

HIV/AIDS Prevention Group BELABELA

Presentation of Activities

- ▶ Normal day-to-day activities are done in BelaBela township and all the satellites of: Spa Park, Vingerkraal, Masakhane and Settlers
- ▶ Activities and services rendered are:
 - Daily awareness and information campaigns
 - HCT counselling and testing
 - Home Based Care, DOT support and transport
 - Adherence counselling for PHC clinics, Hospital and HAPG Wellness Clinic
 - HAPG Wellness Clinic with advanced adherence support for individuals

Link between HAPG activities and services rendered

- ▶ All services are interlinked:
 - ▶ Awareness campaigns refer community members to HCT counselling and testing, TB screening and TB investigations
 - ▶ Home Based care is a support system for individuals in the community who need extra care be it short-or long term involving TB DOT support, TB screening in homes, HCT at home, adherence counselling in the homes as well as adherence support and/or TB tracing and tracing lost ART patients

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Link between HAPG activities and services rendered to the community/2

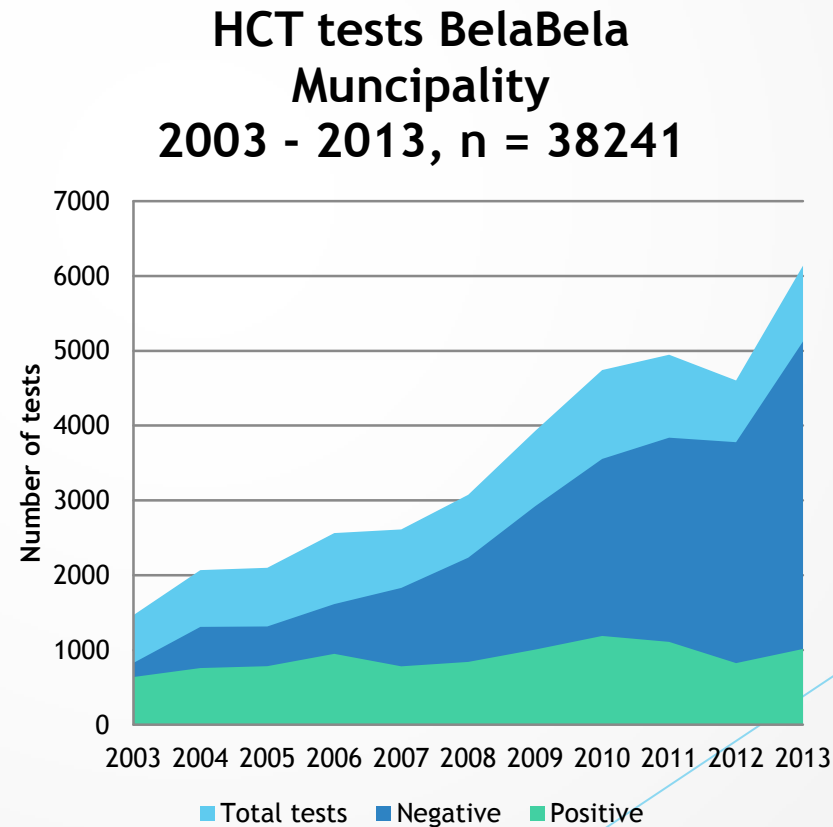
- ▶ HCT and adherence counselling feed into the Wellness Clinics and prepare patients to start HAART as well as individual advanced adherence support
- ▶ HAPG Wellness Clinic provides psycho-social and medical support to registered patients including patients from the PHC clinics when necessary
- ▶ The transport service is a support system offered to the different activities and services rendered.

Activity outcomes

- ▶ Awareness Campaigns:
 - ▶ 1st quarter 2014:
 - ▶ 8213 for HIV
 - ▶ 7993 for TB
- ▶ Home Based Care
 - ▶ DOT support: 1246 Visits.
 - ▶ ART patients: 2664 visits
- ▶ NO TB patients in Vingerkraal and Masakhane since July 2013

HCT counselling and testing

- ▶ HCT counselling 1st Q 2014
 - ▶ 1583 HCT tests performed with 80 positive tests (5.05 %)
 - ▶ Including 386 pregnant women with 41 HIV positive (10,62 %)



Adherence counselling in preparation for HAART for all Wellness Clinics in BelaBela

- ▶ Referrals for adherence and preparation for HAART
 - ▶ Hospital 14 patients
 - ▶ Town Clinic 50 patients
 - ▶ PHC LM 66 patients
 - ▶ HAPG Wellness 70 patients

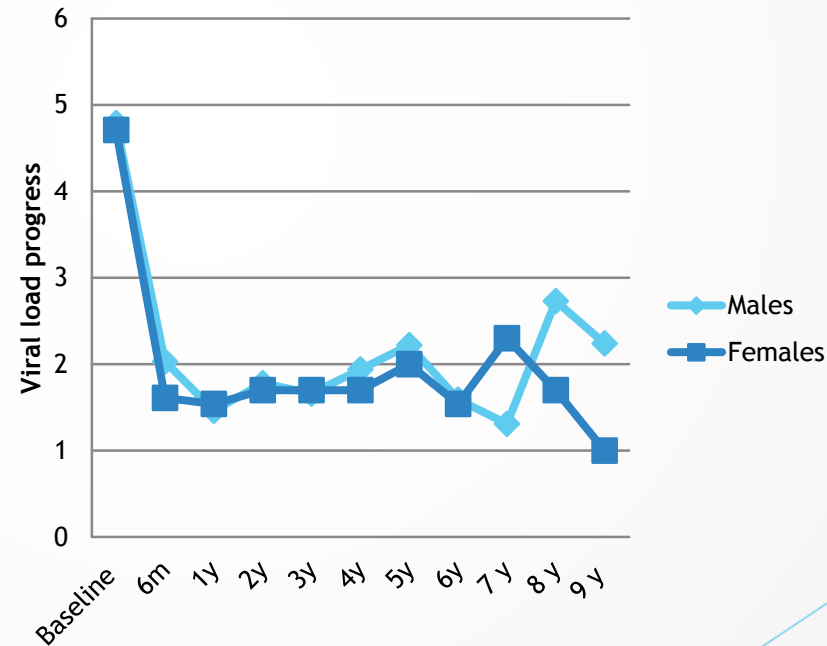
249 sessions were completed for individual advanced adherence. Thirty patients completed the 1year training.

HAPG Wellness Clinic

End of 1st Quarter 2014:

- ▶ Total registrations 583
- ▶ Total on HAART:434

Progress Log Viral Load Adults
n=317 (M118, F 199)



Annual plan

- ▶ No major changes to the existing plan and activities
- ▶ Some accents are needed:
- ▶ Engage in digital data collection in the coming months
- ▶ HBC to include info on WASH
- ▶ Assistance to strengthen the TB Clinic in the PHC
- ▶ If possible integrate TB in Wellness Clinics
- ▶ Intensified TB screening in the homes
- ▶ Community care for MDR TB patients
- ▶ Strengthen adherence to HAART to avoid MDR HIV

Thanking you!