



GROUP MODELS OF DSD FOR HIV TREATMENT

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	Not specified*	No group model*	Facility-based group model endorsed	Community-based group model endorsed
Angola	●			
Burkina Faso*		●		
Burundi*				●
Cameroon	●			
Cote D'Ivoire	●			
Dominican Republic	●			
DRC*			●	●
Eswatini*			●	●
Ethiopia				●
Ghana			●	
Guinea		●		
Haiti*	●			
India	●			
Kenya*				●
Laos*	●			
Lesotho*				●
Liberia	●			
Malawi	●			
Mozambique*			●	●
Myanmar*		●		
Namibia*			●	●
Nepal	●			
Nigeria	●			
Papua New Guinea		●		
Rwanda		●		
Senegal	●			
Sierra Leone*		●		
South Africa*			●	●
South Sudan*			●	●
Tanzania*			●	
Togo	●			
Uganda*			●	●
Zambia*			●	●
Zimbabwe*			●	●

Key

● National policy

References

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Notes

'Not specified' applies to countries that do not specify any group or individual DSD models, 'No group model' applies to countries that specify individual, but not group DSD models, or which explicitly exclude group DSD models.

Angola: Community ART groups (acronym is GAACs in Portuguese) are mentioned, but not specifically endorsed

Burkina Faso: Support groups available for clients accessing six monthly facility-based refills (RAVI6m)

Burundi: Points de distribution communautaires (PODI) facilitator distributes 3MMD ART to support groups of 5-30 people

DRC: Three monthly facility-based adherence clubs and monthly Community Adherence Groups (CAGs)

Eswatini: Facility-based adherence clubs and CAGs

Ethiopia: Urban health extension professional/health extension-managed community ART refill groups (UHEP/HEP_CAG) and peer-led community-based ART distribution model (PCAD) endorsed in addition to facility-based family ART refills.

Ghana: Facility-based ART refill groups

Haiti: Mentions that 6MMD can be integrated into community support groups and CAGs, although no detail on models is offered

Kenya: CAGs

Laos: Adherence clubs are mentioned as potentially beneficial, but not specifically endorsed

Lesotho: CAGs

Mozambique: Facility-based teen and viraemic clubs, community-based support and adherence groups (GAACs),

Myanmar: Facility-based patient support meetings endorsed, although not specified whether this integrates with ART provision

Namibia: Facility-based ART adherence clubs and CAGs

Sierra Leone: No group models detailed for general population, but does endorse facility-based ART refill groups for adolescents

South Africa: Facility- and community-based adherence clubs

South Sudan: Facility-based club refills and community-based ART refill groups (CARGs)

Tanzania: Facility-based group refills including counselling (e.g., teen or youth clubs)

Uganda: Facility-based groups and Community Client Led ART Delivery (CCLADs)

Zambia: Facility-based Urban Adherence Groups (UAGs) and CAGs

Zimbabwe: Facility-based group refills (catering for various specific and general populations) and CARGs

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