



Blacks living with Diagnosed HIV Infection in Miami-Dade County, 2018

HIV Among Blacks

11,894 (42%)

of **28,345** persons living with diagnosed HIV infection in Miami-Dade County in 2018 were Blacks

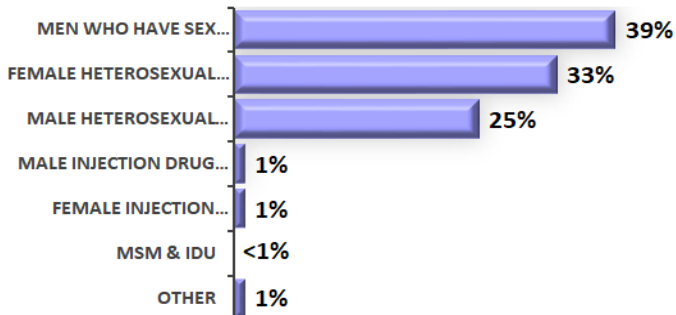
352 (29%)

of **1,224** persons with new HIV diagnoses in Miami-Dade County in 2018 were Blacks

172 (43%)

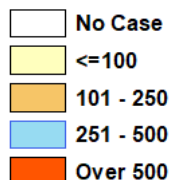
of **402** persons with new AIDS diagnoses in Miami-Dade County in 2018 were Blacks

Proportion of new HIV diagnoses among Blacks by risk category in Miami-Dade County, 2018

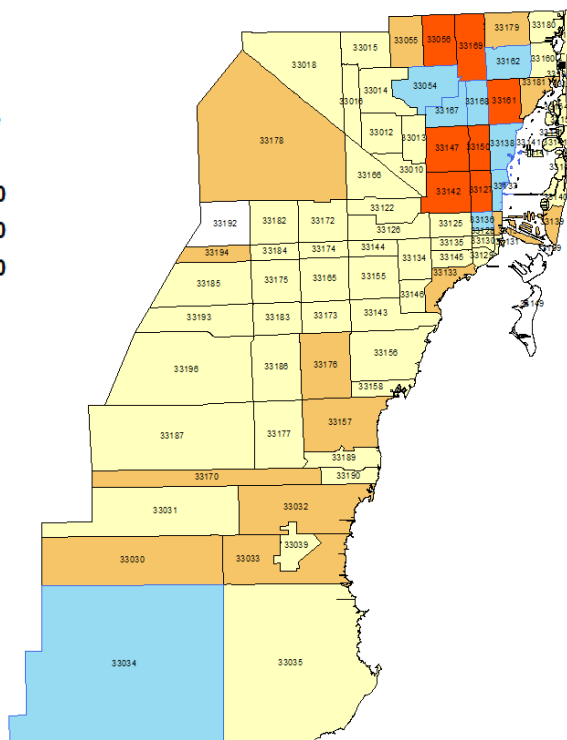


Number of Blacks living with HIV in Miami-Dade County in 2018

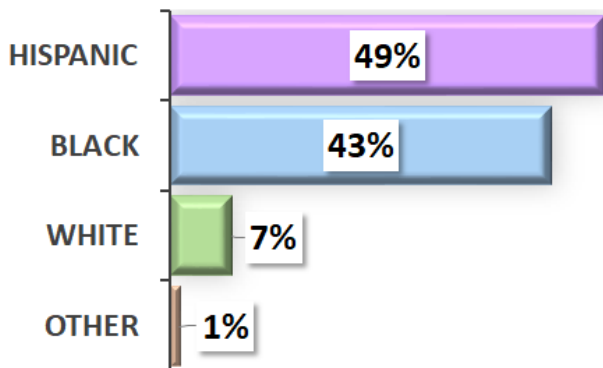
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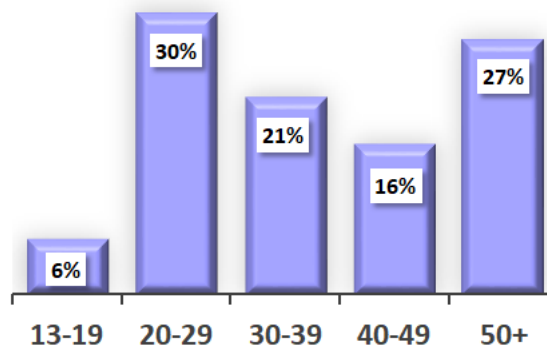


