



Older Adults (Aged 50+) Living with Diagnosed HIV Infection in Miami-Dade County, 2018

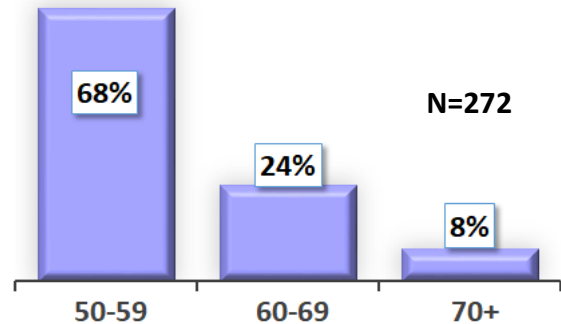
HIV Among Older Adults

15,480 (55%)
of **28,345** persons living with diagnosed HIV infection in Miami-Dade County in 2018 were older adults

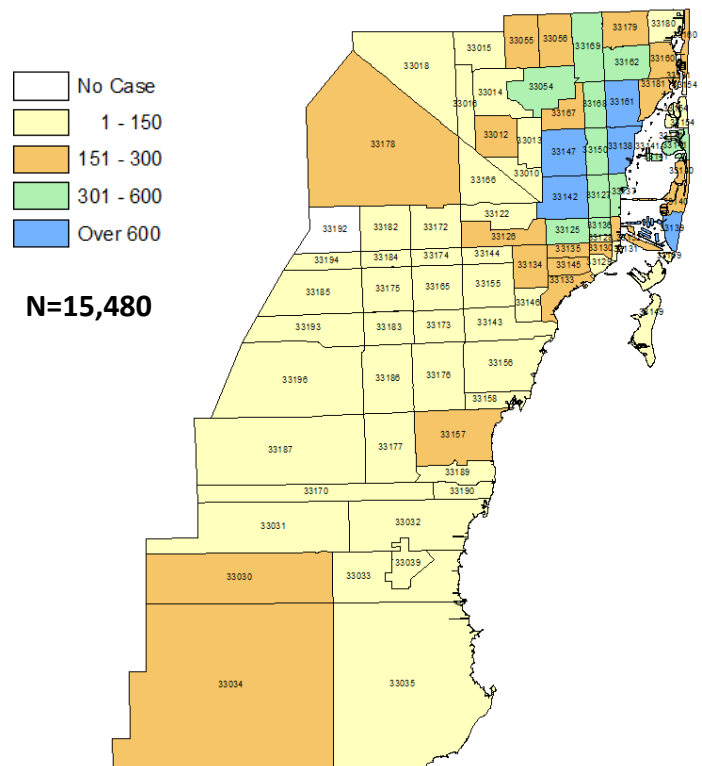
272 (22%)
of **1,224** persons with new HIV diagnoses in Miami-Dade County in 2018 were older adults

152 (38%)
of **402** persons with new AIDS diagnoses in Miami-Dade County in 2018 were older adults

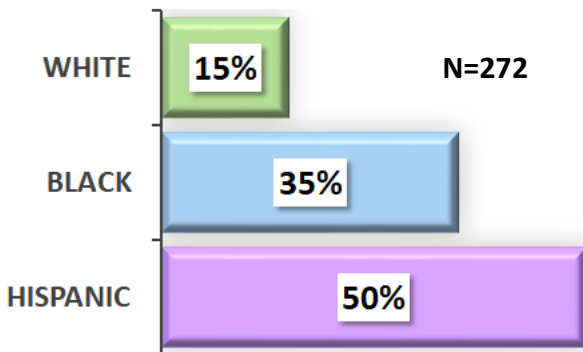
New HIV diagnoses among older adults by age group, Miami-Dade County, 2018



Number of older adults living with HIV in Miami-Dade County in 2018

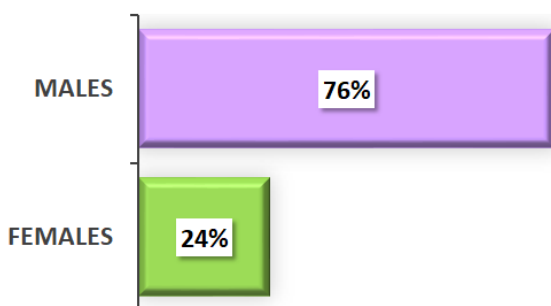


Among older adults with an HIV diagnosis in 2018, Hispanics accounted for 50% of cases

