

**DECISION ON THE PARTNERSHIP FOR THE ERADICATION
OF MOTHER-CHILD TRANSMISSION OF HIV/AIDS
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The Assembly,

1. **REAFFIRMS** its previous commitments, especially as contained in the Abuja Declaration on HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, Malaria and other Related Infectious Diseases, the Maputo Plan of Action and the Campaign for the Reduction of Maternal Mortality in Africa;
2. **RECALLS** that despite the progress achieved, Africa continues to be gravely affected by the scourge of HIV/AIDS;
3. **EXPRESSES** its preoccupation with the seriousness of the phenomenon of the transmission of HIV/AIDS from mother to child, which constitutes a threat to the future of the Continent;
4. **INVITES** all Member States to intensify efforts relating to antiretroviral treatment and prevention of mother to child transmission and to extend such efforts to primary health centres;
5. **UNDERScores** the need to promote throughout the continent, programs for the total eradication of mother to child transmission so that no child is born with HIV/AIDS;
6. **REQUESTS** the coordination, within the shortest time possible, of collective action of all African actors concerned, with help of interested international partners, to put a final end to the transmission of HIV/AIDS from mother to child.

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