Among adults with an HIV diagnosis in 2018, Blacks accounted for 43% of cases

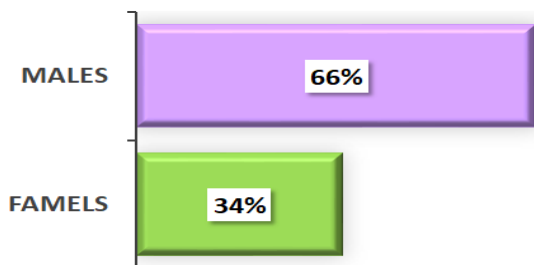


"Other" includes Asian/Pacific Islanders, American Indians/Native Alaskans, and mixed races.

Proportion of new HIV diagnoses among Black adults by age group in Miami-Dade County, 2018

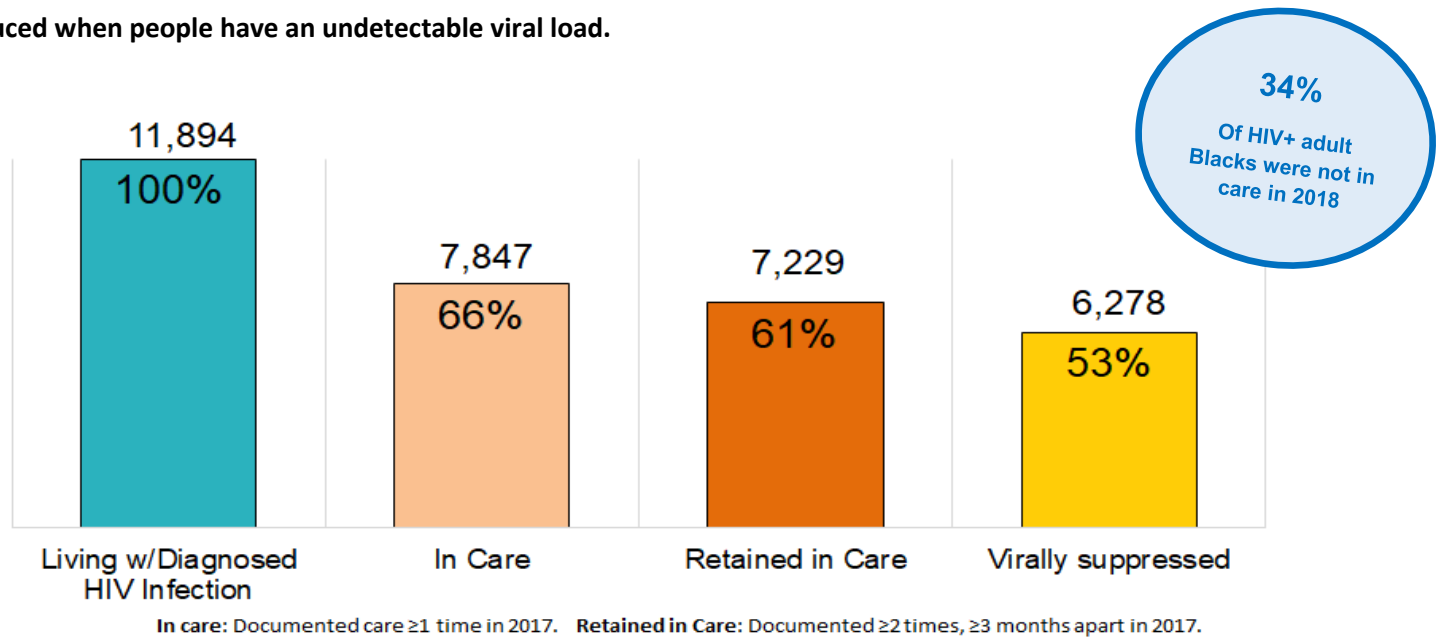


Among Blacks, 66% of new HIV diagnoses in 2018 were males



HIV Care Continuum for Blacks 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.