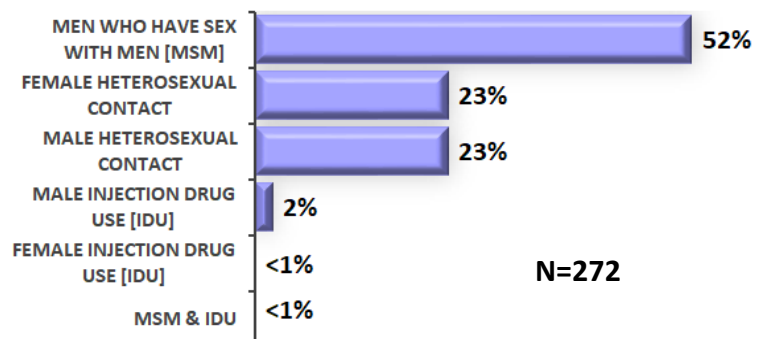


Other race/ethnicity not shown because they represent <1% of data

Among older adults, 76% of new HIV diagnoses in 2018 were males

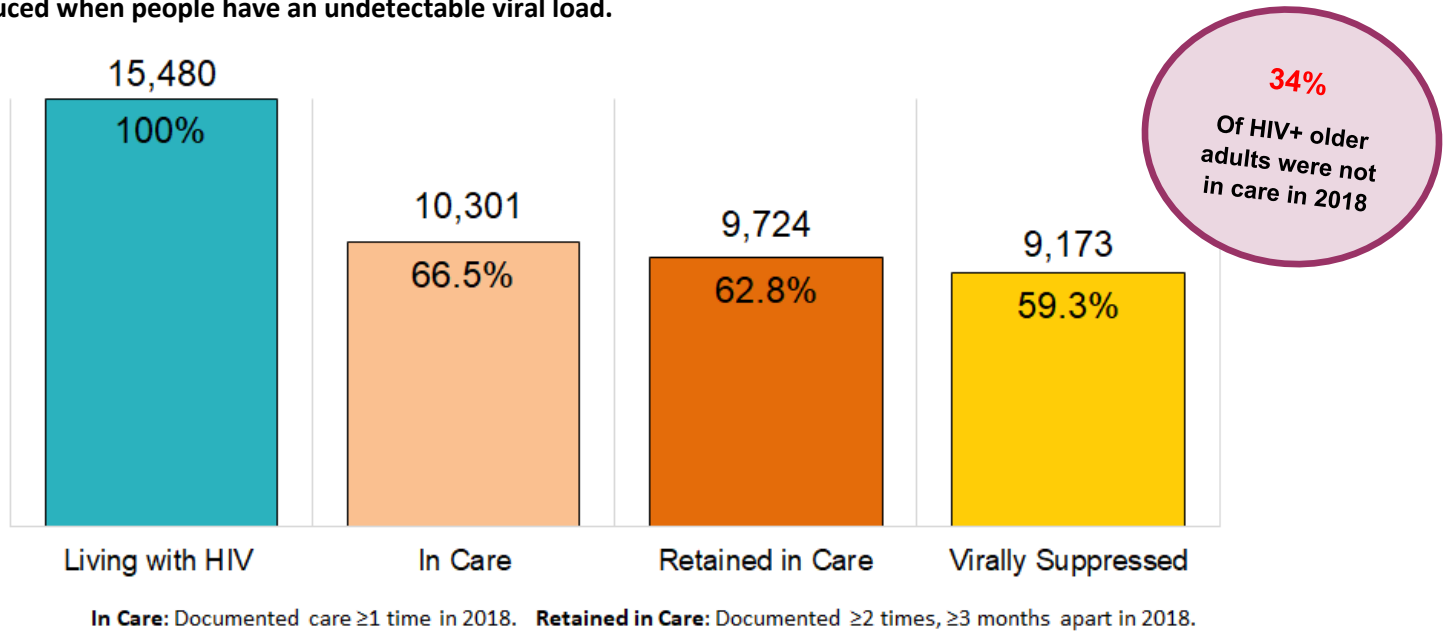


New HIV diagnoses among older adults by risk category in Miami-Dade County, 2018



HIV Care Continuum for older adults living with diagnosed HIV infection in Miami-Dade County in 2018

The HIV Care Continuum reflects the series of steps a person living with HIV (PLWH) from initial diagnosis to being retained in care and achieving a very low level of viral load in the blood (viral suppression). The risk of HIV transmission is greatly reduced when people have an undetectable viral load.



HIV Screening

All adolescents and adults (ages 13-64) should be tested for HIV at least once during their lifetime. Persons at risk for HIV should be tested **annually**.

Per Florida Law, all pregnant women are to be tested for HIV and other STDs at initial prenatal care visit, and again at 28-32 weeks and at labor and delivery, if status is unknown.

www.knowyourhivstatus.com

Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis [PrEP]

For persons at increased risk for HIV, a pill (Truvada®) once daily, can reduce the risk of acquiring HIV by over **90%**. Condoms are still recommended during sex to prevent other STDs, which can increase the risk of HIV. STDs are on the rise in Florida.

www.prelocator.org

Antiretroviral Therapy [ART]

For persons newly diagnosed with HIV, starting ART with a provider immediately after diagnosis improves health outcomes by preventing disease progression and reducing viral load. To find a care provider or to learn more about resources available to persons living with HIV in Miami-Dade visit:

www.testmiami.org

Florida HIV/AIDS Hotline

1-800-FLA-AIDS (352-2437) English
 1-800-545-SIDA (545-7432) Spanish
 1-800-AIDS-101 (243-7101) Haitian Creole
 1-800-503-7118 Hearing/Speech Impaired
 To find a care provider or to learn more about the resources available to persons living with HIV in Florida visit: www.floridaaids.org

Data source: Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Communicable Diseases. HIV/AIDS Section. Epidemiological Profile for Area 11, Miami-Dade County. Data as of June 2019.

