

# TB AFFECTED COMMUNITY & CIVIL SOCIETY CONSULTATION ON POST-2021 UNAIDS STRATEGY

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## Background & Context

- TB remains the biggest killer of PLHIV and we have a joint obligation to our communities to strengthen TB responses among TB/HIV.
- Less than 10 years to reach our common goal of ending AIDS and TB by 2030.
- United Nations High Level Meetings (UNHLM) for HIV/AIDS, TB and Universal Health Coverage held in last 4 years – each resulting political declaration contain commitments to TB and HIV coinfection.
- UNAIDS has been tasked to develop the next global AIDS strategy - the road map for the world to end AIDS as a public health threat by 2030.
- We must ensure that TB/HIV priorities are well represented in the new global HIV response – in terms of strategy, governance, implementation and accountability.
- UNAIDS has invited Stop TB to contribute to this process.

**We need to hear your voices, as the TB affected community and TB civil society, to inform our inputs.**

# TB Priority Issues

- **PREVENTION** - In the context of HIV Strategy, prevention of HIV should also include prevention of TB/HIV
- **SCREENING & TESTING** - Screening and testing for TB for among PLHIV and TB/HIV Key populations at every possible opportunity, using the best tools available
- **DATA** - Monitoring of TB mortality among PLHIV, enhancing data collection, taking steps to realizing TB/HIV data in real time
- **BARRIERS TO AN ENABLING ENVIRONMENT** - Consideration of and investment in legal, gender, stigma (and other related social barriers) and economic barriers to accessing TB services
- **FUNDING** - current funding landscapes for TB & HIV are uncertain. There will be a need to leverage opportunities to strengthen TB/HIV responses through COVID responses
- **COVID, TB & HIV ADVOCACY & RECOVERY PLANS** - joint TB/HIV high level advocacy in multilateral forums. The impact of COVID means there is a need to get TB/HIV responses back on track
- **PARTNERSHIPS & SYNERGY** - closer strategic relationship between Stop TB Partnership and UNAIDS

# Questions for Consultation

- What is working well and should continue at the scale and quality necessary to have impact?
- What is not working and should be stopped?
- What are we not doing that we have to start doing?





Thank You