SRI LANKA
COUNTRY SNAPSHOT, 2018

EPIDEMIC SNAPSHOT 2018 | SRI LANKA

- People living with HIV (PLHIV)
  - Low estimate: 3,000
  - High estimate: 4,200
- Women living with HIV
  - Low estimate: 1,000
  - High estimate: 1,400
- New HIV infections
  - Low estimate: <200
  - High estimate: <200
- People on ART (2017): 1,299
- AIDS-related deaths
  - Low estimate: <200
  - High estimate: <500

Source: Global AIDS Monitoring 2018 and UNAIDS 2018 Estimates

NEW HIV INFECTIONS TREND

26% decline* between 2010 and 2017

* Country with fewer than 200 new infections.
Source: UNAIDS 2018 HIV Estimates

HIV PREVALENCE (%)

- TRANSGENDER PEOPLE
  - National
  - City

- MEN WHO HAVE SEX WITH MEN (2016)
  - National: 1.5
  - Colombo: 1.7

- PEOPLE WHO INJECT DRUGS (2016)
  - National: 0.0
  - Sub-national: 0.0

- FEMALE SEX WORKERS (2016)
  - National: 0.0
  - Sub-national: 0.0

Source: Serological surveys and Global AIDS Monitoring 2017

TREATMENT CASCADE, 2017

- Estimated PLHIV: 3,500
- PLHIV know their status: 2,391
- PLHIV receiving care: 1,299
- People on ART: 1,081
- Tested for viral load: 1,003
- Suppressed viral load: 1,003

* Number of people on ART who received a viral load test in the past year and have viral load of <1000 copies/ml
Source: Global AIDS Monitoring 2018 and UNAIDS 2018 Estimates
# Prevention of Mother-to-Child Transmission (PMTCT), 2017

- Estimated pregnant women living with HIV: n/a
- Pregnant women living with HIV who received ARVs for PMTCT: n/a

Source: Global AIDS Monitoring 2018 and UNAIDS 2018 Estimates

## Key Populations

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<td>7,551</td>
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<td><strong>Behaviour and Response:</strong></td>
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<td>Condom use at last sex (%)</td>
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<td>Safe injection practice (%)</td>
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Source: Global AIDS Response Progress Reporting and Global AIDS Monitoring 2018

## Stigma Index

Percent of PLHIV respondents who avoided going to a local clinic when needed because of HIV status: n/a

## Punitive Laws

- Criminalization of same-sex sexual activities: YES
- Compulsory detention centres for people who use drugs: YES
- Criminalization of sex work: YES
- Criminalization of HIV transmission or exposure: NO
- HIV related restrictions on entry, stay and residence: NO