

Table 1
HIV and AIDS Indicators by Region, 2005

Region	People living with HIV	People newly infected in 2005	Prevalence (% of adults infected)	Deaths due to AIDS in 2005
World	40,300,000	4,900,000	1.1	3,100,000
Sub-Saharan Africa	25,800,000	3,200,000	7.2	2,400,000
N. Africa/Middle East	510,000	67,000	0.2	58,000
South/Southeast Asia	7,400,000	990,000	0.7	480,000
East Asia	870,000	140,000	0.1	41,000
Oceania	74,000	8,200	0.5	3,600
Latin America	1,800,000	200,000	0.6	66,000
Caribbean	300,000	30,000	1.6	24,000
Eastern Europe/Central Asia	1,600,000	270,000	0.9	62,000
Western/Central Europe	720,000	22,000	0.3	12,000
North America	1,200,000	43,000	0.7	18,000

Note: Estimates represent the midpoint of a range. The world total, for example, ranges from 36.7 million to 45.3 million. Prevalence rate refers to the percentage of adults ages 15 to 49 infected with HIV.

Source: Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), and World Health Organization (WHO), *AIDS Epidemic Update, December 2005* (2005): 3.