South Africa
Upper middle income country
Population in 2015
54.49 million people
WHO region
Africa
Total Health Expenditure per capita in 2013 US dollar
$593 per person

Health Technology Assessment (HTA) system

Governance

National HTA organization
Not yet established

Legislative requirement
Results of HTA have to be considered in decision-making process

Process transparency

Guidelines for preparing HTA
Publicly available

Conflict of interest declaration
Declared for those involved in preparing HTA reports

Civil society participation
Civil society has the opportunity to comment on recommendations

Purpose

Purposes of HTA
Clinical practice guidelines and protocols, Pricing of health products, Reimbursement/package of benefits

How HTA is used in decision-making
Advisory, decision makers rely partly on the advice

Public communication

Are the conclusions of HTA reports publicly available?
Yes

Do the policy outcomes based on HTA reports become publicly available?
Yes

Data sources
1. 2015 Global Survey on Health Technology Assessment by National Authorities (August 2015)
2. World Bank’s classification of the world’s economies (July 2015)