

HIV Pathway and Update
Awareness of Prevention Messages

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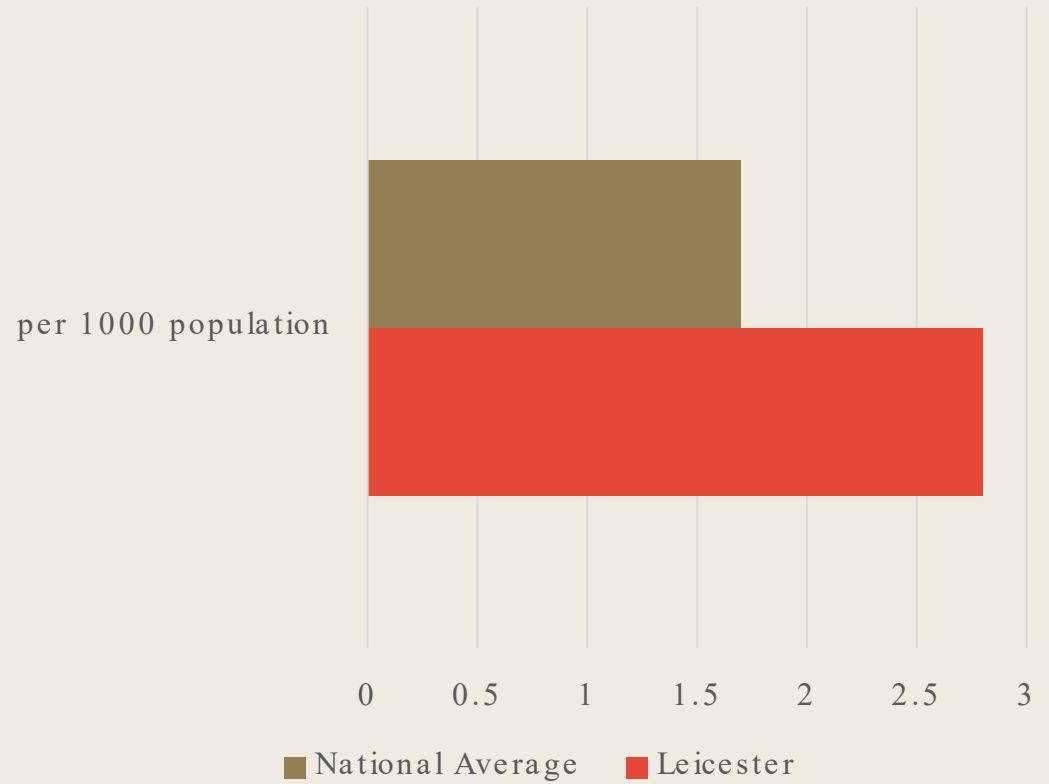
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Introduction

HIV Prevalence Leicester vs
National Average



HIV Action Plan Group

Membership includes representatives from:

- Public Health, Leicester City Council and Leicestershire County Council and Rutland County Council
- Leicester Sexual Health – Midlands Partnership Foundation Trust
- University of Hospitals Trust - Clinical and Infectious Disease & ED
- Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Integrated Care Board
- Trade Sexual Health
- Turning Point

Other key partners will be invited to attend as required

Clare Mills (CM)	Public Health Lead Commissioner (Children), LCC
CHAIR	
Tahira Khalid (TK) notes	LCC (Public Health) – Business Admin Support.
Nicola Jarvis (NK)	Strategic Lead - Health Related Harms. Public Health Commissioner Leicestershire County Council
Susan- Louise Hope (SH)	Strategic Lead. Public Health Commissioner Rutland. Leicestershire and Rutland County Councils
Jo Fores (JF) MPFT	Operational Manager Leicester Sexual Health
Craig Everitt (CE) MPFT	Senior Nurse Leicester Sexual Health
Benjamin Feist (BF)	UHL – Clinical Practitioner and Emergency Medicine
Caroline Gadsby (CG)	Turning Point - Partnership and External Contracts Operations Manager
Mark Pierce (MP)	ICB – Head of Population Health Management
Dan Hallam (DH)	LCC (Public Health) – Commissioning Manager
Gavin Brown	(GB) Trade Sexual Health – Chief Executive Officer
Shelly Barton (SB)	MPFT – Senior Nurse Diverse Communities and Sexual Health
Lez Jones (LJ)	Turning Point – LGBT Advanced Recovery Practitioner
Amanda Toussaint (AT)	African Caribbean Centre – Strategic Partnerships (Formally apart of the African Heritage Alliance)
Nick Hey (NH)	ICB – Lead Commissioner of NHS England Specialised Services (Midlands) and Primary Care Lead for Blood and Infection
Laura French (LF)	LCC (Public Health) – Consultant Lead for Sexual Health
Iain Stephenson (IS)	UHL – Clinical and Infectious Disease Consultant Lead for HIV Management in Leicester

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**Retrospective Audit on late
diagnosis of HIV at UHL:
Audit report
July 2024**

**Pooja Bakhshi-Thaker, Public
Health Registrar**


Sample- new diagnosis of HIV made in the
previous 12 months (n=34)

12 people were identified as having late
diagnosis

difficult to draw any major conclusions
due to relatively low numbers although it
was identified there was a variety of
things resulting in late diagnosis.

potential missed opportunities in around
40% of cases, for earlier HIV diagnoses if
testing had been performed earlier

Education and Opt out testing

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This Action Plan outlines the steps that need to be taken over the next 3 years to help reach the 2030 target.

