

Children and AIDS fact sheet: Costa Rica

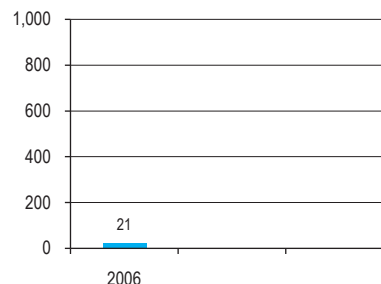
Estimated adult HIV prevalence rate 0.4%

Source: UNAIDS, 2008

PREVENT MOTHER-TO-CHILD TRANSMISSION OF HIV

Antenatal care coverage	90%
Source: Instituto Nacional de Estadística y Censos, 2002–2007	
Estimated number of births per year	75,000
Source: UN Population Division, 2008	
Estimated number of HIV+ pregnant women	<100
Source: UNAIDS/WHO, 2009	
Number and % of HIV+ pregnant women receiving ARVs for PMTCT	21
Source: MOH, 2006	
	[13% – 50%]*

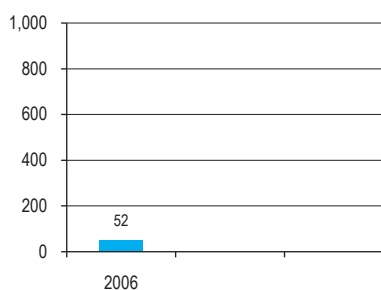
Number of HIV+ pregnant women receiving ARVs for PMTCT



PROVIDE PAEDIATRIC HIV TREATMENT

Estimated number of children living with HIV	–
Number and % of infants born to HIV+ women receiving cotrimoxazole prophylaxis within 2 months of birth	40 43%
Source: MOH, 2006	
Number and % of infants born to HIV+ women receiving a virological test for HIV diagnosis within 2 months of birth	40 43%
Source: MOH, 2006	
Estimated number of children in need of ART	–
Source: UNAIDS/WHO, 2009	
Number and % of children in need receiving ART	52
Source: MOH, 2006	
	[53% – >95%]*

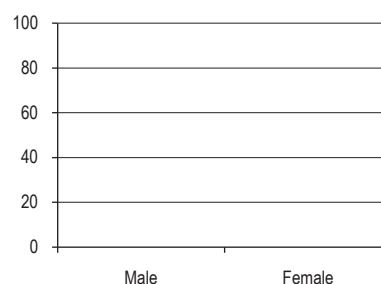
Number of children in need receiving ART



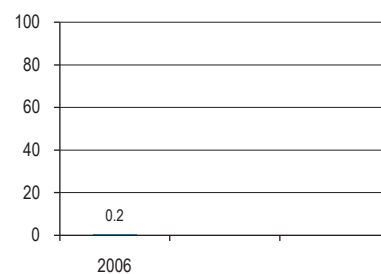
PREVENT INFECTION AMONG ADOLESCENTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Estimated HIV prevalence among young people aged 15–24	M: 0.4%	F: 0.2%
Source: UNAIDS, 2008		
HIV prevalence among most-at-risk populations	FSW: 0.2%	IDU: –
Source: UNAIDS, 2008		
Knowledge of HIV prevention among young people aged 15–24	M: –	F: –
Sex before age 15 among young people aged 15–19	M: –	F: –
% of young people aged 15–24 who had sex with more than one partner in the last 12 months	M: –	F: –
Condom use at last sex among young people aged 15–24 with multiple partners	M: –	F: –
% of sex workers who used a condom with their most recent client	M: –	F: 92%
Source: UNAIDS, 2008		
% of IDUs who used sterile equipment at last injection	–	–
% of men who used a condom the last time they had sex with a male partner	–	71%
Source: UNAIDS, 2008		

% of young people aged 15–24 with multiple partners and who used a condom at last sex



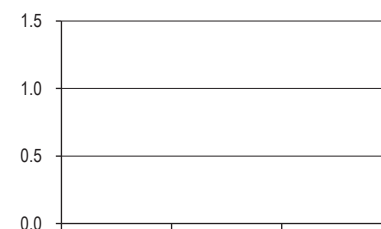
HIV prevalence among female sex workers (%)



PROTECT AND SUPPORT CHILDREN AFFECTED BY HIV AND AIDS

Estimated number of children orphaned by all causes	36,000
Source: UNAIDS, 2008	
Estimated number of children orphaned by AIDS	–
Estimated number of double orphans by all causes	<500
Source: UNAIDS, 2008	
Orphan school attendance ratio	–
% of orphans receiving external support	–

Orphan school attendance ratio



M/F = male/female; FSW = female sex workers; IDU = injecting drug users. Dash (–) means data not available.

* Represents the uncertainty range around the estimates.