32 000****
 Antiretroviral therapy target declared by country: **not declared**

32 000**



SUMMARY COUNTRY PROFILE FOR HIV/AIDS TREATMENT SCALE-UP

1. Demographic and socioeconomic data

	Date	Estimate	Source
Total population (millions)	2004	2.0	United Nations
Population in urban areas (%)	2005	33.484	United Nations
Life expectancy at birth (years)	2003	51	WHO
Gross domestic product per capita (US\$)	2002	1481	United Nations
Government budget spent on health care (%)	2002	12.9	WHO
Per capita expenditure on health (US\$)	2002	99	WHO
Human Development Index	2003	0.627	UNDP

°= Percentage of young people 15-24 years who correctly identify two major ways of preventing the sexual transmission of HIV (using condoms and limiting sex to one faithful, uninfected partner), who reject the two most common local misconceptions about HIV transmission, and who know that a healthy looking person can transmit HIV.

**=Percentage of young people 15-24 years reporting the use of a condom during sex with a non-regular partner in the last 12 months.

* Government of the Republic of Namibia
 ** The Ministry of Health and Social Services along with the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimate that 57 000 people needed antiretroviral therapy at the end of 2004.

2. HIV indicators

	Date	Estimate	Source
Adult prevalence of HIV/AIDS (15-49 years)	2003	18.2% - 24.7%	WHO/UNAIDS
Estimated number of people living with HIV/AIDS (0-49 years)	2003	180 000 - 250 000	WHO/UNAIDS
Reported number of people receiving antiretroviral therapy (0-49 years), 2005	Jun 2005	19000	Government
Estimated number of people needing antiretroviral therapy (0-49 years), 2005	Dec 2004	32 000**	WHO/UNAIDS
HIV testing and counselling sites: number of sites	Sep 2005	186	Ministry of Health
HIV testing and counselling sites: number of people tested at all sites	2004	22,000	CDC
Knowledge of HIV prevention methods (15-24 years)% - female°	2000	31	DHS
Knowledge of HIV prevention methods (15-24 years)% - male°	2000	41	DHS
Reported condom use at last higher risk sex (15-24 years)% - female**	2000	48	DHS
Reported condom use at last higher risk sex (15-24 years)% - male**	2000	69	DHS

3. Situation analysis

- Epidemic level and trend and gender data
- Major vulnerable and affected groups
- Policy on HIV testing and treatment
- Antiretroviral therapy: first-line drug regimen, cost per person per year
- Assessment of overall health sector response and capacity
- Critical issues and major challenges

4. Resource requirements and funds committed for scaling up treatment and prevention in 2004-2005



5. Treatment and prevention coverage

6. Implementation partners involved in scaling up treatment and prevention

Leadership and management

Service delivery

Community mobilization

Strategic information

7. Staffing input for scaling up HIV treatment and prevention

WHO's response so far

Key areas for WHO support in the future

Staffing input for scaling up HIV treatment and prevention