

All In for Adolescents in Jamaica

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The Context

- All In begins with Jamaica's National Development Plan – Vision 2030
Goal 1: A healthy and stable population
- Jamaica's National Strategic Plan for Sexual Health and HIV 2014-2019 recognizes adolescents and young people as vulnerable and calls for a collaborative approach across sectors with a focus on building resilience among key adolescent populations.

Key Challenge

- Limited strategic focus on adolescents has prevented Jamaica from taking a much more direct approach to addressing the epidemic among the cohort as adolescents are most often included among the 15-24 age group.

Key Opportunities

- Develop an evidence-based case for investment in adolescents in keeping with global frameworks to which Jamaica is aligned including “Fast Track” and the “90-90-90” frameworks.
- A joined-up approach to ending AIDS among adolescents. (Ministries of Health, Education and Youth in collaboration with civil society and adolescents)



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UN Commitment

- The UN is committed to “All In!” at the highest level
- All In! is on the Joint Team for HIV work plan for 2015
- All agencies are key stakeholders in this process as we all have responsibilities that link to the AIDS response for adolescents
- However, we continue to work on improving engagement among the country team

THANK YOU!



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