

## Maryland HIV Progress Report: Methods Overview

## National HIV/AIDS Strategy Indicators



Increase knowledge of status to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **89.2 percent** 



Reduce new HIV transmissions by **75 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **800** 



Reduce new HIV diagnoses by **75 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **1,048** 



Increase PrEP coverage to **50 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **10.0 percent** 



Increase linkage to care within 1 month of diagnosis to **95** percent from a 2017 baseline of **81.6** percent



Increase viral suppression among people with diagnosed HIV to **95 percent** from a baseline of **60.9 percent** 



Decrease stigma among people with diagnosed HIV by **50** percent



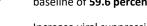
Reduce homelessness among people with diagnosed HIV by **50 percent** 



Increase the median percentage of secondary schools that implement at least 4 out of 7 LGBTQIA+ supportive policies and practices to **65 percent** 



Increase viral suppression among people with MMSC exposure diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **59.6 percent** 



Increase viral suppression among Non-Hispanic Black people with MMSC exposure diagnosed with HIV to **95** percent from a 2017 baseline of **57.0** percent



Increase viral suppression among Hispanic people with MMSC exposure diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **60.3 percent** 



Increase viral suppression among Non-Hispanic American Indian/Alaska Native people with MMSC exposure diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline\*



Increase viral suppression among Non-Hispanic Black females diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **63.3 percent** 



Increase viral suppression among transgender women and girls diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **48.2 percent** 



Increase viral suppression among people with IDU exposure diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **62.0 percent** 



Increase viral suppression among youth aged 13-24 diagnosed with HIV to **95 percent** from a 2017 baseline of **45.0 percent** 



Indicator progress estimated for Maryland



Indicators that cannot be calculated using data sources currently available for Maryland

## **Measuring Progress**

The indicators are considered on target to meet the goal if the projected value for 2025 is within the bounds of the 95 percent confidence interval of the NHAS goal. If the value for the most recent year moves towards the target, the indicator is considered in progress towards the NHAS goal.

## **Important Definitions**

Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis.

**Linkage to Care** Reported CD4 or viral load test performed less than or equal to 1 month after their initial HIV diagnosis.

Viral Suppression Recent viral load measured in the specified year of less than 200 copies per milliliter.

**Knowledge of Status** An individual's awareness of their HIV status.

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer or Questioning, Intersex, Asexual and more.

LGBTQIA+ Supportive

Policies

(1) having a Gay/Straight Alliance (GSA) or similar club, (2) identifying safe spaces, (3) prohibiting harassment based on sexual orientation or gender identity, (4) encouraging staff to attend professional development; (5) facilitating access to out-of-school health service providers, (6) facilitating access to out of school social and psychological service providers, and (7) providing

LGBTQIA+-relevant curricula or supplementary materials.

MMSC Male-to-Male Sexual Contact.

IDU Injection Drug Use.

<sup>\*</sup> Data withheld due to low population counts and/or small numbers.