

KEY FACTS ON HIV EPIDEMIC IN LUXEMBOURG AND PROGRESS IN 2011

(pop. 524 853)

By the end of 2011, Luxembourg authorities had reported a cumulative total of 1 086 HIV cases and 258 AIDS cases, including zero deaths among AIDS cases to the WHO Regional Office for Europe and the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC). For the year 2011, 44 HIV cases, 10 AIDS cases and zero deaths among AIDS cases were reported. The rate of newly diagnosed HIV infections in 2011 was 8.6 per 100 000 population. Among the newly reported HIV infections in 2011 with known transmission mode (100%), 47.7% were infected through heterosexual contact and 52.3% through sex between men. Of the newly reported cases with a known gender in 2011, 73% were male. Luxembourg has reported a cumulative total of 6 mother-to-child transmission cases (zero in 2011).

Taking undiagnosed infections into account, the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) and WHO estimate that less than 1 000 people were living with HIV in Luxembourg in 2011 and that less than 100 people died from AIDS-related causes during 2011.

By the end of 2009, 434 people were receiving antiretroviral therapy (ART).

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