

**Table 1307. People Infected With HIV and AIDS-Related Deaths, by Region: 2004 and 2006**

[In thousands (36,900 represents 36,900,000). Estimates are based on ranges, called 'plausibility bounds,' which reflect the certainty associated with each estimate and define the boundaries within which the actual numbers lie]

Region	Adults and children living with HIV		Adults and children newly infected with HIV		Adult prevalence (percent)		Adult and child deaths due to AIDS	
	2004	2006	2004	2006	2004	2006	2004	2006
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>36,900</b>	<b>39,500</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>4,300</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>2,900</b>
Sub-Saharan Africa . . . . .	23,600	24,700	2,600	2,800	6.0	5.9	1,900	2,100
North Africa and Middle East . . . . .	400	460	59	68	0.2	0.2	33	36
South and South-East Asia . . . . .	7,200	7,800	770	860	0.6	0.6	510	590
East Asia . . . . .	620	750	90	100	0.1	0.1	33	43
Oceania . . . . .	72	81	8	7	0.3	0.4	3	4
Latin America . . . . .	1,500	1,700	130	140	0.5	0.5	53	65
Caribbean . . . . .	240	250	25	27	1.1	1.2	21	19
Eastern Europe and Central Asia . . . . .	1,400	1,700	160	270	0.7	0.9	48	84
Western and Central Europe . . . . .	700	740	22	22	0.3	0.3	12	12
North America . . . . .	1,200	1,400	43	43	0.7	0.8	18	18

Source: Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) and World Health Organization (WHO), *AIDS Epidemic Update: December 2006* (copyright). See also <[http://www.unaids.org/en/HIV\\_data/epi2006/default.asp](http://www.unaids.org/en/HIV_data/epi2006/default.asp)>.