



Advanced HIV Disease Care and COVID 19

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Keeping the focus on AHD during the COVID 19 response

- 770,000 people died from HIV/AIDS in 2018 (1), Approximately 1.45 million people died from TB in 2018 (2), Cryptococcal disease is estimated to cause 181,100 deaths annually
- The COVID 19 response threatens the response to these pandemics, across many domains
- We saw gaps in training and ongoing support needed to better address AHD.

1) UNAIDS global factsheet. <https://aidsinfo.unaids.org/>

2) Global Tuberculosis report, 2019, World Health Organization

3) Rajasingham R, Smith RM, Park BJ, Jarvis JN, Govender NP, Chiller TM, et al. Global burden of disease of HIV-associated cryptococcal meningitis: an updated analysis. *Lancet Infect Dis* [Internet]. 2017/05/05. 2017 Aug;17(8):873–81. Available from: <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/28483415e>

4) <https://ourworldindata.org/grapher/total-deaths-covid-19>

The first CDC Global Webinar series

- In total there were 2089 attendances and 29 presentations by 20 individuals.
- Countries and implementing partners were willing and eager to share experiences, successes and challenges
- All session materials remain accessible on line (link below)
- With session materials across all sessions having been accessed over 18,000 times

<https://mailchi.mp/salud.unm.edu/cdc-ahd-previous-session-resources-1555354>

What do we hope to achieve with this second series?

- Working with CHAI to build on the support to countries
- To bring in a range of additional voices and experiences on AHD implementation from which we can all learn
- To share the latest developments in terms of product access
- To being to create a community of practice

Thanks for your attention!

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