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Surveillance Summary

Data in this report includes cases diagnosed with HIV, AIDS, or Early Syphilis

- In 2017, Louisiana ranked **4th** in the nation for HIV case rates (22.1 per 100,000 population) and **10th** in the estimated number of HIV cases. The Baton Rouge MSA ranked **5th** and the New Orleans MSA ranked **4th** for HIV case rates (26.9 and 27.0 per 100,000, respectively), among the large metropolitan areas in the nation. The most recent *CDC HIV Surveillance Report* (vol. 29) was released in November 2018 and provided the 2017 rankings.
- According to the same report, Louisiana ranked **3rd** highest in state AIDS case rates (10.8 per 100,000) and **10th** in the number of estimated AIDS cases in 2017. The Baton Rouge metropolitan area ranked **2nd** in AIDS case rates (15.3 per 100,000) and the New Orleans metropolitan area ranked **6th** in AIDS case rates (12.5 per 100,000) in 2017 among the large metropolitan areas in the nation.
- In 2017, Louisiana ranked **3rd** in the nation for primary and secondary (P&S) syphilis case rates (14.5 per 100,000 population) according to the 2017 *CDC STD Surveillance Report*.
- As of March 31, 2019, a total of **22,119** persons were living with HIV (PLWH) in Louisiana; of these individuals, **11,125** persons (50%) have an AIDS diagnosis.
- In 2018, **1,049** new HIV cases were diagnosed in Louisiana. Of these cases, **29%** (n=304) occurred in Region 1 (New Orleans) and **22%** (n=228) occurred in Region 2 (Baton Rouge).
- As of March 31, 2019, a total of **242** persons were diagnosed with early syphilis* in Louisiana; **126** persons were diagnosed with P&S syphilis, and **116** persons were diagnosed with early non-P&S syphilis. Of the total early syphilis cases, **32%** (n=77) occurred in Region 1 (New Orleans) and **23%** (n=55) occurred in Region 2 (Baton Rouge).
- The primary risk factor for new HIV diagnoses in Louisiana is gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men (GBM). In 2018, among persons who reported a risk factor, **54%** reported being GBM, and an additional **1%** reported being GBM and a person who injects drugs (PWID). As of March 31, 2019, **45%** of all people with a reported risk factor living with HIV in Louisiana were GBM.
- The primary risk factor for early syphilis diagnoses in Louisiana is gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men (GBM). As of March 31, 2019, of the persons who reported a risk factor, **56%** reported being GBM, and **50%** reported engaging in heterosexual activity. *Persons could report multiple risk factors for syphilis diagnoses.*
- In Louisiana, **73%** of new HIV cases, **68%** of new AIDS cases, and **75%** of the early syphilis diagnoses were among men.
- African Americans in Louisiana are experiencing a severe health disparity in regards to HIV and STDs. In 2018, **70%** of newly diagnosed HIV cases and **72%** of newly diagnosed AIDS cases were among African Americans. As of March 31, 2019, **68%** of early syphilis cases were among African Americans. African Americans make up only 32% of Louisiana's overall population.
- A large percentage of new HIV and syphilis diagnoses occurred among adolescents and young adults. In 2018, **23%** of all new HIV diagnoses occurred among persons 13-24 years old and an additional **35%** occurred among persons 25-34 years old. As of March 31, 2019, **30%** of all early syphilis diagnoses occurred among persons 13-24 years old and an additional **40%** occurred among persons 25-34 years old.

* A syphilis diagnosis with less than one year duration is considered to be "early syphilis." This designation covers the primary, secondary, and early non-P&S stages of syphilis.

Updates to HIV Transmission Category Nomenclature

Starting in 2019, the Quarterly Report has updated HIV transmission category names using people first language. Men who have sex with men (MSM) is now “Gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men” (GBM). Injection drug use (IDU) is now “People who inject drugs” (PWID).

Changes to Syphilis Case Definition

The Quarterly Report includes revisions to the surveillance case definition for syphilis as approved by the Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE) effective January 1, 2018. Of note, the nomenclature for “Early latent syphilis” has been changed to “Early non-primary non-secondary syphilis.” Throughout the Quarterly Report it has been abbreviated to “Early non-P&S syphilis.” Please refer to the following documentation for additional information on all other syphilis case definition revisions: <https://www.cdc.gov/std/stats/DCL-syph-case-def-sept-4-2017.pdf>.

New Quarterly Report Format:

The format of the Quarterly Report has been redesigned starting Third Quarter 2017. Besides for the removal of cumulative HIV/AIDS cases and cumulative HIV/AIDS deaths by state and region, the core content of the Quarterly Report remains the same with some new modifications described below.

In efforts to more accurately present the data as it relates to gender identity, tables for persons living with HIV now include race/ethnicity and exposure category stratified by current gender identity (i.e. men, women, trans women, & trans men) rather than sex at birth.

In addition, there are three new HIV/AIDS exposure categories: “Trans women- sex with men,” “Trans women- sex with men/injection drug user (IDU),” and “Female presumed heterosexual contact” (FPHC). In previous versions of the Quarterly Report, trans women who indicated engaging in sex with men would have their HIV exposure classified as “Men who has sex with men” (MSM) or “MSM/IDU.” The new exposure categories (“Trans women- sex with men” & “Trans women- sex with men/IDU”) acknowledge and highlight the differences in gender identity between gay and bisexual men versus trans women as well as strive to better describe the populations affected by HIV in Louisiana.

In previous Quarterly Reports, a significant number of HIV-positive women who did not meet the stringent “high risk” criteria for “Heterosexual contact” were classified as “No identified risk.” In an effort to better capture and present heterosexual transmission of HIV among women, the STD/HIV Program has used an algorithm from the Centers for Disease Control that re-categorizes many women formerly classified as “No identified risk” as now meeting the exposure criteria for FPHC. The primary criteria for FPHC includes: sex at birth is female, answered ‘yes’ to sex with men, answered ‘no’ to injection drug use, and has no other documentation that would suggest an alternative mode of HIV acquisition.

Time Periods for this Quarterly Report (First Quarter 2019 Report):

Persons Living with HIV – As of March 31, 2019

New HIV Diagnoses – Calendar Year 2018

New AIDS Diagnoses – Calendar Year 2018

New P&S Syphilis Diagnoses – January 1 to March 31, 2019 (First Quarter 2019)

New Early Latent Syphilis Diagnoses – January 1 to March 31, 2019 (First Quarter 2019)

Future Quarterly Report:

Second Quarter 2019 Report: Release in August 2019

Persons Living with HIV, As of June 30, 2019

HIV and AIDS Diagnoses, Calendar Year 2018

P&S Syphilis Diagnoses, First-Second Quarter 2019 (January-June 2019)

Early non-Primary non-Secondary Syphilis Diagnoses - First-Second Quarter 2019 (January-June 2019)

Abbreviations

Asian/PI	Asian/Pacific Islander
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
FPHC	Female presumed heterosexual contact
FSF	Female sex with female
HRH	High risk heterosexual contact
PWID	Persons who inject drugs
GBM	Gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men
GBM/PWID	Gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men & inject drugs
NH	Non-Hispanic
PLWH	Persons living with HIV
P&S	Primary and secondary syphilis

***Persons Living with HIV
Louisiana
as of March 31, 2019***

22,119 persons are currently living with HIV/AIDS in Louisiana.

