

6 Key Messages

01

The Joint Programme is **recognized and respected** for supporting key population responses. An area of support that does need to increase is **advocacy aimed at defending the human rights** of key population groups.

02

Key population programming needs **prioritizing** to address the **high rates of new HIV infections** and the **inequalities** facing key populations. Joint Programme **resources** should be aligned with **evidence of where high incidence** among key populations is **occurring**.

03

Inclusive annual planning processes based on country strategic priorities, and increased targeting of **specific key population groups** will **enhance the relevance** of Joint Programme activities. **Clear definitions of key population groups vis-à-vis other priority vulnerable populations** are needed to focus resources on key population groups.

04

The **financial sustainability** of key population responses is a **strategic gap**. Investments are needed in **programming** for key populations, **integration of HIV** services and **making UHC work** for different key population groups.

05

The Global AIDS Strategy tasks the Joint Programme with stepping up support to community-led responses. **Understanding what this means in practice** and how this will be realized across cosponsors is a **priority next step**.

06

The Joint Programme's monitoring and reporting system needs an **overhaul** to enable a stronger **'line of sight'** **between investments, progress and results** of the Joint Programme's work for different key population groups.

