

Monitoring Indicators

1. Strengthen the capacity of families to protect and care for orphans and other children made vulnerable by HIV/AIDS

Core Indicators

1: Basic material needs: Proportion of children that have three locally defined basic material needs

2: Malnutrition: Ratio of orphans to non-orphans of underweight prevalence

3: Sex before age 15: Ratio of orphans to non-orphans who had sex before age 15

Additional indicators:

A1: Food security: Proportion of households that are food insecure

A2: Psychosocial well-being: Ratio of orphans to non-orphans with an adequate score for psychological health

A3: Connectedness to an adult caregiver: The proportion of orphans who have a positive connection with primary caregiver

A4: Succession planning: The proportion of children for whom a caregiver has been appointed in case of premature death of current caregiver

2. Mobilize and strengthen community-based responses

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4: Children outside of family care: Proportion of all children living outside of family care

5: External support for households with orphans and vulnerable children: Percent of orphans living in households that receive external support

Additional indicators:

A5: Orphans living with siblings: Percent of double orphans who have siblings living in other households

3. Ensure access to essential services for orphans and vulnerable children

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6: Orphan school attendance ratio: ratio of school attendance for double orphans to non-orphans for children ages 10-14

7: Proportion of orphans who receive psychosocial support

8: Birth registration: Proportion of children ages 0-4 whose births are reported registered

4. Ensure that governments protect the most vulnerable children

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9: Orphans and Vulnerable Children Program Effort Index

Additional indicators:

A6: Property transfer: Percentage of women who have experienced property dispossession

A7: Quality of institutional care (based on international standards)

5. Raise awareness to create a supportive environment for children affected by HIV/AIDS

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10: Percent of children under age 18 who are orphans

Additional indicators:

A8: Stigma and discrimination: Percent of adults expressing accepting attitudes toward people with HIV