Number of persons living with HIV: **10,994**

Number of persons living with AIDS: **11,125**

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	15,465	69.9
Women	6,350	28.7
Trans women	302	1.4
Trans men	2	0.0
Current Age		
0-12	32	0.1
13-19	96	0.4
20-24	675	3.1
25-29	1,861	8.4
30-34	2,398	10.8
35-39	2,558	11.6
40-44	2,627	11.9
45-49	2,524	11.4
50-54	2,770	12.5
55-59	2,889	13.1
60+	3,689	16.7
Total	22,119	100.0

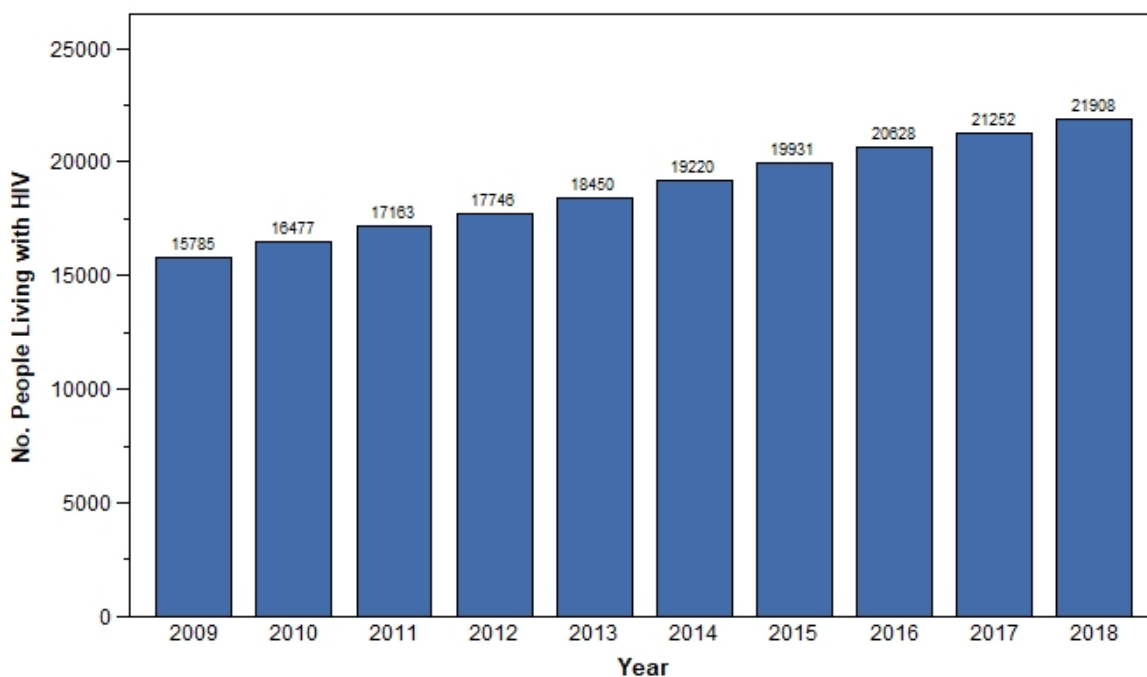
	Men		Women		Trans women		Trans men		LA State Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity										
American Indian	34	0.2	8	0.1	1	0.3	-	-	43	0.2
Asian/PI	68	0.4	18	0.3	2	0.7	-	-	88	0.4
Black, NH	9,768	63.2	5,176	81.5	250	82.8	2	100.0	15,196	68.7
Hispanic/Latinx	830	5.4	195	3.1	20	6.6	-	-	1,045	4.7
Multi-race	118	0.8	40	0.6	2	0.7	-	-	160	0.7
White, NH	4,642	30.0	909	14.3	27	8.9	-	-	5,578	25.2
Unknown	5	0.0	4	0.1	-	-	-	-	9	0.0
Total	15,465	100.0	6,350	100.0	302	100.0	2	100.0	22,119	100.0

**Persons Living with HIV
Louisiana
as of March 31, 2019**

Exposure Category	Men		Women		Trans women		LA State Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
GBM	8,739	65.9	-	-	-	-	8,739	44.6
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	269	89.1	269	1.4
GBM/PWID	806	6.1	-	-	-	-	806	4.1
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	29	9.6	29	0.1
PWID	1,043	7.9	663	11.0	2	0.7	1,708	8.7
HRH	2,544	19.2	4,491	74.5	2	0.7	7,037	35.9
FPHC	-	-	739	12.3	-	-	739	3.8
Transfusion/Hemophilia	33	0.2	27	0.4	-	-	60	0.3
Perinatal	93	0.7	106	1.8	-	-	199	1.0
Confirmed Other	-	-	1	0.0	-	-	1	0.0
Total	13,258	100.0	6,027	100.0	302	100.0	19,587	100.0

	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Trans women</i>	<i>Trans men</i>	<i>Total</i>
No Reported Risk	2,207	323	0	2	2,532

