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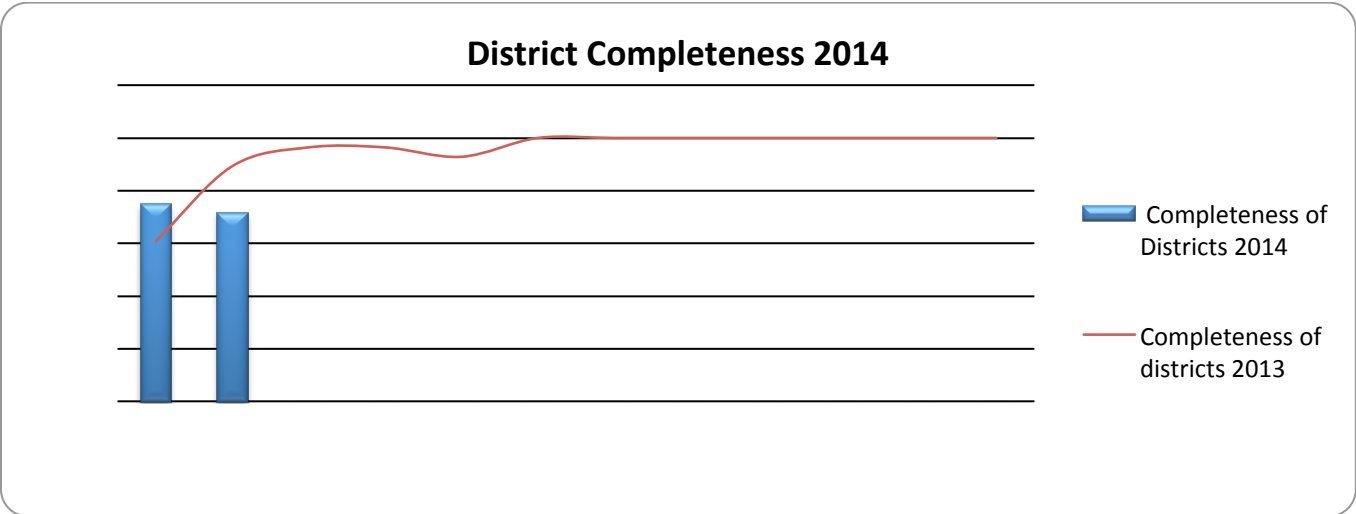
This is a monthly report of Notifiable Diseases, Deaths and Public Health events in Botswana. Reports are received from 28 health districts on a monthly basis. **Deadline for submission of reports from the districts to the central level is the 7th day of each following month at 1200 noon.** The contacts at National Level are the following members of the IDSR unit; idsrbotswana@gmail.com

All districts which have not sent any of their monthly reports from January to date 2014 to the IDSR unit are urged to do so as soon as possible.

Public Health Specialist/ MOs/ Matrons should make sure that they have reviewed and endorsed the monthly reports before sending them to the central level. This will assist in utilization of this data for action at the source and help reduce errors and misreporting.

