NEXT PCB MEETINGS

The Next PCB meetings paper presents:

- Themes selected by the PCB Bureau for the thematic segments of the 50th and 51st PCB meetings
- Dates for the 54th and 55th PCB meetings in 2024



Process for selection of themes by PCB Bureau:

- July 2021: Call for proposals of themes sent to PCB
- 24 August 2021: initial deadline to submit proposals
- 17 September 2021: final deadline after extension
- 4 November 2021: PCB Bureau considered the proposals submitted



11 proposals in total received and considered:

- 1. HIV and men, in all their diversity, how can we get our responses back on track?
- Positive Learning: harnessing the power of education to end HIV-related stigma and discrimination and empower young people living with HIV
- 3. Innovative Use of Technology for HIV Prevention and Care
- 4. HIV, adolescents and youth
- 5. HIV and Primary Health Care



11 proposals in total received and considered:

- 6. Alternative approaches to HIV care and treatment services
- CSOs/NGOs and HIV for 2030- Involvement in Care and treatment practices
- Sustain effective AIDS response in COVID-19 pandemic, lessons learned and good practices
- 9. Impact of Covid-19 on the accessibility of mental health services for People Living with HIV
- 10. Halving HIV among people who inject drugs
- 11. Combination Prevention Strategy



Proposed themes were considered on basis of 4 criteria:

- 1. Broad relevance
- 2. Responsiveness
- 3. Focus
- 4. Scope for action



Given the quality and timeliness of the proposals, the Bureau has selected the following two combined proposals for consideration:

- HIV and men, in all their diversity, how can we get our responses back on track? for the thematic segment of the 50th PCB meeting in June 2022
- Positive Learning: harnessing the power of education to end HIV-related stigma and discrimination and empower young people living with HIV for the thematic segment of the 51st PCB meeting in December 2022



PCB Meetings in 2024

- 54th meeting: 25 - 27 June 2024

- 55th meeting: 10 - 12 December 2024