**10-Year Trends in Persons Living with HIV Infection
Louisiana, 2009-2018**



Persons Newly Diagnosed with HIV Louisiana, January - December 2018

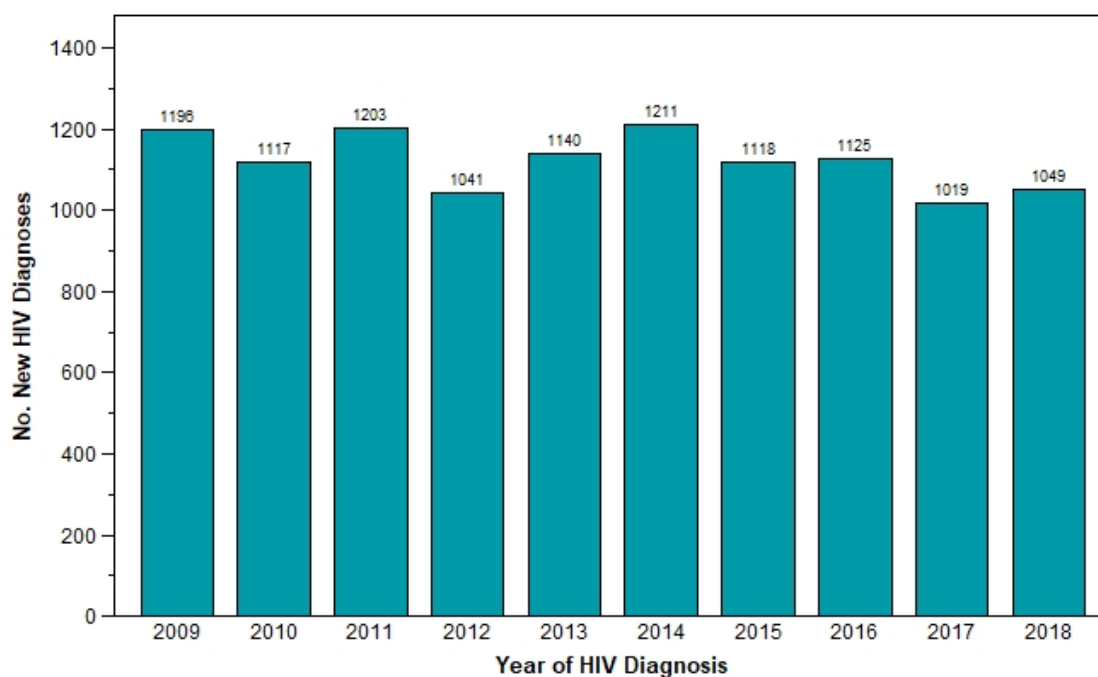
In 2018, **1,049** persons were newly diagnosed with HIV in Louisiana.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	765	72.9
Women	261	24.9
Trans women	22	2.1
Trans men	1	0.1
Age at Diagnosis		
0-12	1	0.1
13-24	238	22.7
25-34	369	35.2
35-44	207	19.7
45+	234	22.3
Race/Ethnicity		
American Indian	3	0.3
Asian/PI	6	0.6
Black, NH	729	69.5
Hispanic/Latinx	67	6.4
Multi-race	5	0.5
White, NH	238	22.7
Unknown	1	0.1
Total	1,049	100.0

	No.	%
Exposure Category		
GBM	427	53.6
Trans women - sex with men	20	2.5
GBM/PWID	10	1.3
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	2	0.3
PWID	39	4.9
HRH	226	28.4
FPHC	71	8.9
Perinatal	2	0.3
Total	797	100.0

No Reported Risk 252

10-Year Trends in New HIV Diagnoses Louisiana, 2009-2018



Persons Newly Diagnosed with AIDS Louisiana, January - December 2018

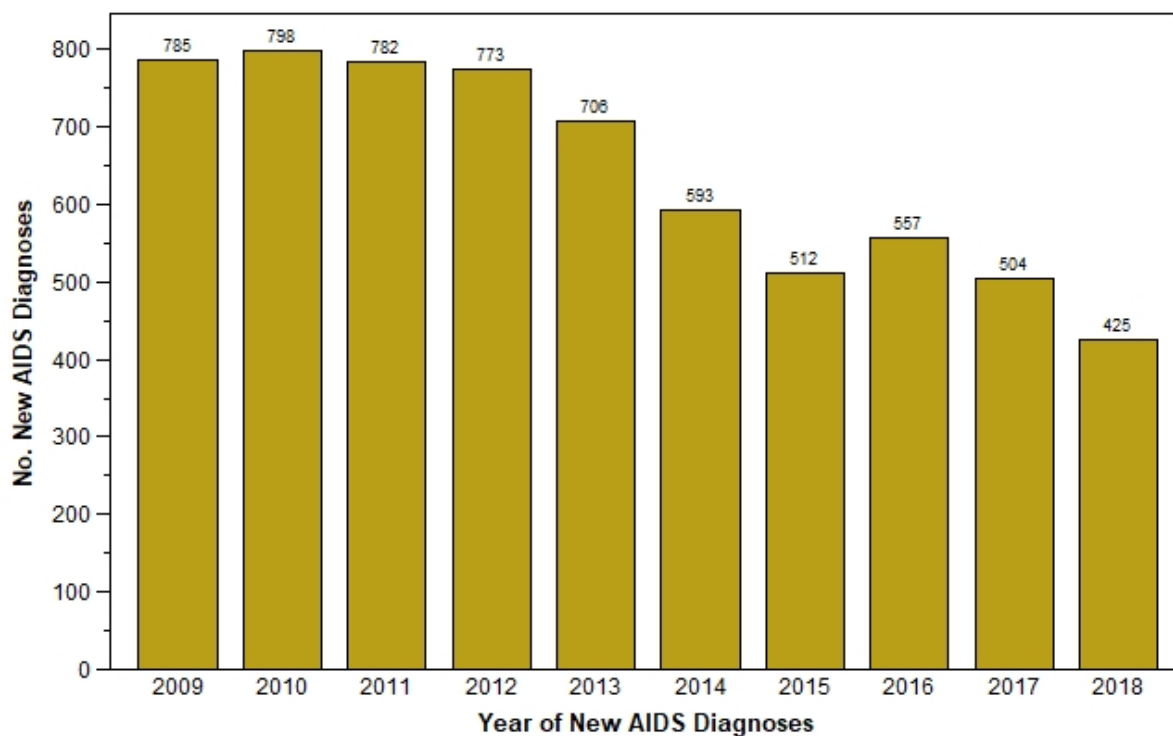
In 2018, **425** persons were newly diagnosed with AIDS in Louisiana.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	289	68.0
Women	129	30.4
Trans women	7	1.6
Age at Diagnosis		
13-24	36	8.5
25-34	142	33.4
35-44	107	25.2
45+	140	32.9
Race/Ethnicity		
Asian/PI	1	0.2
Black, NH	305	71.8
Hispanic/Latinx	19	4.5
Multi-race	4	0.9
White, NH	96	22.6
Total	425	100.0

	No.	%
Exposure Category		
GBM	149	44.2
Trans women - sex with men	6	1.8
GBM/PWID	5	1.5
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	1	0.3
PWID	18	5.3
HRH	120	35.6
FPHC	35	10.4
Transfusion/Hemophilia	1	0.3
Perinatal	2	0.6
Total	337	100.0

No Reported Risk 88

10-Year Trends in New AIDS Diagnoses Louisiana, 2009-2018



Persons Diagnosed with P&S Syphilis Louisiana, January - March 2019

Between January 1 and March 31, 2019, **126** persons were diagnosed with P&S Syphilis in Louisiana.

