



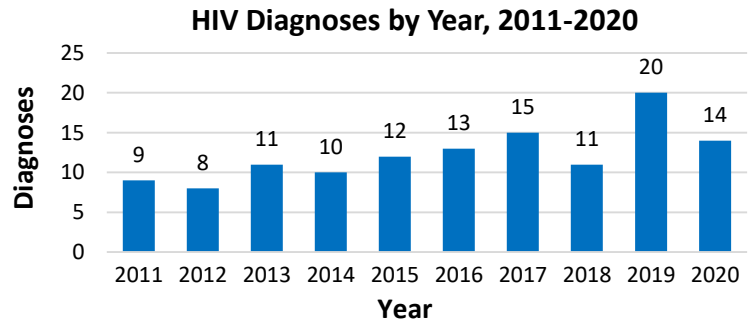
HIV IN WICOMICO COUNTY, 2020

DATA REPORTED THROUGH JUNE 30, 2021

New HIV Diagnoses

In 2020, there were 14 people diagnosed with HIV in Wicomico County.

- 57.1% of the 14 reported HIV diagnoses in Wicomico County in 2020 were NH-Black and 21.4% were Hispanic.
- Of the 14 HIV diagnoses in 2020, 21.4% were among adults ages 20-29 years old, 21.4% were among those ages 30-39, and 28.6% were among those ages 40-49.



People Living with Diagnosed HIV

At the end of 2020, there were 270 people living with diagnosed HIV in Wicomico County.

Age on December 31, 2020

Age Group	Count	Percentage
13-19	--	--
20-29	28	10.4%
30-39	58	21.5%
40-49	46	17.0%
50-59	68	25.2%
60+	70	25.9%

Sex at Birth

Sex	Count	Percentage
Male	187	69.3%
Female	83	30.7%

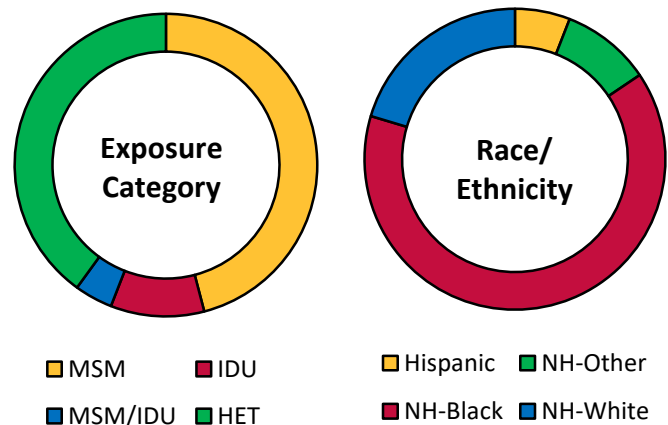
Race/Ethnicity

Race/Ethnicity	Count	Percentage
Hispanic	16	5.9%
NH-Black	173	64.1%
NH-White	55	20.4%
NH-Other	26	9.6%

Exposure Category

Exposure Category	Count	Percentage
MSM	124	46.0%
IDU	27	9.9%
MSM/IDU	11	3.9%
HET	108	39.8%
Perinatal Transmission	1	0.4%

- Rates (per 100,000) were over two times as high in males (379.8) compared to females (151.6).
- Rates among people living with diagnosed HIV were 2 to 7 times higher among NH-Blacks (620.4) compared to Hispanics (271.9) and NH-Whites (86.0). 64.1% of people living with diagnosed HIV in Wicomico County were NH-Black.



NH: Non-Hispanic | HET: Heterosexual Contact | IDU: Injection Drug Use | MSM: Male-to-male Sexual Contact

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Multiple imputation was used to estimate and adjust for missing exposure category. Data represents adults and adolescents (ages 13+) only. Data source: Maryland Enhanced HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS). Data for 2020 should be interpreted with caution due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on access to HIV testing and care-related services.