How to use your People Living with HIV Stigma Index data in UHC advocacy

What does your PLHIV Stigma Index data say about access to health, integration of services and quality of care? Focus on questions that address general health status, healthcare service delivery, quality of healthcare and abuses of human rights within healthcare. These are generally found in Section E: interactions with Healthcare Services.

Use the grid below to identify the most useful data from PLHIV Stigma Index 2.0 to use in your UHC advocacy. You may need to access the 'raw data' if you don't have the answers in the PLHIV Stigma Index report.

How many people completed the PLHIV Stigma Index in total?	Total number of respondents (A):			
	Number of respondents that answered that question (B)	**Percentage of respondents**	**Were there any differences according to their gender, age, or other identity?**	**Notes**
General Health Status				
Question 35: How many people said that they were in poor health? This question helps you identify who is being left behind		= B ÷ A	*e.g. more LGBT+ said they were in poor health than non-LGBT+*	*e.g. this data missing from the report*
Question 36: How many people declared that they had been diagnosed with other health conditions in the past 12 months? This question helps you make the case for people-centred approaches				
Question 37: How many people said they had been offered treatment for other health conditions? This question helps you identify gaps in integration of services				
Service Delivery Experiences These questions will help you understand how people experience health services				
Question 38: How many people go to community-led care for their regular HIV care and treatment? This question helps you make the case for community-led care				
Question 39: How many people said they knew of a community-led HIV clinic? As above.				
Question 42: How many people sought healthcare for non-HIV related health needs? This question helps you identify the need for integrated services				

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Quality of Care These questions will help you make the case for why UHC policies will fail if they are not inclusive, rights-based and specifically address HIV stigma and discrimination.				
Question 41: How many people reported abuse of their human rights when seeking HIV specific health care? This question helps you identify who is being left behind and gaps in quality				
Question 43: How many people reported abuse of their human rights when seeking non-HIV related health care? This question helps you identify where the problems are				
Question 44: How many people said that they do not report their HIV status when seeking general health care? This question helps you identify who is being left behind				
Question 45: How many people said that they do not think their medical records are kept confidential? This question helps you identify specific gaps in quality of care				
Question 46: How many people said that a healthcare professional had abused their human rights because of their HIV status? This question helps you identify specific gaps in quality of care				
Question 47: How many women said that a health care professional had abused their human rights because of their HIV status? This question helps you identify specific problems in integrating HIV and reproductive health services				