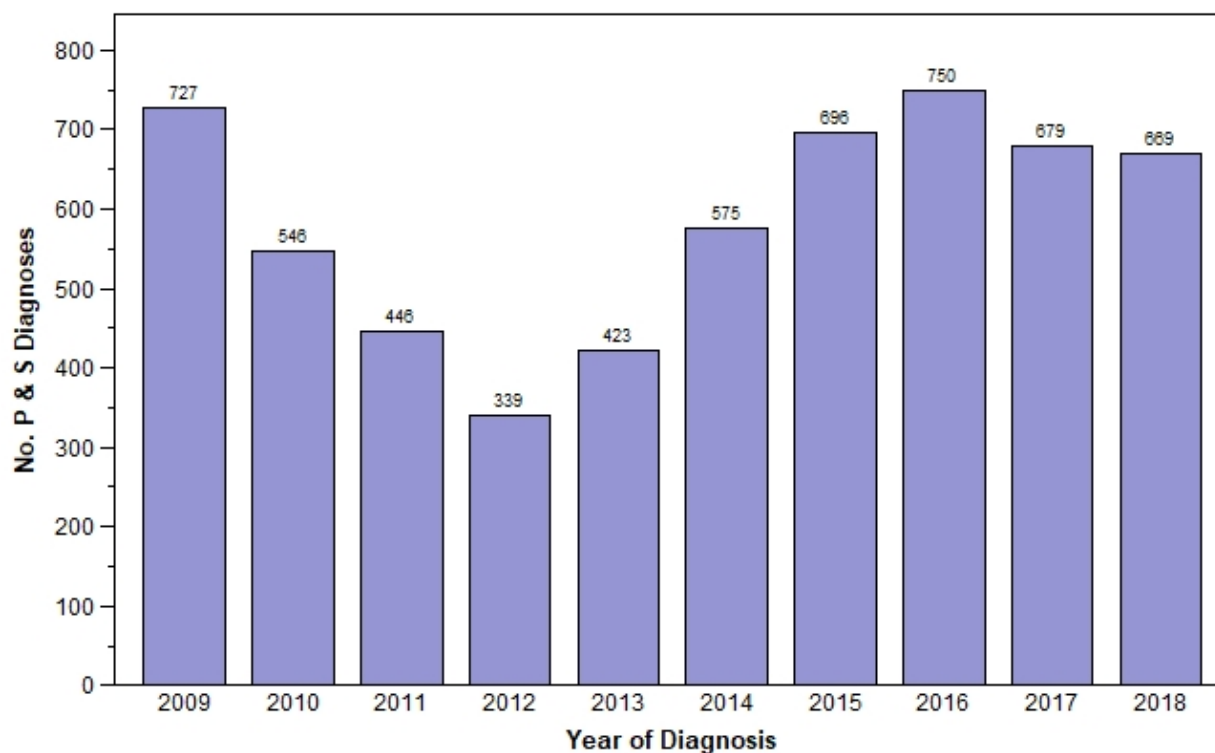
	No.	%
Gender		
Men	94	74.6
Women	29	23.0
Trans women	3	2.4
Age at Diagnosis		
13-19	11	8.7
20-29	57	45.2
30-39	39	31.0
40+	19	15.1
Race/Ethnicity		
Asian/PI	1	0.8
Black, NH	81	64.3
Hispanic/Latinx	2	1.6
White, NH	42	33.3
State Total	126	100.0

<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%
FSF	5	4.2
GBM	60	50.0
GBM/PWID	2	1.7
HRH	27	22.5
Heterosexual contact	40	33.3
Illegal drug use (all types)	57	47.5
Incarceration	17	14.2
PWID	2	1.7
Transactional sex	8	6.7

No Reported Risk 6

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

10-Year Trends in P & S Syphilis Diagnoses Louisiana, 2009-2018



***Persons Diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis
Louisiana, January - March 2019***

Between January 1 and March 31, 2019, **116** persons were diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis in Louisiana.

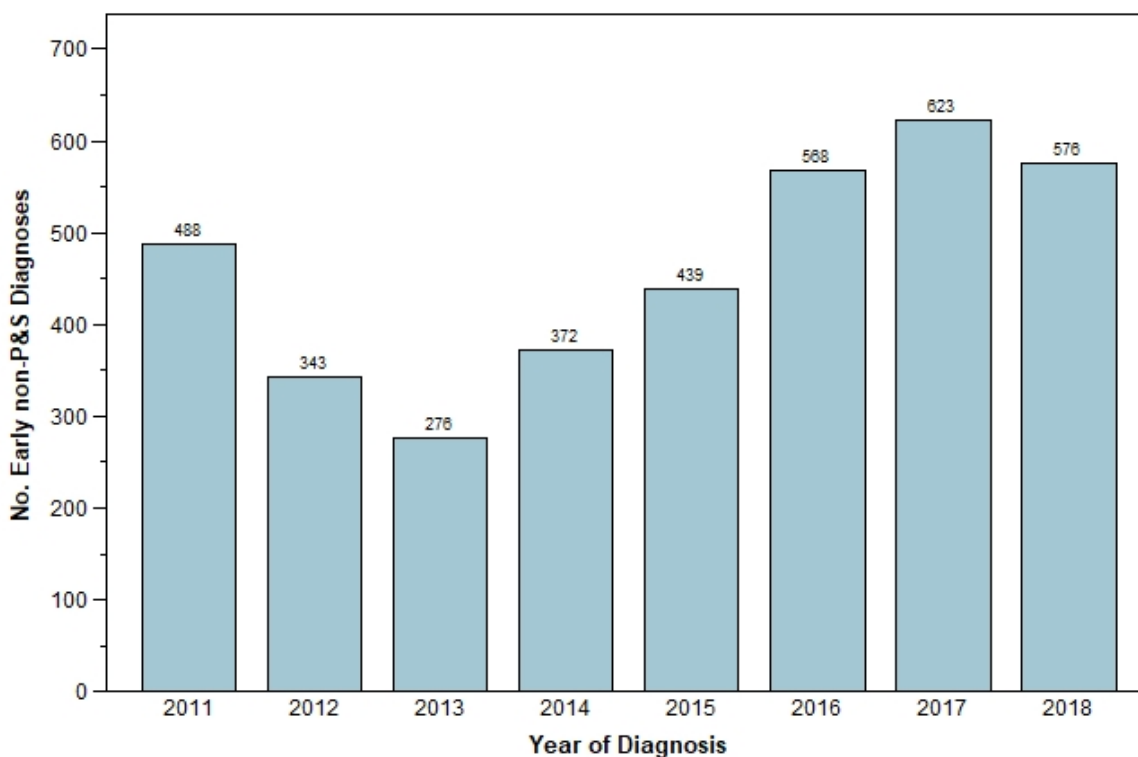
	No.	%
Gender		
Men	88	75.9
Women	25	21.6
Trans women	3	2.6
Age at Diagnosis		
13-19	3	2.6
20-29	55	47.4
30-39	35	30.2
40+	23	19.8
Race/Ethnicity		
Asian/PI	1	0.9
Black, NH	84	72.4
Hispanic/Latinx	6	5.2
White, NH	25	21.6
State Total	116	100.0

