



TRAVEL REPORT SUMMARY

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Purpose of Travel:

Routine monitoring

PF "AIDs Fund East-West in KR" is implementing project within catalytic funding since May 2021. 4 employees work in the project: coordinator, accountant and 1 programme specialist.

2 Round tables on the development of intersectoral interaction to support HIV prevention programs were provided in Bishkek and Osh cities. Results of the study "Assessment of the role of law enforcement agencies in the coverage of prevention programs and the risks of HIV infection in KPs with the determination of the cost-effectiveness of these measures" and new Interdepartmental plan to overcome legal barriers as part of the implementation of the Program to overcome HIV in the Kyrgyz Republic for 2022-2025 were presented to participants.

Law enforcement representatives were interested in further cooperation within the framework of the Interdepartmental plan. They were especially interested in training trainers on the Instruction "On the prevention of HIV infection by authorized state bodies of internal affairs, drug control and in the field of enforcement of punishments of the Kyrgyz Republic, interacting with vulnerable groups" and the theory and practice of harm reduction.

In this regard, it is necessary to prepare trainings for trainers for instructors of combat and political training either in the workplace or organize trainings in Bishkek and Osh. The coordinator asked if UNDP could provide technical support in conducting trainings. But there are no funds for this in the budget.

In 2-nd quarter activity "Monitoring together with parliamentarians to enhance the use of their oversight functions for the implementation of laws and other regulations aimed at ensuring the legitimate rights of people living with HIV and TB" is planned. But this activity was decided to send for monitoring the implementation of the Interdepartmental plan. The monitoring time will be selected after the working meeting to discuss the Interdepartmental plan at the end of June.

Programme specialist called to the head of department of the MIA Academy about providing monitoring of training on the theory and practice of harm reduction. But the head explained that this course is not provided now, and cadets learn it as self-training. As far as the monitoring should be provided it is necessary to send a request letter to MIA KR. The monitoring should be carried out jointly with National networks. Coordinator suggested to develop a checklist for monitoring and approve it with them.

A head of PF "Podruga" applied for support in conducting trainings for the police officers of the

reception center on the observance of the rights of key populations.

Recommendations:

- 1. Develop a checklist and approve it with National networks PWID, SW, LGBT, PLHIV and TB.*
- 2. Write a letter to MIA KR to held monitoring training cadets on harm reduction issues at the Academy of the MIA.*
- 3. Write a letter to Department of Internal Affairs of Osh region out support providing trainings for policemen by PF "Podruga".*
- 4. Activity "Monitoring together with parliamentarians to enhance the use of their oversight functions for the implementation of laws and other regulations aimed at ensuring the legitimate rights of people living with HIV and TB" reschedule activity to Q3 or Q4 2022.*

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