

Findings from the AHD Quality Standards Pilot in Mozambique

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Progress towards the 95:95:95 targets

12.5%

HIV prevalence

89000

New infections (yearly)

40000

Deaths (yearly)

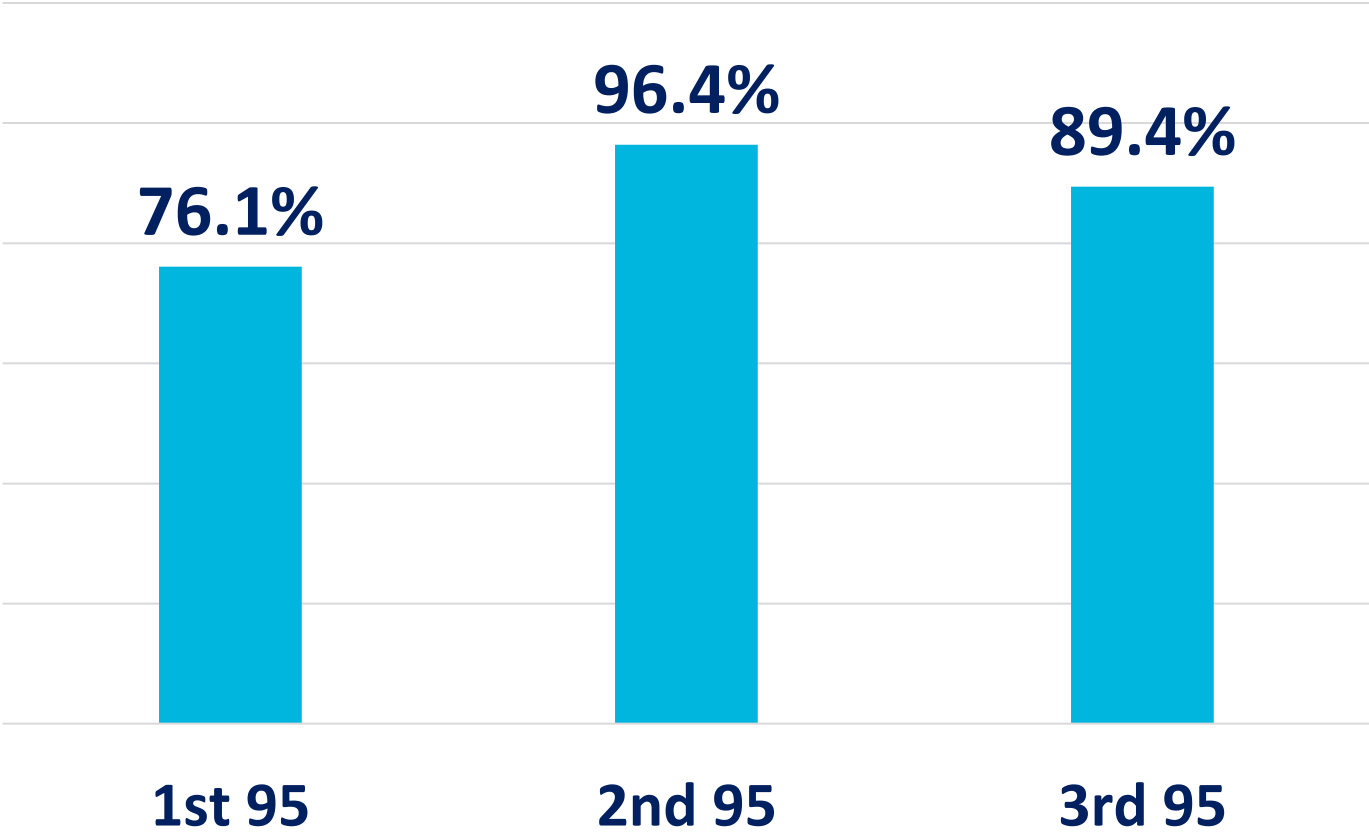


2,105,907
People living with HIV
on treatment



1,755 health facilities
providing
ART services

95-95-95 Cascade in Mozambique



CQUIN Treatment Dashboard Results: 2023

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| Policies |
| Guidelines |
| Diversity |
| Coordination |
| Training |
| Procurement |
| Facility Coverage |
| Client Coverage |
| Impact |

