## **TOOL: Deciding next steps**

## As your intervention draws to a close, use the questions below to guide decisions about next steps.

- Should the intervention be continued? Has it been successful? Do adolescents and community stakeholders want it to continue?
- Do you have the resources, motivation and time to extend the intervention for additional months or years?
- > Is there a suitable programme, institution or partner organization that could take over the intervention?
- Are there any community members or adolescents who would like to keep some (or all) aspects of the intervention running? What kind of support or preparation do they need?
- Should the intervention continue in the same way? For example, with the same goals, adolescents, locations, etc?
- Are there ways to improve the intervention moving forward?
- If the intervention closes, how can you prepare adolescents and the community? How will you celebrate adolescents' achievements and mark the occasion?
- How can you document and share lessons learned from your intervention?