

# HIV/AIDS among Hispanics

## Florida 2009

## Miami-Dade 2009

Of the 116,743 adult AIDS and 44,983 adult HIV (not AIDS) cases reported to Florida through 2009, Hispanics accounted for:	Of the 32,328 adult AIDS and 12,295 adult HIV (not AIDS) cases reported to Miami-Dade through 2009, Hispanic accounted for:
<p><b><u>AIDS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>17% of total</li> <li>18% of adult men</li> <li>11% of adult women</li> <li>21% of MSM</li> <li>12% of heterosexuals</li> <li>15% of AIDS case deaths</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>AIDS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>34% of total</li> <li>40% of adult men</li> <li>18% of adult women</li> <li>54% of MSM</li> <li>24% of heterosexuals</li> <li>34% of AIDS case deaths</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>HIV (not AIDS)</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>20% of total</li> <li>23% of adult men</li> <li>13% of adult women</li> <li>25% of MSM</li> <li>14% of heterosexuals</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>HIV (not AIDS)</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>39% of total</li> <li>46% of adult men</li> <li>22% of adult women</li> <li>55% of MSM</li> <li>26% of heterosexuals</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Living with HIV/AIDS through 2009 (N=96,241)</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>19% of total adults (age 13+)</li> <li>11% of children (age &lt;13 for HIV/AIDS)</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Living with HIV/AIDS through 2009 (N=24,889)</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>38% of total adults (age 13+)</li> <li>12% of children (age &lt;13 for HIV/AIDS)</li> </ul>
<p>Of 4,426 adult AIDS cases reported to Florida in 2009, 19% were Hispanic Of 5,567 adult HIV cases reported to Florida in 2009, 21% were Hispanic According to Florida's 2009 population estimates, only 15% of Florida's population were Hispanic</p>	<p>Of 888 adult AIDS cases reported to Miami-Dade in 2009, 38% were Hispanic Of 1,233 adult HIV cases reported to Miami-Dade in 2009, 44% were Hispanic According to Miami-Dade's 2009 population estimates, 62% of Miami-Dade's residents were Hispanic</p>

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**One in 148 Hispanic men and one in 548 Hispanic women were infected with HIV in 2008; compared to one in 240 white men and 1,305 white women.**

**One in 99 Hispanic men and one in 517 Hispanic women were infected with HIV in 2008; compared to one in 71 white men and 540 white women.**

**Of those living HIV/AIDS cases among Hispanic through 2009, 30% were US born, 14% Cuban born, 11% Puerto Rican born, 5% Mexican born and the remaining were born elsewhere.**

**Of those living HIV/AIDS cases among Hispanic through 2009 in Miami-Dade, 18% were US born, 24% Cuban born, 6% Puerto Rican born, 5% Colombian & Honduran born respectfully and the remaining were born elsewhere.**

### Recommendations:

- Raising awareness about HIV/AIDS among Hispanic;
- Encourage individuals to be tested for HIV/AIDS;
- Increase youth involvement in HIV community planning, decision making and HIV prevention programming;
- Reduce barriers to HIV testing, prevention and care by reducing HIV/AIDS stigma; and
- Disseminate information on the health benefits of condoms and other risk reduction measures.
- For more Miami-Dade data, go to [www.dadehealth.org](http://www.dadehealth.org), then HIV/AIDS Services.
- For more Florida data, go to [www.floridaaids.org](http://www.floridaaids.org), then trends and statistics.
- For National facts, go to: <http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/hispanic/resources/factsheets/hispanic.htm> or <http://www.kff/hivaids/6007.cfm>

