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# HIV CARE AND TREATMENT LINKAGE MONITORING TOOL

Private Health Sector Project



## Instructions

- All HIV positives identified shall be linked to HIV care and treatment services with standard referral form,
- Document all HIV positives (New and Known) when referring to care and treatment service in this register,
- For known HIV clients, it is important to categorize further into i) *Known but not linked*, ii) *Known and on pre-ART*, iii) *Known and on ART* and iv) *Known on ART but discontinued*.
- Unless they are currently on ART, it is important to link/ refer all known positives for ART initiation.
- Provide adequate counseling on importance of early treatment initiation,
- Mention list of facilities providing HIV care and treatment services (public and private)
- Inform the client about confirmation of linkage to treatment service and take correct telephone number.
- To confirm linkage to treatment and care, either call the client or referred facility ART service and document the result preferably Unique ART Number (UAN),
- This logbook is to be placed at VCT clinic or ART clinic as all HIV positives identified are referred centrally through HIV focal persons.
- Write important information about each client on the remark section.

## Flow diagram for HIV positives linkage to treatment and care



