HIV AMONG WOMEN IN MARYLAND, 2022
DATA REPORTED THROUGH JUNE 30, 2023

New HIV Diagnoses in Maryland

In 2022, there were 212 reported HIV diagnoses among women.

- Women accounted for 28.2% of the 751 reported HIV diagnoses during 2022.
- Most HIV diagnoses among women during 2022 were attributed to sexual contact (88.0%).
- Of the 212 reported HIV diagnoses among women, 80.2% were among NH-Black women, 7.1% among NH-White women, and 10.4% among Hispanic women.

Characteristics of Women Living with HIV in Maryland

At the end of 2022, there were 10,974 women living with diagnosed HIV.

- 73.7% of the women living with diagnosed HIV in Maryland had a viral load test reported in 2022. Of those women with a test result, 88.6% had a suppressed viral load.

- Among women with a viral load test reported in 2022, 79.9% of transgender women, and 88.9% of cisgender women had a suppressed viral load.

Note: Analysis is based on an individual’s gender identity. Therefore, estimates describing gender are inclusive of cisgender and transgender individuals.

NH: Non-Hispanic | IDU: Injection Drug Use

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 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.