The national HIV treatment policy includes a national strategy for AHD identification and AHD services

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| Community Eng. | M&E System | |
| TB/HIV | Quality | AHD |

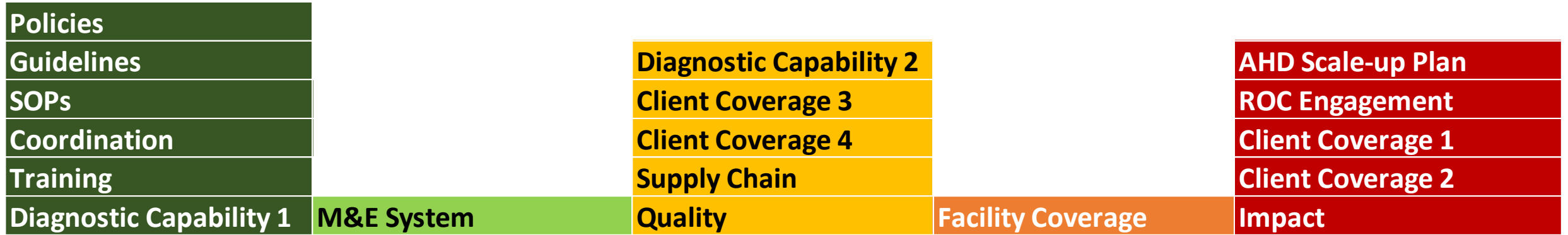
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| Scale Up Plan |
| Key Populations |
| MCH |
| HTN |
| Family Planning |

Most mature domains

Least mature domains

- M&E Systems do not capture comprehensive DSD data
- Quality standards were not all met
- AHD engagement of ROC and coverage is not optimal
- No specific DSD for each KP group
- No less intensive models for PBFW
- NCD and FP not fully integrated into less intensive models