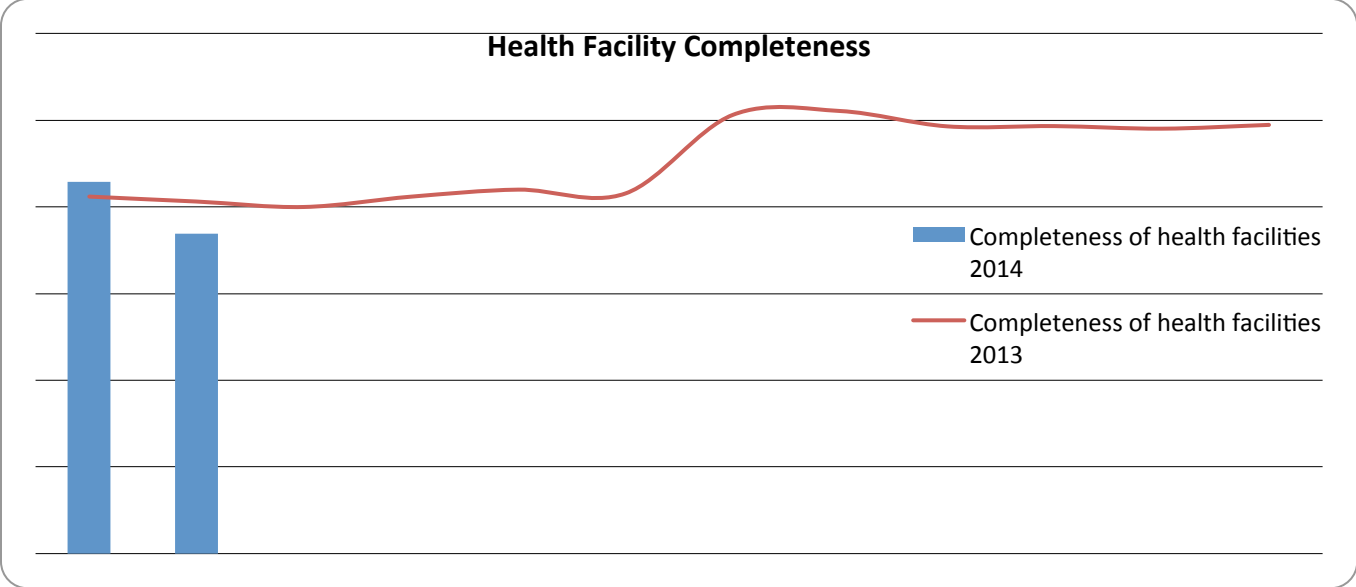
1. Timeliness and Completeness of MH2072 Reporting

Figure 1: Completeness of MH2072 Reporting



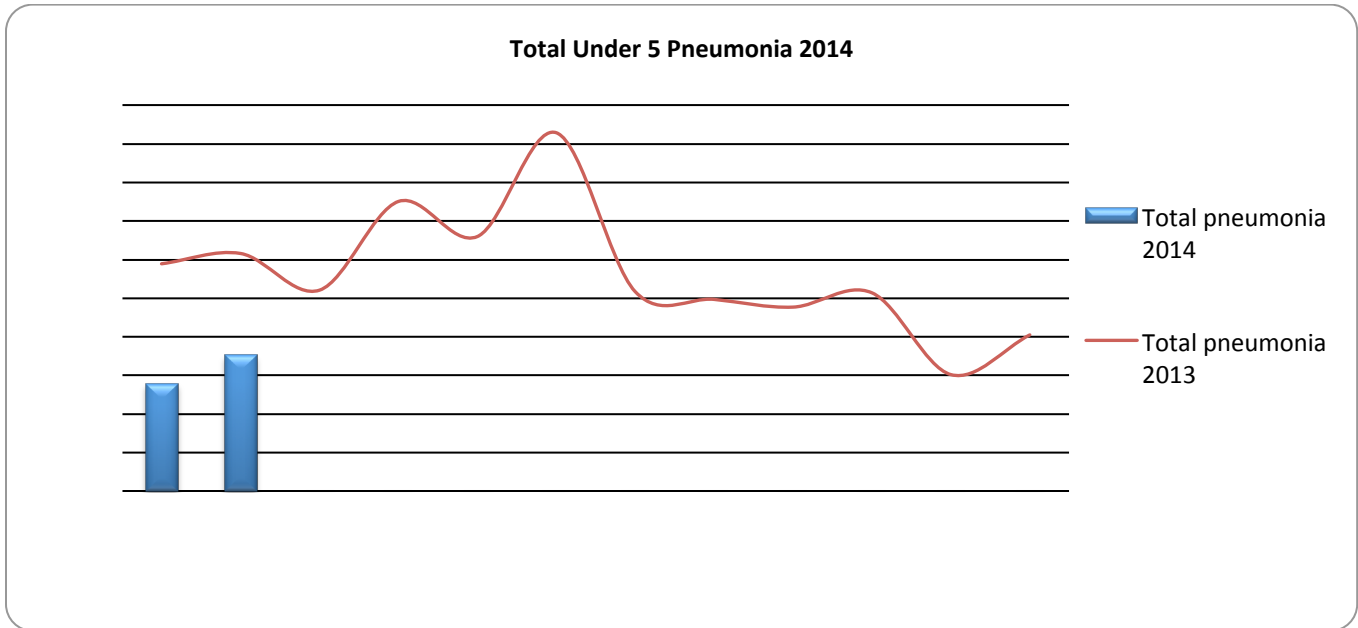
The graph above shows a level of district completeness that is below the target level of 80%. Out of the 28 districts only 20 managed to report on time and 8 districts failed to report.

