

Acronyms

AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
ANC	Antenatal Care
ATIC	AIDS Training and Information Centre
BHF	Board of Health Funders
CBOs	Community-based Organisations
CGE	Commission on Gender Equality
CMA	Civil Military Alliance
DENOSA	Democratic Nursing Organisation of South Africa
DOE	Department of Education
DOF	Department of Finance
DOH	Department of Health
DOHA	Department of Home Affairs
DOJ	Department of Justice
DOL	Department of Labour
DOME	Department of Minerals and Energy
DOT	Department of Transport
DOTS	Direct Observed Therapy Short Course
DOW	Department of Welfare
EDL	Essential Drug List
GCIS	Government Communication and Information Systems
IDC	Interdepartmental Committee on AIDS
IMC	Inter-Ministerial Committee on AIDS
HCW	Health Care Worker
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
HRC	Human Rights Commission
HSRC	Human Sciences Research Council
IEC	Information, Education, and Communication
MEC	Member of Executive Committee
MOH	Ministry of Health
MRC	Medical Research Council
MTCT	Mother-to-child transmission
MTEF	Medium Term Expenditure Framework
NACOSA	National AIDS Co-ordinating Committee of South Africa
NGOs	Non-Government Organisations
NPPHCN	National Progressive Primary Health Care Network
PEP	Post-exposure prophylaxis
PWA	People living with HIV infection or AIDS
PHRC	Provincial Health Restructuring Committee

SAIMR	South African Institute of Medical Research
SALC	South African law Commission
SAMA	South African Medical Association
SANAC	South African National AIDS Council
SAPS	South Africa Police Service
SADC	Southern Africa Development Community
SANDF	South African National Defence Force
STDs	Sexually Transmitted Diseases
SM	Syndromic Management
TB	Tuberculosis
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS
VCT	Voluntary HIV Counselling and Testing
WHO	World Health Organisation