It is a live and iterative document

HIV Strategy and Action Plan for Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland

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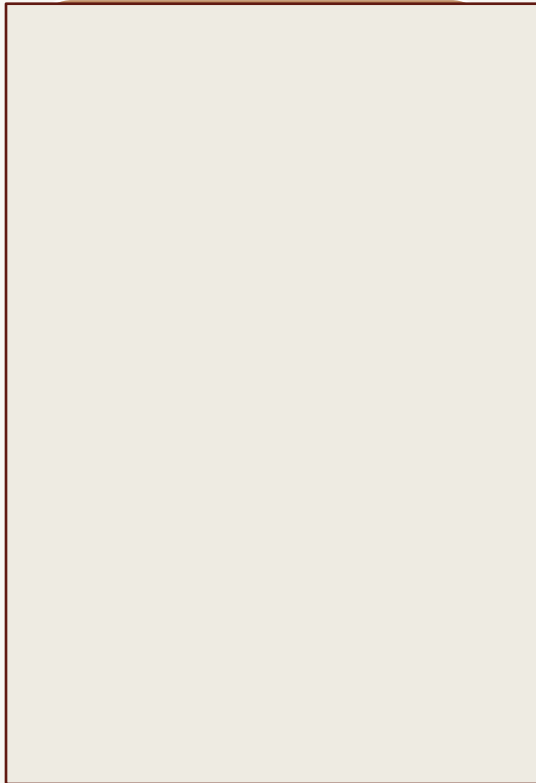
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Objective 3: optimise rapid access to treatment and retention in care.

Objective 4: improving quality of life for people living with HIV and addressing stigma.

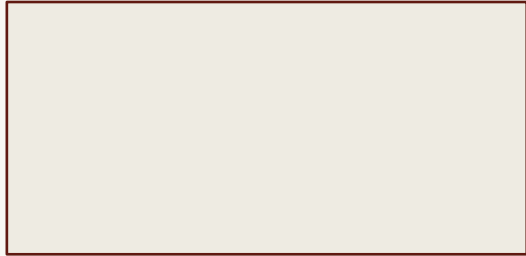
National Objectives

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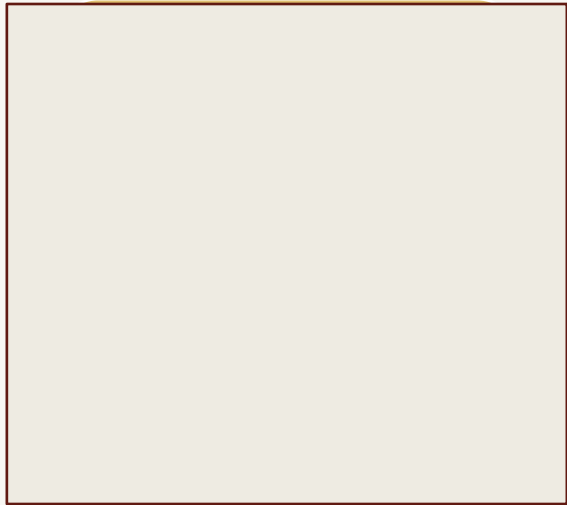


PREP Access
and
Education

Condom
provision

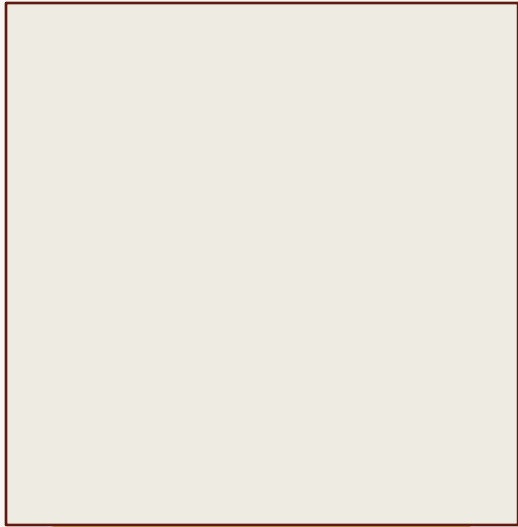


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Opt out
testing

widespread
testing



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Objective 4: improving
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P a t h w a y

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E d u c a t i o n

P e e r M e n t o r i n g
S u p p o r t



Unanswered
Question for
the future

**Trump administration ends funding for
UN program fighting HIV/Aids**

Peter Marocco sends letter to UNAids terminating US
involvement in serious blow to live-saving health service

**US cuts send South Africa's HIV
treatment 'off a cliff'**

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3. [First year blood borne virus opt out testing results](#)
4. [NHS England » HIV prevention](#)



Thank you