<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%
FSF	3	2.7
GBM	69	61.1
GBM/PWID	0	0.0
HRH	15	13.3
Heterosexual contact	35	31.0
Illegal drug use (all types)	40	35.4
Incarceration	9	8.0
PWID	4	3.5
Transactional sex	8	7.1

No Reported Risk 3

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

**8-Year Trends in Early non-P&S Syphilis Diagnoses
Louisiana, 2011-2018**



***Persons Living with HIV by Parish
as of March 31, 2019***

<i>Parish</i>	<i>No. PLWH</i>	<i>Parish</i>	<i>No. PLWH</i>
Acadia	154	Sabine	20
Allen	200	St. Bernard	195
Ascension	251	St. Charles	120
Assumption	39	St. Helena	23
Avoyelles	159	St. James	84
Beauregard	50	St. John the Baptist	183
Bienville	39	St. Landry	321
Bossier	278	St. Martin	104
Caddo	1,267	St. Mary	110
Calcasieu	708	St. Tammany	541
Caldwell	24	Tangipahoa	437
Cameron	3	Tensas	31
Catahoula	33	Terrebonne	230
Claiborne	74	Union	41
Concordia	48	Vermilion	109
De Soto	63	Vernon	67
East Baton Rouge	4,118	Washington	208
East Carroll	23	Webster	78
East Feliciana	212	West Baton Rouge	119
Evangeline	92	West Carroll	17
Franklin	51	West Feliciana	130
Grant	50	Winn	24
Iberia	137		
Iberville	296		
Jackson	23		
Jefferson	2,146		
Jefferson Davis	67		
LaSalle	59		
Lafayette	858		
Lafourche	162		
Lincoln	103		
Livingston	237		
Madison	41		
Morehouse	60		
Natchitoches	136		
Orleans	5,244		
Ouachita	693		
Plaquemines	51		
Pointe Coupee	56		
Rapides	560		
Red River	16		
Richland	46		

Total PLWH: 22,119

Persons Diagnosed with Early Syphilis* by Parish
January - March 2019

<i>Parish</i>	<i>No. Diagnoses</i>	<i>Parish</i>	<i>No. Diagnoses</i>
Acadia	2	Sabine	2
Allen	0	St. Bernard	2
Ascension	3	St. Charles	1
Assumption	0	St. Helena	0
Avoyelles	4	St. James	1
Beauregard	0	St. John the Baptist	1
Bienville	0	St. Landry	0
Bossier	9	St. Martin	1
Caddo	21	St. Mary	1
Calcasieu	1	St. Tammany	3
Caldwell	2	Tangipahoa	10
Cameron	0	Tensas	2
Catahoula	1	Terrebonne	3
Claiborne	0	Union	1
Concordia	1	Vermilion	1
De Soto	3	Vernon	1
East Baton Rouge	45	Washington	0
East Carroll	0	Webster	1
East Feliciana	2	West Baton Rouge	2
Evangeline	1	West Carroll	0
Franklin	0	West Feliciana	0
Grant	1	Winn	0
Iberia	1		
Iberville	3		
Jackson	0		
Jefferson	13		
Jefferson Davis	0		
LaSalle	0		
Lafayette	7		
Lafourche	1		
Lincoln	3		
Livingston	0		
Madison	2		
Morehouse	1		
Natchitoches	1		
Orleans	62		
Ouachita	1		
Plaquemines	0		
Pointe Coupee	0		
Rapides	17		
Red River	0		
Richland	1		

Total Early Syphilis Cases: 126

* A syphilis diagnosis with less than one year duration is considered "early syphilis." This designation covers the primary, secondary, and early non-P&S stages of syphilis.

**Persons Living with HIV
Metro New Orleans
as of March 31, 2019**

Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, & St. Tammany Parishes

8,564 persons are currently living with HIV/AIDS in Metro New Orleans.

Number of persons living with HIV: **4,232**

Number of persons living with AIDS: **4,332**

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	6,254	73.0
Women	2,148	25.1
Trans women	160	1.9
Trans men	2	0.0
Current Age		
0-12	9	0.1
13-19	36	0.4
20-24	221	2.6
25-29	700	8.2
30-34	897	10.5
35-39	962	11.2
40-44	974	11.4
45-49	929	10.8
50-54	1,091	12.7
55-59	1,191	13.9
60+	1,554	18.1
Total	8,564	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Trans men		Metro New Orleans Totals	
Race/Ethnicity	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
American Indian	8	0.1	1	0.0	1	0.6	-	-	10	0.1
Asian/PI	38	0.6	7	0.3	2	1.3	-	-	47	0.5
Black, NH	3,605	57.6	1,726	80.4	130	81.3	2	100.0	5,463	63.8
Hispanic/Latinx	441	7.1	126	5.9	14	8.8	-	-	581	6.8
Multi-race	41	0.7	13	0.6	1	0.6	-	-	55	0.6
White, NH	2,116	33.8	273	12.7	12	7.5	-	-	2,401	28.0
Unknown	5	0.1	2	0.1	-	-	-	-	7	0.1
Total	6,254	100.0	2,148	100.0	160	100.0	2	100.0	8,564	100.0

***Persons Living with HIV
Metro New Orleans
as of March 31, 2019***

Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, & St. Tammany Parishes

<i>Exposure Category</i>	Men		Women		Trans women		Metro New Orleans Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
GBM	3,871	70.4	-	-	-	-	3,871	50.5
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	143	89.4	143	1.9
GBM/PWID	305	5.5	-	-	-	-	305	4.0
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	16	10.0	16	0.2
PWID	339	6.2	212	10.5	-	-	551	7.2
HRH	935	17.0	1,508	74.8	1	0.6	2,444	31.9
FPHC	-	-	237	11.8	-	-	237	3.1
Transfusion/Hemophilia	15	0.3	14	0.7	-	-	29	0.4
Perinatal	31	0.6	44	2.2	-	-	75	1.0
<i>Total</i>	5,496	100.0	2,015	100.0	160	100.0	7,671	100.0

	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Trans women</i>	<i>Trans men</i>	<i>Total</i>
No Reported Risk	758	133	0	2	893

Persons Newly Diagnosed with HIV and AIDS Metro New Orleans

Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, & St. Tammany Parishes

Persons Diagnosed with HIV January - December 2018

In 2018, **344** persons were newly diagnosed with HIV in Metro New Orleans.