Figure 2: Health facility Completeness of MH2072 Reporting



2. Pneumonia

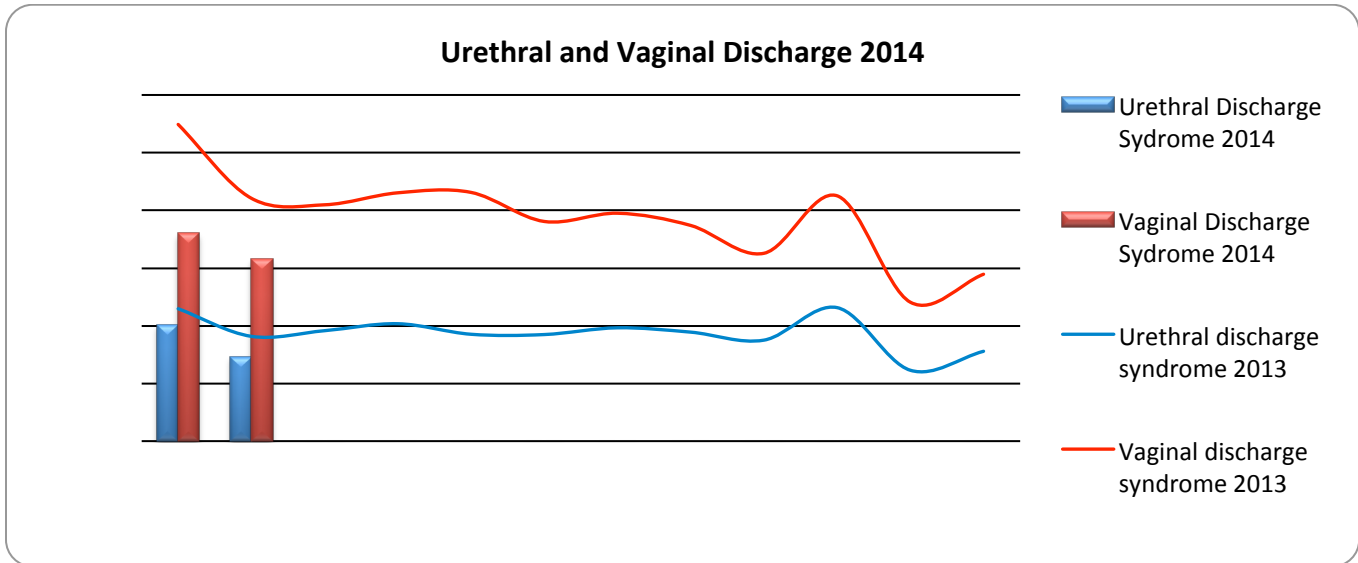
Figure 3: Total Pneumonia Cases in Under-5s in Botswana, 2014



There were 353 total under 5 pneumonia reported cases in February whereas 278 cases were reported for January. Kweneng East recorded the highest at 62 cases, Tonota stood at 46 cases followed by Ngami at 43 cases.

