



Factsheet N°3: HIV Testing and Counseling Services in Nepal, As of July 2012

Facts about HIV Testing and Counseling in Nepal

- HIV Testing and Counseling was first started in Nepal in 1995 at National Centre for AIDS and STD Control (NCASC).
- HIV Testing and Counseling is the entry point for overall HIV and AIDS care services. It is provided free of cost to the key population at higher risk, including general population from all over the country.
- There is a National Guidelines for Testing and Counseling of HIV in Nepal, first developed in 2003, and updated in 2007.

Table 1: Services Statistics on HIV Testing and Counseling: 2008 - July 2012

Indicators	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012(July)
Pre-test Counseled	65,167	71,377	115,013	101,063	70513
Tested for HIV	53,309	62,672	106,325	95,501	67275
HIV positive reported	2,387	2,110	2,015	2,060	1465
Post-test counseled	51,845	61,170	104,666	94,190	65971

Source: NCASC, July 2012

Figure 1: HIV Testing by Regions: (15 July 2011– 16 July 2012)

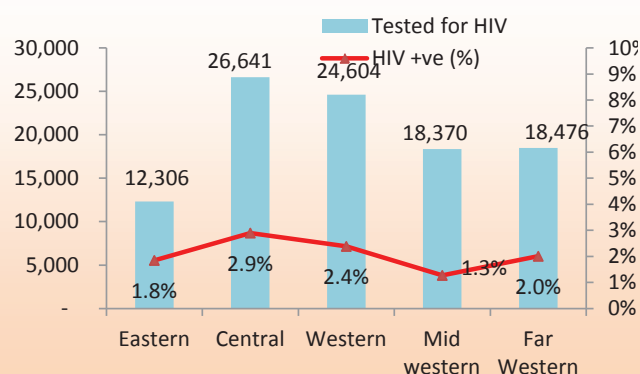


Figure 2: Reported HIV Infections by Sex: 2001- July 2012



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Figure 3: Reported HIV Infections by Age Group: 2004 - July 2012

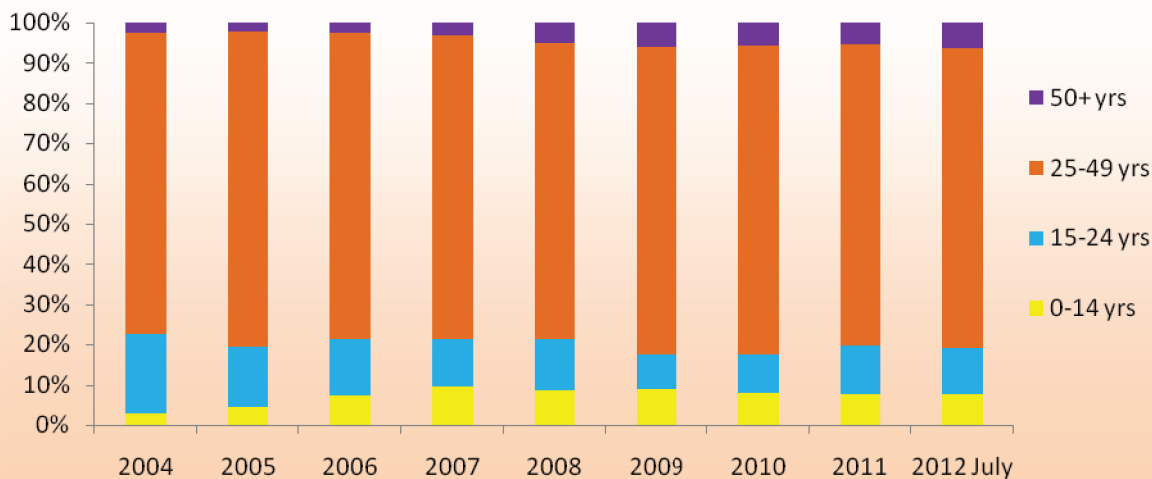
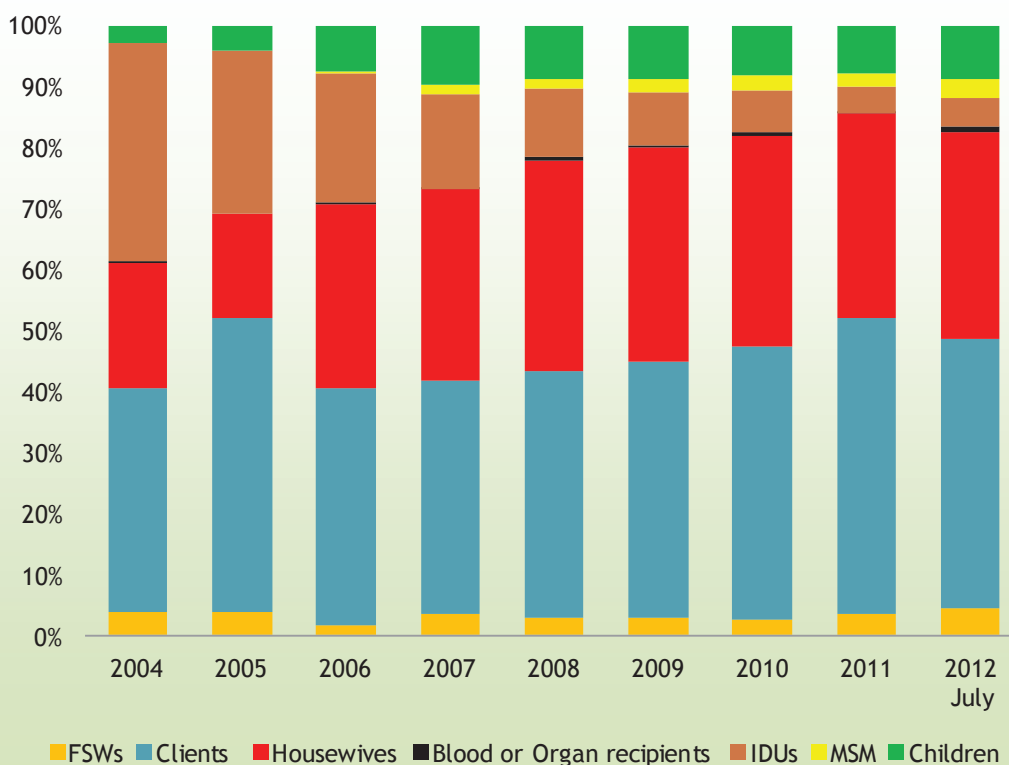


Figure 4: Reported HIV Infections by Risk Groups: 2004 - July 2012



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