CQUIN AHD Dashboard Results 2023



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Least mature domains

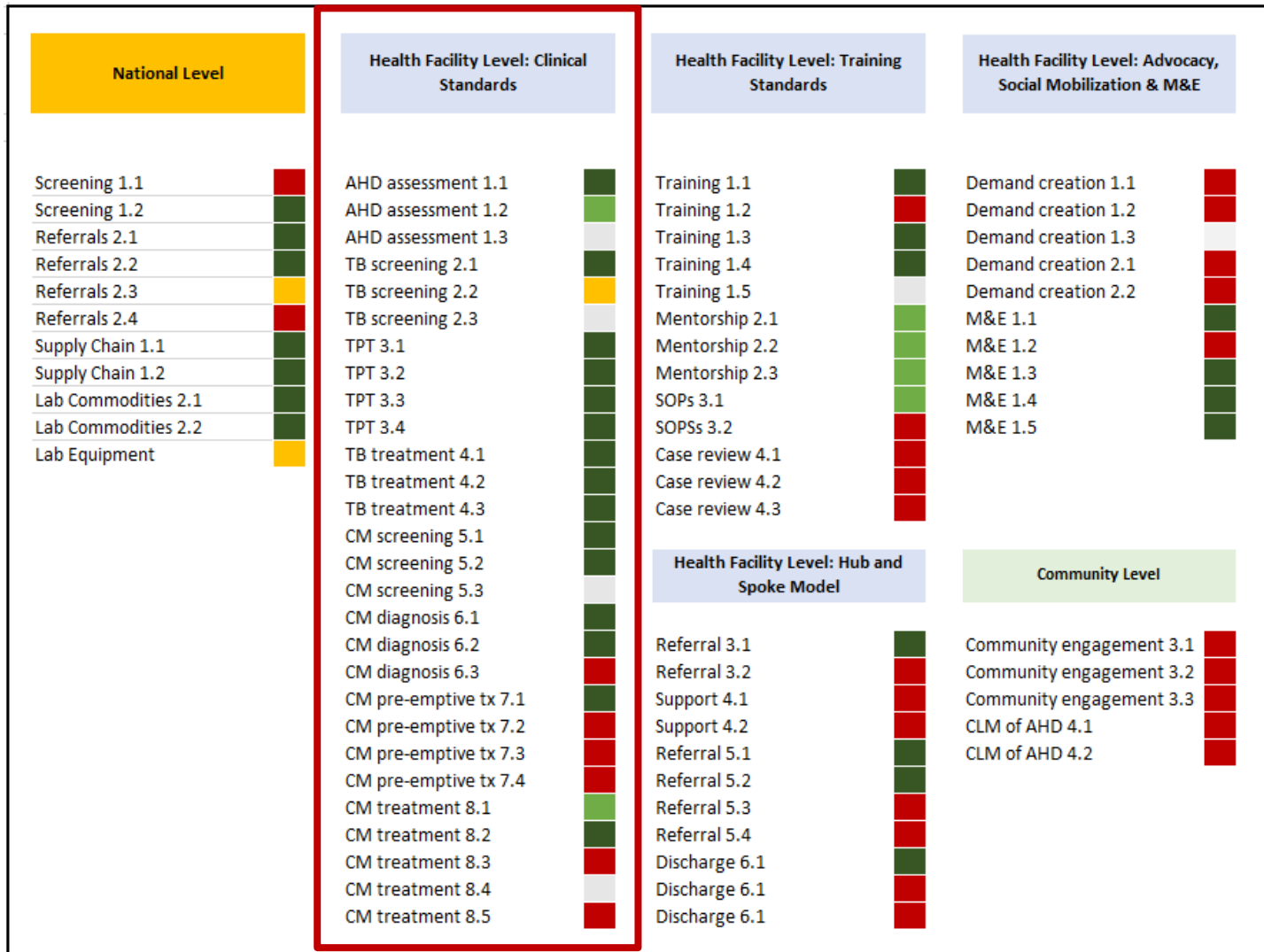
- AHD is being implemented in a phased approach
- AHD diagnostic capability is currently available only at AHD designated HF (81)
- Improvements on the supply chain are needed to ensure full availability of AHD commodities
- Plans to scale up AHD discussed on a quarterly basis
- Recipients of care are not fully engaged in the development of AHD policies
- Quality domain at yellow (one evaluation done that did not meet national standards)

AHD Quality Standards Pilot in Mozambique

Methodology

- The AHD standards and indicators were shared and discussed at the CQUIN / MOH strategic meeting in February 2023
- Mozambique was among five countries identified to pilot these AHD standards and to provide both technical feedback and feedback to improve the tools
- These AHD standards and indicators tailored for assessment at
 1. **National Level**
 2. **Health Facility Level – Hubs and Spokes**
 3. **Community Level**
- These are generic AHD standards that Mozambique adapted and customized to fit the country context and guidance on AHD service delivery at these three levels

AHD Quality Assessment Summary Results – May 2023



National Level Quality Standards

- Out of 11 indicators that were assessed, **7 (64%)** were dark green

Health Facility Level Standards (1HF)

- Out of 62 HF indicators, 56 were assessed and **26 (46%)** were dark green

Community Level Standards

- Out of five community level indicators that were assessed, none were dark green

Health Facility Level Findings - AHD Clinical Standards and Indicators

1. AHD Clinical Standards and Indicators

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Quality Standard 1: All people at risk of Advanced HIV Disease (newly diagnosed initiating ART, presenting with an illness requiring admission, children under five diagnosed with HIV, viremic, and returning to treatment) should be promptly* assessed for AHD using a CD4 cell count test in addition to a comprehensive review of the clinical history and physical examination