	No.	%		No.	%
Gender			Exposure Category		
Men	255	74.1	GBM	162	58.7
Women	76	22.1	Trans women - sex with men	11	4.0
Trans women	12	3.5	GBM/PWID	2	0.7
Trans men	1	0.3	Trans women - sex with men/IDU	1	0.4
Age at Diagnosis			PWID	19	6.9
13-24	80	23.3	HRH	67	24.3
25-34	128	37.2	FPHC	14	5.1
35-44	65	18.9	Total	276	100.0
45+	71	20.6			
Race/Ethnicity					
Asian/PI	3	0.9			
Black, NH	223	64.8			
Hispanic/Latinx	38	11.0			
Multi-race	1	0.3			
White, NH	78	22.7			
Unknown	1	0.3			
Total	344	100.0			

No Reported Risk 68

Persons Diagnosed with AIDS January - December 2018

In 2018, **162** persons were newly diagnosed with AIDS in Metro New Orleans.

	No.	%		No.	%
Gender			Exposure Category		
Men	118	72.8	GBM	70	51.5
Women	42	25.9	Trans women - sex with men	2	1.5
Trans women	2	1.2	GBM/PWID	4	2.9
Age at Diagnosis			PWID	7	5.1
13-24	12	7.4	HRH	43	31.6
25-34	58	35.8	FPHC	8	5.9
35-44	37	22.8	Transfusion/Hemophilia	1	0.7
45+	55	34.0	Perinatal	1	0.7
Race/Ethnicity			Total	136	100.0
Asian/PI	1	0.6			
Black, NH	109	67.3			
Hispanic/Latinx	15	9.3			
Multi-race	2	1.2			
White, NH	35	21.6			
Total	162	100.0			

No Reported Risk 26

Persons Diagnosed with Early Syphilis Metro New Orleans

Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, & St. Tammany Parishes

Persons Diagnosed with P&S Syphilis January - March 2019

Between January 1 through March 31, 2019, **35** persons were newly diagnosed with P&S Syphilis in Metro New Orleans.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	30	85.7
Women	4	11.4
Trans women	1	2.9
Age at Diagnosis		
13-19	1	2.9
20-29	14	40.0
30-39	11	31.4
40+	9	25.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Asian/PI	1	2.9
Black, NH	22	62.9
White, NH	12	34.3
Total	35	100.0

<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%
FSF	1	2.9
GBM	26	74.3
GBM/PWID	2	5.7
HRH	4	11.4
Heterosexual contact	7	20.0
Illegal drug use (all types)	22	62.9
Incarceration	2	5.7
PWID	0	0.0
Transactional sex	3	8.6

No Reported Risk 0

Persons Diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis January - March 2019

Between January 1 through March 31, 2019, **48** persons were newly diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis in Metro New Orleans.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	43	89.6
Women	3	6.3
Trans women	2	4.2
Age at Diagnosis		
20-29	18	37.5
30-39	18	37.5
40+	12	25.0
Race/Ethnicity		
Asian/PI	1	2.1
Black, NH	33	68.8
Hispanic/Latinx	4	8.3
White, NH	10	20.8
Total	48	100.0

<i>Case with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%
FSF	0	0.0
GBM	36	78.3
GBM/PWID	0	0.0
HRH	3	6.5
Heterosexual contact	10	21.7
Illegal drug use (all types)	20	43.5
Incarceration	1	2.2
PWID	0	0.0
Transactional sex	2	4.3

No Reported Risk 2

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

**Persons Living with HIV
Metro Baton Rouge
as of March 31, 2019**

Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Livingston, Pointe Coupee, St. Helena, West Baton Rouge, & West Feliciana Parishes

5,442 persons are currently living with HIV/AIDS in Metro Baton Rouge.

Number of persons living with HIV: **2,770**

Number of persons living with AIDS: **2,672**

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	3,436	63.1
Women	1,934	35.5
Trans women	72	1.3
Current Age		
0-12	12	0.2
13-19	27	0.5
20-24	151	2.8
25-29	445	8.2
30-34	590	10.8
35-39	685	12.6
40-44	689	12.7
45-49	672	12.3
50-54	636	11.7
55-59	683	12.6
60+	852	15.7
Total	5,442	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Metro Baton Rouge Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	6	0.2	-	-	-	-	6	0.1
Asian/PI	9	0.3	5	0.3	-	-	14	0.3
Black, NH	2,674	77.8	1,721	89.0	67	93.1	4,462	82.0
Hispanic/Latinx	80	2.3	26	1.3	2	2.8	108	2.0
Multi-race	18	0.5	9	0.5	-	-	27	0.5
White, NH	649	18.9	172	8.9	3	4.2	824	15.1
Unknown	-	-	1	0.1	-	-	1	0.0
Total	3,436	100.0	1,934	100.0	72	100.0	5,442	100.0

Persons Living with HIV
Metro Baton Rouge
as of March 31, 2019

Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Livingston, Pointe Coupee, St. Helena, West Baton Rouge, & West Feliciana Parishes

Exposure Category	Men		Women		Trans women		Metro Baton Rouge Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
GBM	1,610	54.5	-	-	-	-	1,610	32.9
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	63	87.5	63	1.3
GBM/PWID	179	6.1	-	-	-	-	179	3.7
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	7	9.7	7	0.1
PWID	337	11.4	216	11.6	1	1.4	554	11.3
HRH	791	26.8	1,428	76.7	1	1.4	2,220	45.4
FPHC	-	-	184	9.9	-	-	184	3.8
Transfusion/Hemophilia	5	0.2	6	0.3	-	-	11	0.2
Perinatal	32	1.1	27	1.5	-	-	59	1.2
Total	2,954	100.0	1,861	100.0	72	100.0	4,887	100.0

	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Trans women</i>	<i>Total</i>
No Reported Risk	482	73	0	555

Persons Newly Diagnosed with HIV and AIDS Metro Baton Rouge

Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Livingston, Pointe Coupee, St. Helena, West Baton Rouge, & West Feliciana Parishes

Persons Diagnosed with HIV January - December 2018

In 2018, **241** persons were newly diagnosed with HIV in Metro Baton Rouge.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	165	68.5
Women	73	30.3
Trans women	3	1.2
Age at Diagnosis		
13-24	47	19.5
25-34	77	32.0
35-44	58	24.1
45+	59	24.5
Race/Ethnicity		
American Indian	2	0.8
Asian/PI	1	0.4
Black, NH	205	85.1
Hispanic/Latinx	6	2.5
Multi-race	2	0.8
White, NH	25	10.4
Total	241	100.0

