Incidence of HIV/AIDS

Metadata for MDG Indicators
National Bureau of Statistics of the Republic of Moldova (NBS)

Definition	Number of new HIV infections per 100 thousand inhabitants.
Revised National MDG	*MDG 6.* Combating HIV/AIDS, TB and other diseases.
Unit of measurement	cases
Calculation formula	$$I_{HIV} = \frac{N_{HIV}}{P_{tot}} * 100000$$ where: I_{HIV} - number of new HIV infections per 100 thousand inhabitants during the reference period; N_{HIV} - total number of HIV cases notified during the reference period; P_{tot} - total average annual number of stable population during the reference year.
Level of disaggregation	Data are available for the whole country, as well as by: - sex; - age groups
Dissemination periodicity	Annually
Timeliness	March 1 after the year of reference
Revision	Data are final when being disseminated for the first time.
Data source	1. Statistical Survey on "*Infectious and parasitic diseases*", Ministry of Health. 2. Demographic Statistics, number of stable population, NBS
Comparability at the international level	Calculation methodology is in compliance with the recommendations of the World Health Organization. For details see health metadata: http://www.statistica.md/public/files/Metadate/en/Sanatate_en.pdf
Comparability over the time	Data are available starting with 1987. Starting in 1995 the toolkit for data collection was revised to collect information on the contingent of persons infected with HIV/AIDS in general and by age groups
Coherence with other statistics (correlated indicators)	Number of new cases of HIV infection among 15-24 years-old population per 100 thousand inhabitants of the respective age. Number of persons subject to HIV test, especially during the pregnancy period

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