Urethral and Vaginal Discharge Syndromes in Botswana

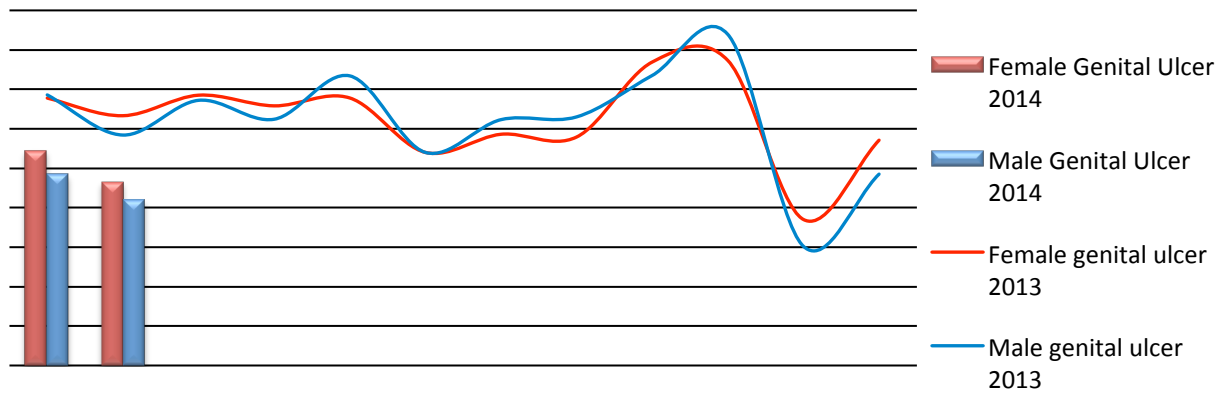
Figure 5: Urethral and Vaginal Discharge Syndromes in Botswana, 2014



Male and Female Genital Ulcer Syndromes in Botswana

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Male and Female Genital Ulcers 2014



A total of 1164 cases of urethral discharge syndrome have been recorded in February whereas 2016 cases were recorded in January.

There were 3158 cases of vaginal discharge syndrome reported in February while 3605 cases of vaginal discharge syndrome were reported in January.

January recorded 545 cases of Female genital ulcer compared to 466 cases in February. Furthermore 420 cases of Male genital ulcer were captured in February whereas January recorded 485 cases.

HIV Positive and New AIDS Cases in Botswana, 2014

Figure 7: HIV Positive Cases in Botswana, 2014

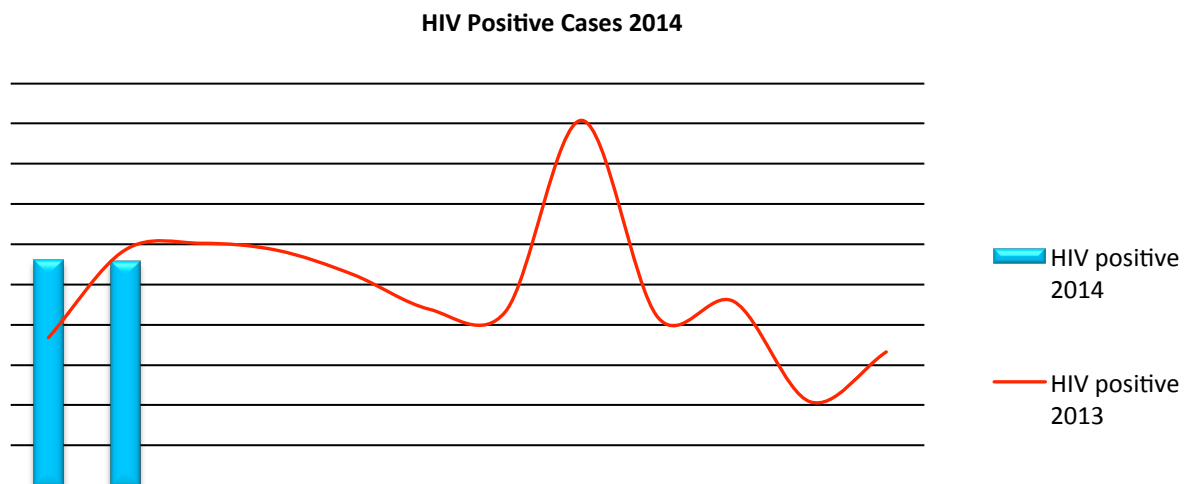
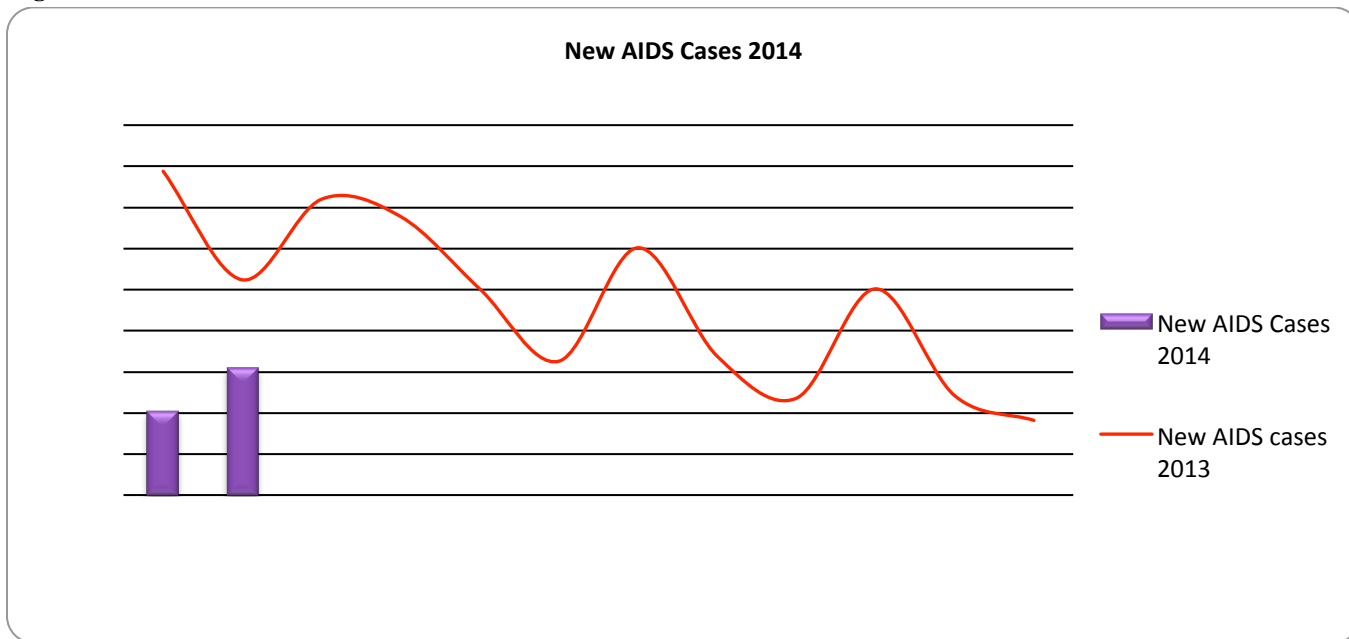