Process Indicators

1.1 Availability of SOPs to guide assessment of at-risk PLHIV for AHD

1.2 HF's capacity to provide CD4 testing

Outcome Indicators

1.3 Proportion of PLHIV at risk of AHD presenting at this health facility assessed for advanced HIV disease

Quality Standard 2: All people with AHD should receive prompt* diagnostic testing for TB with rapid molecular tests (TB-LAM and Xpert MTB/rif assay)

Process Indicators

2.1 Availability of written SOPs to guide TB screening and diagnosis

2.2 HF's capacity to provide rapid molecular testing for TB

Outcome Indicators

2.3 Proportion of people with AHD with a documented result of a TB rapid molecular test within 24 hours of AHD diagnosis in the past 12 months

Quality Standard 3: All people with AHD should be screened for TPT eligibility, and if eligible, should be offered TPT

Process Indicators

3.1 Availability of written SOPs to guide assessment of TPT *eligibility*

3.2 Availability of written SOPs to guide TPT *delivery*

3.3 HF's capacity to provide TPT

Outcome Indicators

3.4 Proportion of PLHIV with AHD eligible for TPT who were initiated on TPT in the last 12 months

Quality Standard 4: All people with AHD and diagnosed with TB disease, should receive immediate* TB treatment

Process Indicators

4.1 Availability of written SOPs to guide TB treatment

4.2 HF's capacity to provide TB treatment

Outcome Indicators

4.3 Proportion of RoC diagnosed with TB who were initiated on TB treatment within 24 hours of diagnosis in the last 12 months

Health Facility Level Findings - AHD Clinical Standards and Indicators

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| Quality Standard 5: All people with AHD should be promptly* screened for cryptococcal meningitis (CM) using serum CrAg | |
| Process Indicators | |
| 5.1 | Availability of written SOPs to guide screening with serum CrAg |
| 5.2 | HF's capacity to provide serum CrAg screening |
| Outcome Indicators | |
| 5.3 | Proportion of people with AHD that were promptly screened for CM using serum CrAg. |
| Quality Standard 6: All PLHIV with a positive sCrAg should receive prompt* diagnostic testing with CSF CrAg | |
| Process Indicators | |
| 6.1 | Availability of written SOPs to guide CSF CrAg testing |
| 6.2 | HF's capacity to provide CSF CrAg screening |
| Outcome Indicators | |
| 6.3 | Proportion of PLHIV with a positive serum CrAg who received prompt diagnostic test of CSF CrAg |
| Quality Standard 7: All people with AHD with a positive sCrAg and a negative CSF CrAg should receive prompt* pre-emptive CM treatment as part of standard of care. This should be initiated within 24 hours | |
| Process Indicators | |
| 7.1 | Availability of written SOPs to guide pre-emptive CM Treatment |
| 7.2 | Adequate medicines for all clients needing pre-emptive CM treatment |
| 7.3 | Any delayed or deferred pre-emptive treatment of people with AHD, with sCrAg positive and CSF CrAg negative due to lack of medication/medication stockout in the past 6 months |
| Outcome Indicators | |
| 7.4 | Proportion of people with AHD, with sCrAg positive and CSF CrAg negative, receiving pre-emptive CM treatment |
| Quality Standard 8: All people with AHD with a positive sCrAg and a positive CSF CrAg should receive prompt* CM treatment as part of standard of care. This should be initiated within 24 hours | |
| Process Indicators | |
| 8.1 | Availability of CM treatment |
| 8.2 | Availability of written SOPs to guide CM Treatment |
| 8.3 | Adequate medicines for all clients needing CM treatment |
| 8.4 | Any delayed or deferred CM treatment due to lack of medication/medication stockout in the past 6 months |
| Outcome Indicators | |
| 8.5 | Proportion of people with AHD, with sCrAg positive and CSF CrAg positive, receiving CM treatment |

