



World Pandemic HIV/AIDS Statistics

	Estimate
People living with HIV/AIDS in 2007	33 million
Adults living with HIV/AIDS in 2007	31 million
Women living with HIV/AIDS in 2007	15.5 million
Children living with HIV/AIDS in 2007	2 million
People newly infected with HIV in 2007	2.7 million
Children newly infected with HIV in 2007	300,000
AIDS deaths in 2007	2 million

- More than 25 million people have died of AIDS since 1981.
- Africa has 13 million AIDS orphans.
- Women accounted for half of all adults living with HIV worldwide and nearly 60 percent of HIV infections in sub-Saharan Africa.
- 67 percent of all people living with HIV live in sub-Saharan Africa.
- Young people (ages 15-25) account for half of all new HIV infections worldwide - around 6,000 become infected with HIV every day.
- In developing and transitional countries, 9.7 million people are in immediate need of life-saving AIDS drugs; of these, only 2.9 million (31 percent) are receiving the drugs.

**Source: UNICEF, USAID & UNAIDS materials dated 2009.*