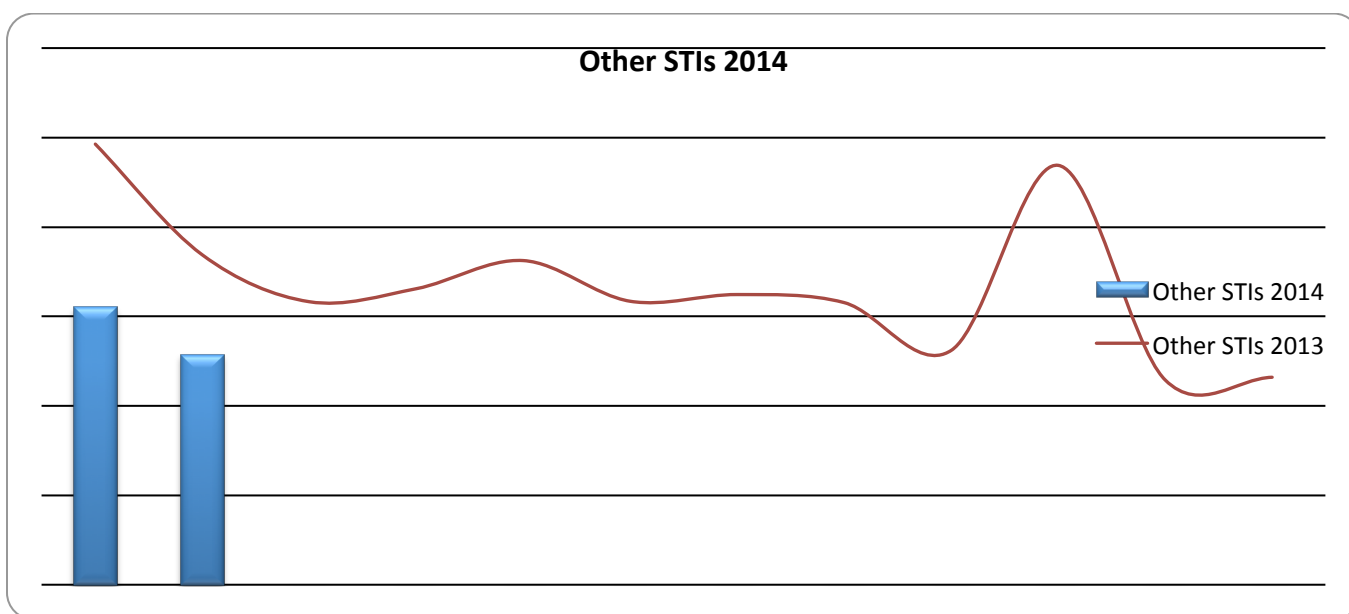
Figure 8: New AIDS Cases in Botswana, 2014