Feedback from the AHD Quality Assessment

- This is a comprehensive easy to use self-staging tool that needs repeated use following quality improvement activities.
- Of note is that AHD quality assessment needs to be conducted at national, facility and community levels.
- The criteria to select a HF to be assessed was not clear as Mozambique is using a phased approach to expand AHD services. Some HF implement the AHD package, and some do not. The score will depend on the HF assessed.
- Some of the questions could be reworded for clarity e.g., (Outcome indicator 1.5 – Does the facility have at least 2 HCWs providing HIV services trained in AHD – which services? Clinical? Psychosocial? Lab? Pharmacy?)
- It is critical to adapt the standards to the country's context:
 - For Mozambique, all components regarding screening, diagnosis and treatment of AHD conditions are described in one National AHD Guideline and a broader question on the availability of written SOPs to guide prompt AHD screening and diagnosis and treatment is needed.
 - Because some components of the AHD package of care are available in all HF, for Mozambique these will always score >90%, regardless of whether the HF has all AHD services (e.g., initiating TB treatment within 24 hours and screening for TPT eligibility)



FICHA DA DOENÇA AVANÇADA POR HIV

Nome _____

Sexo: Masc Fem

Mod SIS H07-A

NID TARV (Código US/Anual/Individual) _____/_____/_____

Início de Seguimento no Modelo de Doença Avançada: ____/____/____

Idade: _____anos e/ou _____meses

Doença Avançada por HIV

Situação do TARV no Início do Seguimento (A)

Situação do TARV: Novo Início Reinício
 em TARV pré-TARVTARV: 1ª linha 2ª linha 3ª linhaData prevista para início do TARV (caso Pré-TARV)*:
Data: ____/____/____

Data de Início de TARV: ____/____/____

Regime: _____
Estadio OMS à entrada no modelo DAH I II III IV

*Os utentes com Meningite Criptocócica/TB SNC devem adiar o início TARV entre 4-8 semanas

Exames Laboratoriais à Entrada e de Seguimento (B)

CD4

Data: ____/____/____ R: _____
Data: ____/____/____ R: _____
Data: ____/____/____ R: _____

CrAg Soro / LCR

Soro: Data: ____/____/____ R: Pos Neg NA NF
LCR: Data: ____/____/____ R: Pos Neg NA NF
Soro: Data: ____/____/____ R: Pos Neg NA NF
LCR: Data: ____/____/____ R: Pos Neg NA NF

TB-LAM urina

Data: ____/____/____
R: (Pos - Grau: ____) Neg NA NF
Data: ____/____/____
R: (Pos - Grau: ____) Neg NA NF

Tratamento da Meningite Criptocócica (MCC) (C)

Tratamento Preventivo da Meningite Criptocócica (MCC) (D)

Rastreio de CACU (E)

Indução: Anfotericina lipossômica (Dose Única): ____/____/____

Regime Alternativo: _____

Indução (2 semanas): Fluconazol 800 mg/dia ou _____ mg/kg/dia

1ª rastreio: ____/____/____ VIA Neg(-) VIA Pos (+) (> 75% < 75%)

Indução (2 semanas): Fluconazol 1200 mg/dia ou _____ mg/kg/dia +

_____ a ____/____/____

Consolidação (8 semanas): Fluconazol 400 mg/dia ou _____ mg/kg/dia

2ª rastreio: ____/____/____ VIA Neg(-) VIA Pos (+) (> 75% < 75%)

Flucitosina 6/6 horas:

____/____/____ a ____/____/____

Motivo: _____

3ª rastreio: ____/____/____ VIA Neg(-) VIA Pos (+) (> 75% < 75%)

Consolidação (8 semanas): Fluconazol 800 mg/dia ou _____ mg/kg/dia

____/____/____ a ____/____/____

Manutenção (profilaxia 2ª): Fluconazol 200 mg/dia ou _____ mg/kg/dia

4ª rastreio: ____/____/____ VIA Neg(-) VIA Pos (+) (> 75% < 75%)

Manutenção (profilaxia 2ª): Fluconazol 200 mg/dia ou _____ mg/kg/dia

____/____/____ a ____/____/____

Data da suspensão*: ____/____/____

Data da suspensão*: ____/____/____

____/____/____ a ____/____/____

Data referencial: ____/____/____ Data Diagnóstico do Câncer Colo Uterino: ____/____/____

Lembre: Todas as mulheres HIV+ e sexualmente activas devem fazer rastreio de CACU. Verifique com a utente a data do último rastreio (solícite o comprovativo). Refira para rastreio se a utente não tiver feito rastreio nos últimos 12 meses. Registe nesta ficha os resultados do rastreio.

