



**MAIN***line*



**Partner Meeting**

**People who use Drugs programme**

**Tblisi, 8 – 10 September 2015**

# BRIDGING THE GAPS

Health and rights for key populations

## 3 KEY POPULATIONS:



SEX  
WORKERS



PEOPLE  
WHO USE  
DRUGS



LESBIAN, GAY,  
BISEXUAL AND  
TRANSGENDER  
PEOPLE

## 1 MISSION:

OUR MISSION IS TO  
ACHIEVE UNIVERSAL  
ACCESS TO HIV/STI  
PREVENTION,  
TREATMENT, CARE  
AND SUPPORT FOR  
KEY POPULATIONS

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## BY LINKING:

COMMUNITY  
WORK WITH  
GLOBAL  
ADVOCACY

3 KEY  
POPULATIONS

HUMAN  
RIGHTS  
AND  
HEALTH



**10-20**  
times more likely to  
become infected by  
**HIV**

**8%**  
have access to  
**HIV SERVICES**

- September 2011 – December 2015
- The Bridging the Gaps Alliance
- AFEW, AIDS funds, COC, GNP+, Mainline
- INPUD, ITPC, MSMGF, NSWP
- Strong and fruitful collaboration

- People who use drugs programme in 9 countries:
- Georgia, Indonesia, Kenya, Nepal, Kyrgystan, Pakistan, South Africa, Tajikistan, Ukraine

## Partners

- Georgia & Ukraine: AFEW Ukraine
  - Indonesia: LARAS, PKNI
  - Kenya: KenPuD, MEWA, Omari, Reach Out
  - Kyrgyzstan: AFEW Kyrgyzstan
  - Pakistan: APLHIV, Nai Zindagi
  - Nepal: NUNN, Youth Vision
  - South Africa: OUT and TBHIVCare
  - Tajikistan: AFEW Tajikistan
- + more than 25 subgrantees/partners

## **Collaboration between AFEW and Mainline intensified**

- one programme manager Janine
- Two partnermeetings – April 2014 and September 2015
- South – south exchange
- 3 interns

# Papers of Interns

- Advocacy for the Human Rights of People who Use Drugs
- Sexual and Reproductive health services for people who use drugs
- Integration of health care and harm reduction for people who use drugs

Together with INPUD in the People who use  
Drugs programme more focus on

- Human rights
- Advocacy
- Lobby Document – Harm Reduction + 10

- Operational research in Ukraine, Kyrgyzstan and Kenya
- Tripartite Dutch UNAIDS Collaboration in Indonesia and Ukraine

## Some highlights:

- Activities in Prisons in Georgia, Indonesia, Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan
- Gender sensitization in Kyrgyzstan
- ART Adherence Unit in Pakistan
- Activities for young drugs users, sex workers and detainees in Ukraine

# Highlights cntd

- Outreach teams and introduction of NSP and OST in Kenya
- Paralegals in Indonesia
- Activities for women drugs users in Nepal
- Client management in Georgia
- OST nationwide and discussion about drugs laws in Tajikistan

# BRIDGING THE GAPS

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Gave us the opportunity to

- Reach out to women and youth among people who use drugs
- Implement innovations in our work
- Learn more about advocacy and lobby activities
- Have a closer link between human rights and service delivery