New HIV Diagnoses in Maryland

In 2022, there were six reported HIV diagnoses among people younger than 13 years old.

Characteristics of Persons < 13 Years Old Living with HIV

At the end of 2022, there were 32 persons under the age of 13 living with diagnosed HIV.

- Of the 31,648 people living with diagnosed HIV of all ages, 528 (1.7%) were younger than 13 years old at time of diagnosis.

- Of the 32 persons living with diagnosed HIV under the age of 13, 7 (21.9%) were foreign-born.

- The rate of HIV among persons younger than 13 years old in 2022 was 3.4 per 100,000.

- 29 (90.6%) of persons younger than 13 years old living with diagnosed HIV had a viral load test during 2022. Of those, 26 (89.7%) had a suppressed viral load.

- Rates were 5 to 15 times as higher among NH-Black persons (8.6 per 100,000) younger than 13 years old living with diagnosed HIV as compared to other races.

NH: Non-Hispanic

Data source: Maryland Enhanced HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS).
Data for 2020 and 2021 should be interpreted with caution due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on access to HIV testing and care-related services.