February recorded 1121 HIV Positive Cases and 8 deaths compared to 1113 cases in January and 5 deaths. Furthermore 154 New AIDS Cases were captured in February and 102 cases were recorded for January.

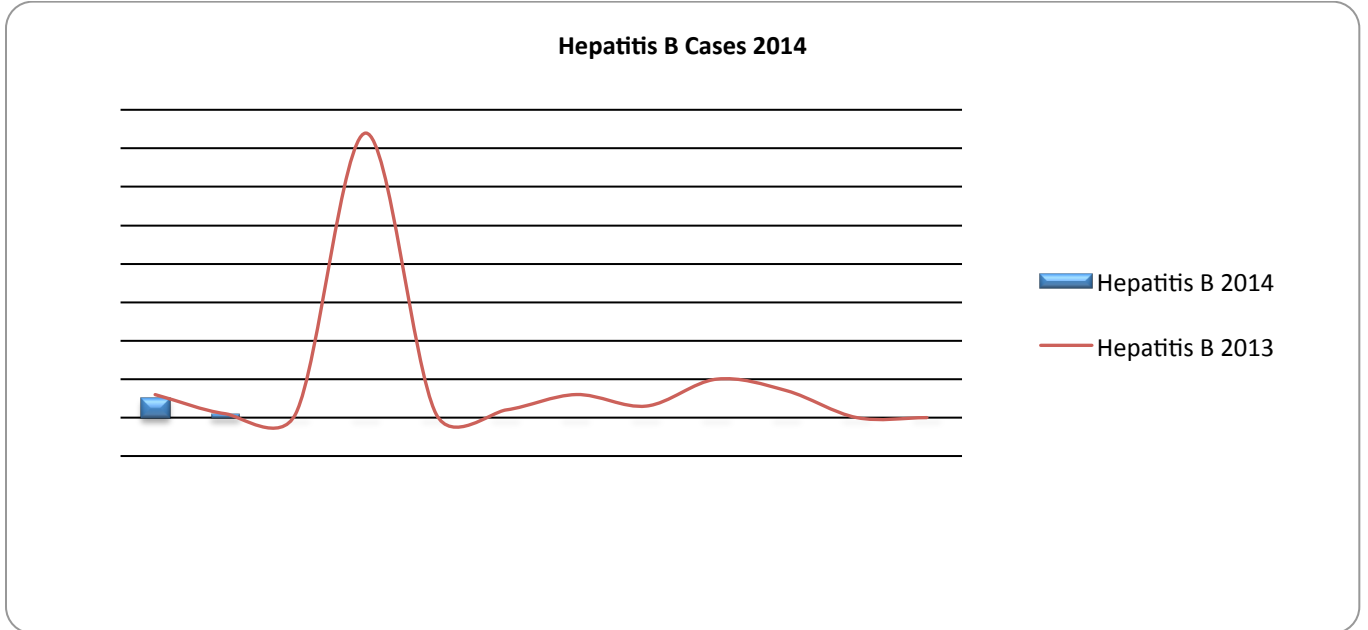
5. Other STI'S Cases in Botswana, 2014

Figure 9: Other STI'S Cases in Botswana, 2014



A total of 515 cases of other STIs were recorded in February compared to 620 cases in January. The highest cases of other STI's in February were recorded in Kweneng East at 212 cases.

Figure 10: Hepatitis B Cases in Botswana, 2014



Only 1 case of Hepatitis was reported in February compared to 5 cases in January.