KWAZULU NATAL CHURCH AIDS NETWORK (KZN-CAN)

The KwaZulu-Natal Christian Council provides a comprehensive targeted HIV, TB and STI and related prevention interventions which consist of the following stakeholders as listed on figure 1 below. The interventions by KZNCC ensure that these stakeholders’ plays a participatory role in promoting a positive health and dignity approach towards HIV and Aids Prevention programming incorporated with evidence-based Theologies of care.

The KZNCC overarching goal is to provide comprehensive targeted HIV, TB and STI prevention interventions to the selected vulnerable populations in eleven targeted districts of KwaZulu Natal: EThekwini, UMgungundlovu, Zululand, UMkhanyakude, King Cetshwayo, UMzinyathi, Amajuba, UThukela, Ilembe, and UGq Districts working with Community Based Organizations (CBO’s) and Faith Based Organizations (FBO’s) structures for the effective implementation.

KwaZulu-Natal Church Aids Network Programme Stakeholder Matrix

- Government
  - KZN Premier’s Office;
  - KZN Department of Health (DoH)
  - South African National AIDS Council (SANAC)
  - Provincial Aids Council (PAC)
  - District Aids Council (DAC)

- Non-Governmental Organisations
  - CINDI Network
  - Health Systems Trust

- Social Movements
  - National Association of People Living with HIV and Aids;
  - Treatment Action Campaign
  - Voices of Widows (VW);
  - Sisters of Faith in Action (SOFIA);
  - Rural Women’s Movement (RWM);

- Churches
  - Evangelical Lutheran Church of Southern Africa – South East Diocese (ELCSA – SED);
  - Methodist Church of Southern Africa;
  - Salvation Army;
  - Anglican Church;
  - South African Catholics Bishops Conference (SACBC);
  - Evangelical Church Aids Program (ECAP).

- Tertiary Institutions
  - University of KwaZulu Natal School of Theology;
  - Seth Mokotimi Methodist Seminary SMMS
  - Cedara Theological Seminary CTS