



Kindly note that the Service Specifications 2024/25 (issued 9 October 2023) excluded the following specifications, and business plan proposals are also invited for the following:

HIV and AIDS Support

HIV and AIDS Prevention, Care and Support Services (HIV and AIDS 001)

CATEGORY OF SERVICE:	Promotion and Prevention, Protection, Mental Health, Rehabilitation and Continuing Care
SERVICE DESCRIPTION:	Provision of HIV and AIDS prevention, care and support services to the target population in order to improve quality of life
AIM:	To render integrated services aimed at mitigating the social and economic impact of HIV, STI's and TB and also contribute to the reduction of risky behaviour exacerbating the spread of HIV
DISTRICTS	Gert Sibande, Nkangala and Ehlanzeni
TARGET GROUP	Orphans and Vulnerable children, People living with HIV and AIDS, Families affected by HIV and AIDS, adolescent girls and young women, Youth, Older persons, Persons with disability, Key population, vulnerable group, LGBTI, men and boys

SERVICES REQUIRED

OBJECTIVES	OUTPUT	TYPE OF SERVICES
Prevention Reduce risky behaviour through the implementation of programmes that build resilience of individuals,	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increased HIV knowledge in DSD target populations• Minimised new HIV infection• Positive values instilled• Decreased risky sexual behaviour• Sustained positive behaviour	Awareness Programme Capacity Building and SBC Programmes Facilitation Services Social Intervention EXAMPLES:

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<p>families and communities (Social and Behaviour Change Programmes)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enabling environment for beneficiaries created • Rights of OVCY protected • Prevention (SBC) programmes marketed and implemented • Community systems strengthened • Reduced vulnerability • Stigma and discrimination reduced • Information disseminated • Healthy life style promoted • Parent child communication enhanced. • Access to services improved • Human rights promoted • Gender right based and gender equity promoted • Gender and power relations addressed • Gender Based Violence awareness created • Underlying causes fuelling the epidemic of HIV, TB and STI addressed • Key population and vulnerable groups empowered • Child right based approach adopted • Awareness on HTS created. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life skills education for children and youth • Parenting programmes • Social and behaviour change services • Advocacy services • Development and dissemination of Information • Awareness campaign on HIV, TB and STI's • Community conversations • Recruitment and training of facilitators • Risk reduction services • Adolescent young people empowerment • Assessment of risk perception • ART support services • Community mobilisation • Sensitisation of service providers • Prevention of sexual exploitation • Commemorate calendar events
<p>Early Intervention Provide early intervention services to Key population, vulnerable groups and people infected and affected by HIV and AIDS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and interests of people infected and affected by HIV and AIDS protected • Rights and interest of key population and vulnerable groups promoted • Supportive environment for children in need of care created • Risk and vulnerability identified • Early intervention services available • Informed communities. • Community support services accessible • Well managed and sustained services • Effective participation of management committee • Guidelines implemented 	<p>Capacity Building and Educational Programmes Psychosocial Support Services Facilitation Services Community mobilization Referral Services EXAMPLES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lay/basic counselling • School support • Succession planning • Provide care and support to people infected and affected • Receive, assess and counselling of clients • HIV risk assessment • Provision of life skills • Holiday programmes • Encourage peer networking • Co-ordination of services with relevant stakeholders • Para-legal services. • Information services

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community support services for PLHIV and key populations • Community conversation in response to HIV and AIDS issues • Material support • Linkages, referrals and feedback
<p>Alternative Care / Reconstruction and After Care Provide care and support services aimed at strengthening the coping skills and restore normal functioning of individuals and families (Psychosocial Support Services)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Care and support services available. • Healthy living promoted • Stigma and discrimination addressed. • Social connected promoted. • Conducive environment created. • Community support systems strengthened. 	<p>Psychosocial support services Therapeutic services Educational programmes Social Intervention Services EXAMPLES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct support groups • Provide care and support services to persons infected and affected • Promote sharing of experiences • Crisis intervention. • Memory box • Facilitate disclosure • Comprehensive assessment and on-going counselling of clients • Encourage adherence to treatment • Linkages, referrals and feedback

RE-APPLICATIONS	
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**The submission date for business plan proposals
remain 10 November 2023**