*Suspensão: 1. Ter completado 12 meses desde o início do tratamento (10 meses de manutenção). 2. Ter CV suprimida dentro dos últimos 12 meses. 3. Ter uma contagem de CD4 >100 c/ml

Ocorrência de Doenças Oportunistas (F)

Internamentos por Intercorrência de DAH (G)

Sarcoma de Kaposi (SK) (H)

Data de Diagnóstico (dd/mm) - registe a data e coloque "x" caso o utente apresente qualquer das condições abaixo. Na ausência de doença oportunista nova, não registe este campo. Se for necessário especifique a condição clínica dentro da célula (ex: localização da tuberculose, candidíase oral ou esofágica, localização de úlcera por herpes).

Data de Internamento: ____/____/____
Data de Alta: ____/____/____Data de Diagnóstico SK: ____/____/____
Estadio: T0S0 T1S0 T1S1

Diagnóstico de Doenças Oportunistas

Diagnóstico: _____

Indicação para quimioterapia (QT): Sim Não
Regime QT: _____

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Data de Internamento: ____/____/____

Data de referência para QT: ____/____/20

Tuberculose

Data de Alta: ____/____/____

Data da referência para QT: ____/____/20

Criptococémia

Diagnóstico: _____

Data de início de QT: ____/____/20

Meningite Criptocócica

Data de Internamento: ____/____/____

Data de Ciclo 1 (C1): ____/____/____

Pneumonia por Pneumocystis Jirovecii (PCP)

Data de Alta: ____/____/____

C2: ____/____/____ C3: ____/____/____ C4: ____/____/____

Candidíase Oral/Esofágica

Diagnóstico: _____

C5: ____/____/____ C6: ____/____/____ C7: ____/____/____

Infecção Bacteriana Severa

Data de Internamento: ____/____/____

C8: ____/____/____ C9: ____/____/____

Toxoplasmose SNC

Data de Alta: ____/____/____

Transferido para outra US (I)

ADPM/ Encefalopatia por HIV

Diagnóstico: _____

Data da Transferência: ____/____/____

Úlcera por Herpes >1 mês evolução

Data de Internamento: ____/____/____

Nome da US para onde está a ser transferido: _____

Diarreia Crónica Inexplicada

Data de Alta: ____/____/____

Critérios e Saída do Modelo (J)

Síndrome de Caquexia/ Malnutrição Moderada ou Severa

Diagnóstico: _____

 Sem condição clínica activa

Outras: _____

Data de Internamento: ____/____/____

 Carga viral suprimida ≤ 1000 copias/ml (2 consecutivas)

Outras: _____

Data de Alta: ____/____/____

 CD4 ≥ 100 cels/ml (utentes ≥ 5 anos)

Outras: _____

Diagnóstico: _____

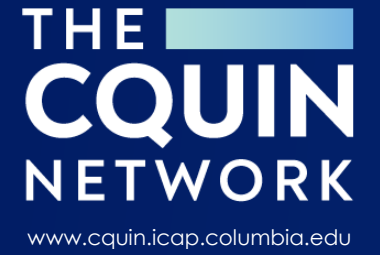
 Sem necessidade de profilaxia com Fluconazol

Outras: _____

Data de Saída: ____/____/____

Next steps

- The tool is comprehensive and easy to use.
- Mozambique has incorporated some of the standards into our national AHD quality standards.
- Some of the standards will not be possible to adapt at this time and the Ministry of Health will reevaluate during the AHD scale-up.
- Mozambique is also rolling out AHD specific tools and M&E systems (AHD master card) that will improve our reporting capacity



Thank you!