	No.	%
Exposure Category		
GBM	76	40.9
Trans women - sex with men	2	1.1
GBM/PWID	1	0.5
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	1	0.5
PWID	8	4.3
HRH	82	44.1
FPHC	15	8.1
Perinatal	1	0.5
Total	186	100.0

No Reported Risk 55

Persons Diagnosed with AIDS January - December 2018

In 2018, **81** persons were newly diagnosed with AIDS in Metro Baton Rouge.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	53	65.4
Women	26	32.1
Trans women	2	2.5
Age at Diagnosis		
13-24	4	4.9
25-34	27	33.3
35-44	22	27.2
45+	28	34.6
Race/Ethnicity		
Black, NH	68	84.0
Hispanic/Latinx	1	1.2
White, NH	12	14.8
Total	81	100.0

	No.	%
Exposure Category		
GBM	21	31.8
Trans women - sex with men	1	1.5
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	1	1.5
PWID	5	7.6
HRH	30	45.5
FPHC	7	10.6
Perinatal	1	1.5
Total	66	100.0

No Reported Risk 15

Persons Diagnosed with Early Syphilis Metro Baton Rouge

Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Livingston, Pointe Coupee, St. Helena, West Baton Rouge, & West Feliciana Parishes

Persons Diagnosed with P&S Syphilis January - March 2019

Between January 1 through March 31, 2019, **36** persons were newly diagnosed with P&S Syphilis in Metro Baton Rouge.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	26	72.2
Women	10	27.8
Age at Diagnosis		
13-19	3	8.3
20-29	18	50.0
30-39	11	30.6
40+	4	11.1
Race/Ethnicity		
Black, NH	32	88.9
White, NH	4	11.1
Total	36	100.0

<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%
FSF	0	0.0
GBM	13	39.4
GBM/PWID	0	0.0
HRH	7	21.2
Heterosexual contact	17	51.5
Illegal drug use (all types)	4	12.1
Incarceration	5	15.2
PWID	0	0.0
Transactional sex	0	0.0

No Reported Risk 3

Persons Diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis January - March 2019

Between January 1 through March 31, 2019, **19** persons were newly diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis in Metro Baton Rouge.

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	17	89.5
Women	2	10.5
Age at Diagnosis		
20-29	12	63.2
30-39	2	10.5
40+	5	26.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black, NH	16	84.2
White, NH	3	15.8
Total	19	100.0

<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%
FSF	1	5.3
GBM	13	68.4
GBM/PWID	0	0.0
HRH	0	0.0
Heterosexual contact	6	31.6
Illegal drug use (all types)	3	15.8
Incarceration	1	5.3
PWID	0	0.0
Transactional sex	1	5.3

No Reported Risk 0

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

Persons Living with HIV/AIDS by Region as of March 31, 2019

	<i>New HIV Diagnoses 2018 Calendar Year</i>	<i>New AIDS Diagnoses 2018 Calendar Year</i>	<i>Persons Living with HIV(nonAIDS) thru 3-31-2019</i>	<i>Persons Living with AIDS thru 3-31-2019</i>	<i>Persons Living with HIV or AIDS thru 3-31-2019</i>
Region 1	304	143	3,763	3,873	7,636
Region 2	228	75	2,549	2,633	5,182
Region 3	48	21	451	477	928
Region 4	130	47	911	864	1,775
Region 5	42	13	516	512	1,028
Region 6	78	26	526	474	1,000
Region 7	98	55	1,005	966	1,971
Region 8	53	18	575	578	1,153
Region 9	68	27	698	748	1,446
State Total	1,049	425	10,994	11,125	22,119



Region 1 (New Orleans): Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard

Region 2 (Baton Rouge): Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Pointe Coupee, West Baton Rouge, West Feliciana

Region 3 (Houma): Assumption, Lafourche, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Mary, Terrebonne

Region 4 (Lafayette): Acadia, Evangeline, Iberia, Lafayette, St. Landry, St. Martin, Vermilion

Region 5 (Lake Charles): Allen, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, Jefferson Davis

Region 6 (Alexandria): Avoyelles, Catahoula, Concordia, Grant, LaSalle, Rapides, Vernon, Winn

Region 7 (Shreveport): Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Claiborne, De Soto, Natchitoches, Red River, Sabine, Webster

Region 8 (Monroe): Caldwell, East Carroll, Franklin, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, Morehouse, Ouachita, Richland, Tensas, Union, West Carroll

Region 9 (Hammond/Slidell): Livingston, St. Helena, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Washington

Persons Living with HIV
Region 1: New Orleans Region
as of March 31, 2019
Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines & St. Bernard Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	5,582	73.1
Women	1,902	24.9
Trans women	151	2.0
Trans men	1	0.0
Current Age		
0-12	8	0.1
13-19	28	0.4
20-24	189	2.5
25-29	627	8.2
30-34	805	10.5
35-39	853	11.2
40-44	866	11.3
45-49	833	10.9
50-54	972	12.7
55-59	1,058	13.9
60+	1,397	18.3
Total	7,636	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Trans men		Region 1 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity										
American Indian	6	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.7	-	-	8	0.1
Asian/PI	35	0.6	5	0.3	2	1.3	-	-	42	0.6
Black, NH	3,289	58.9	1,557	81.9	122	80.8	1	100.0	4,969	65.1
Hispanic/Latinx	410	7.3	116	6.1	14	9.3	-	-	540	7.1
Multi-race	37	0.7	12	0.6	1	0.7	-	-	50	0.7
White, NH	1,800	32.2	209	11.0	11	7.3	-	-	2,020	26.5
Unknown	5	0.1	2	0.1	-	-	-	-	7	0.1
Total	5,582	100.0	1,902	100.0	151	100.0	1	100.0	7,636	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 1 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	3,450	70.1	-	-	-	-	3,450	50.2
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	135	89.4	135	2.0
GBM/PWID	281	5.7	-	-	-	-	281	4.1
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	15	9.9	15	0.2
PWID	308	6.3	192	10.7	-	-	500	7.3
HRH	847	17.2	1,351	75.3	1	0.7	2,199	32.0
FPHC	-	-	201	11.2	-	-	201	2.9
Transfusion/Hemophilia	13	0.3	14	0.8	-	-	27	0.4
Perinatal	25	0.5	36	2.0	-	-	61	0.9
Total	4,924	100.0	1,794	100.0	151	100.0	6,869	100.0

	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Trans women</i>	<i>Trans men</i>	<i>Total</i>
No Reported Risk	658	108	0	1	767

