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The HIV response: progress and challenges

On November 29, at 9:00 a.m., a meeting dedicated to achieving the goals 95-95-95 in the Republic of Kazakhstan will be held in Almaty, at the UN building (303 Baizakova str.).

The event is timed to coincide with World AIDS Day, which is celebrated on December 1 under the slogan "Choose the right path – the path of human rights." The meeting is organized by the Kazakh Scientific Center for Dermatology and Infectious Diseases (KNCDIZ) and the UNAIDS office in Kazakhstan.

Among the participants are representatives of government agencies, international and non—governmental organizations, as well as key communities. During the discussion, progress and remaining challenges in the implementation of the 95-95-95 goals in Kazakhstan will be considered. These goals, formulated in the UN Declaration on HIV in 2021, include: ensuring awareness of the diagnosis in 95% of people living with HIV; antiretroviral therapy for 95% of those who know their status; and suppressed viral load in 95% of those receiving treatment.

Sairankul Kasymbekova, Head of the Clinical Monitoring Department of the CDC, a doctor representing Kazakhstan in the UNAIDS regional campaign "YOUR DOCTOR CARES", selected at the initiative of the community of people living with HIV, will speak at the meeting. Participants in the mentoring program for women living with HIV will share their experiences, and the contribution of women participating in this program will be noted.

Accreditation is required.

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