

PREP SERVICE LAUNCHING IN KAMPOT PROVINCE

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The National Center for HIV/AIDS, Dermatology and STD (NCHADS) with financial support from DFAT through UNAIDS and technical support from EpiC project, FHI360, organized a PrEP service launching event in Kampot province. This is the 18th site of PrEP service in



national HIV program. The PrEP service is delivered at family health clinic (FHC) of the provincial hospital to offer service to clients especially key population (KPs) in the province to contribute to the target of the epidemic control by keeping negative KPs staying negative and finding new HIV cases.

This event was honorably participated by NCHADS

management team, EpiC-FHI360, Provincial Health Department, Provincial AIDS and STD Program, service providers in hospital, community-based organization, MHC and KP from community all around 30 people.

The objective of the launch was to inform KPs and relevant stakeholders on the availability of PrEP service and to promote access to PrEP service as well as ensure PrEP service is well functioning in the Kampot province.

The PrEP launching event starts with the remarks from honorable guests including **Dr. Tann Chheng**, Deputy Director of PHD, **Mr. Mao Kimrun**, Director of MHC, **Ms. Seng Sopheap**, Country Representative of FHI360, **Mr. Ung Polin**, UNAIDS and launching announcement by **Dr. Ouk Vichea**, Director of NCHADS.



The whole PrEP launching event was live on 10 different Facebook pages such as: NCHADS/Care & Treatment, kapeakh, KHANA Cambodia, Men's Health Cambodia, MstyleKhmer, MET Loar page, I Am Me and More, SMARTgirl, Srey Sros Khmer and EQHA.