New HIV Diagnoses in Maryland

In 2022, there were 14 diagnoses among people 65 years and older.

- People 65 years and older accounted for 1.9% of the 751 reported HIV diagnoses in 2022.
- It is estimated that an additional 3.7% of people 55 years and older living with HIV in Maryland remain undiagnosed, as of 2021.
- In 2022, people aged 65 and older had the lowest rate (per 100,000) of new HIV diagnoses (1.3).

Characteristics of Marylanders Aged 65 Years and Older Living with HIV

At the end of 2022, there were 4,541 people aged 65 years and older living with diagnosed HIV.

- Of the 31,616 people living with diagnosed HIV at the end of 2022, 14.4% were 65 years and older.
- 1 in 230 people aged 65 years and older were reported to be living with diagnosed HIV.
- Rates (per 100,000) were twice as high in males (642.7) 65 years and older compared to females (274.8). In other words, 1 in 156 males and 1 in 364 females 65 years and older were living with diagnosed HIV.
- Among those 65+ years, 70.9% had a viral load test result reported in 2022. Of those 3,219 with a reported test result, 94.0% had a suppressed viral load.

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

Multiple imputation was used to estimate and adjust for missing exposure category. Data represents adults ages 65+ only. Data source: Maryland Enhanced HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS).