Summary of key outcomes of INHSU Africa

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Affirmation

• reducing new hepatitis C infections by 90%
• reducing the number of hepatitis C deaths by 65%
• increasing the number of sterile syringe/needles distributed for people who inject drugs from 20 to 300 per person per year
• increasing hepatitis C diagnoses from <5% to 90%
• increasing the number of eligible persons receiving HCV treatment from <1% to 80%. 
Goals of Elimination of HCV in Africa by 2030

1. Scaling up harm reduction services
2. Making health services accessible for people who use drugs
3. Supporting community empowerment and community-based programme
4. Improving access to affordable diagnostics and medicines
5. Eliminating stigma, discrimination, and violence
6. Reforming drug policies
7. Enhanced funding for harm reduction approaches and hepatitis C elimination efforts
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