Persons Living with HIV
Region 2: Baton Rouge Region
as of March 31, 2019

Ascension, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Pointe Coupee, West Baton Rouge, & West Feliciana Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	3,271	63.1
Women	1,843	35.6
Trans women	68	1.3
Current Age		
0-12	10	0.2
13-19	27	0.5
20-24	145	2.8
25-29	427	8.2
30-34	569	11.0
35-39	667	12.9
40-44	656	12.7
45-49	627	12.1
50-54	594	11.5
55-59	646	12.5
60+	814	15.7
Total	5,182	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 2 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	6	0.2	-	-	-	-	6	0.1
Asian/PI	9	0.3	3	0.2	-	-	12	0.2
Black, NH	2,615	79.9	1,679	91.1	63	92.6	4,357	84.1
Hispanic/Latinx	73	2.2	22	1.2	2	2.9	97	1.9
Multi-race	18	0.6	9	0.5	-	-	27	0.5
White, NH	550	16.8	130	7.1	3	4.4	683	13.2
Total	3,271	100.0	1,843	100.0	68	100.0	5,182	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 2 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	1,514	53.9	-	-	-	-	1,514	32.5
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	59	86.8	59	1.3
GBM/PWID	165	5.9	-	-	-	-	165	3.5
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	7	10.3	7	0.2
PWID	325	11.6	205	11.5	1	1.5	531	11.4
HRH	770	27.4	1,368	77.0	1	1.5	2,139	46.0
FPHC	-	-	173	9.7	-	-	173	3.7
Transfusion/Hemophilia	4	0.1	6	0.3	-	-	10	0.2
Perinatal	32	1.1	24	1.4	-	-	56	1.2
Total	2,810	100.0	1,776	100.0	68	100.0	4,654	100.0

	Men	Women	Trans women	Total
No Reported Risk	461	67	0	528

Persons Living with HIV

Region 3: Houma Region

as of March 31, 2019

Assumption, Lafourche, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Mary, & Terrebonne Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	618	66.6
Women	301	32.4
Trans women	8	0.9
Trans men	1	0.1
Current Age		
0-12	2	0.2
13-19	6	0.6
20-24	39	4.2
25-29	81	8.7
30-34	101	10.9
35-39	115	12.4
40-44	102	11.0
45-49	106	11.4
50-54	116	12.5
55-59	118	12.7
60+	142	15.3
Total	928	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Trans men		Region 3 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity										
American Indian	2	0.3	1	0.3	-	-	-	-	3	0.3
Asian/PI	1	0.2	1	0.3	-	-	-	-	2	0.2
Black, NH	339	54.9	220	73.1	5	62.5	1	100.0	565	60.9
Hispanic/Latinx	31	5.0	11	3.7	-	-	-	-	42	4.5
Multi-race	4	0.6	2	0.7	-	-	-	-	6	0.6
White, NH	241	39.0	66	21.9	3	37.5	-	-	310	33.4
Total	618	100.0	301	100.0	8	100.0	1	100.0	928	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 3 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	364	68.8	-	-	-	-	364	44.5
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	7	87.5	7	0.9
GBM/PWID	25	4.7	-	-	-	-	25	3.1
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	1	12.5	1	0.1
PWID	43	8.1	15	5.3	-	-	58	7.1
HRH	92	17.4	214	76.2	-	-	306	37.4
FPHC	-	-	44	15.7	-	-	44	5.4
Perinatal	5	0.9	8	2.8	-	-	13	1.6
Total	529	100.0	281	100.0	8	100.0	818	100.0

	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Trans women</i>	<i>Trans men</i>	<i>Total</i>
No Reported Risk	89	20	0	1	110

Persons Living with HIV
Region 4: Lafayette Region
as of March 31, 2019

Acadia, Evangeline, Iberia, Lafayette, St. Landry, St. Martin, & Vermilion Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	1,321	74.4
Women	441	24.8
Trans women	13	0.7
Current Age		
0-12	3	0.2
13-19	10	0.6
20-24	79	4.5
25-29	161	9.1
30-34	216	12.2
35-39	182	10.3
40-44	174	9.8
45-49	185	10.4
50-54	240	13.5
55-59	247	13.9
60+	278	15.7
Total	1,775	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 4 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	4	0.3	1	0.2	-	-	5	0.3
Asian/PI	5	0.4	4	0.9	-	-	9	0.5
Black, NH	676	51.2	310	70.3	11	84.6	997	56.2
Hispanic/Latinx	78	5.9	8	1.8	-	-	86	4.8
Multi-race	15	1.1	4	0.9	-	-	19	1.1
White, NH	543	41.1	113	25.6	2	15.4	658	37.1
Unknown	-	-	1	0.2	-	-	1	0.1
Total	1,321	100.0	441	100.0	13	100.0	1,775	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 4 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	780	72.4	-	-	-	-	780	51.8
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	11	84.6	11	0.7
GBM/PWID	62	5.8	-	-	-	-	62	4.1
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	2	15.4	2	0.1
PWID	69	6.4	48	11.6	-	-	117	7.8
HRH	155	14.4	328	79.0	-	-	483	32.1
FPHC	-	-	34	8.2	-	-	34	2.3
Transfusion/Hemophilia	4	0.4	1	0.2	-	-	5	0.3
Perinatal	8	0.7	3	0.7	-	-	11	0.7
Confirmed Other	-	-	1	0.2	-	-	1	0.1
Total	1,078	100.0	415	100.0	13	100.0	1,506	100.0

	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Trans women</i>	<i>Total</i>
No Reported Risk	243	26	0	269

Persons Living with HIV
Region 5: Lake Charles Region
as of March 31, 2019

Allen, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, & Jefferson Davis Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	766	74.5
Women	252	24.5
Trans women	10	1.0
Current Age		
0-12	2	0.2
13-19	8	0.8
20-24	22	2.1
25-29	77	7.5
30-34	90	8.8
35-39	100	9.7
40-44	132	12.8
45-49	121	11.8
50-54	149	14.5
55-59	150	14.6
60+	177	17.2
Total	1,028	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 5 Totals	
Race/Ethnicity	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
American Indian	1	0.1	-	-	-	-	1	0.1
Asian/PI	4	0.5	-	-	-	-	4	0.4
Black, NH	392	51.2	165	65.5	9	90.0	566	55.1
Hispanic/Latinx	84	11.0	6	2.4	-	-	90	8.8
Multi-race	11	1.4	5	2.0	-	-	16	1.6
White, NH	274	35.8	76	30.2	1	10.0	351	34.1
Total	766	100.0	252	100.0	10	100.0	1,028	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 5 Totals	
Exposure Category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
GBM	369	59.6	-	-	-	-	369	42.4
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	10	100.0	10	1.1
GBM/PWID	52	8.4	-	-	-	-	52	6.0
PWID	81	13.1	35	14.5	-	-	116	13.3
HRH	109	17.6	175	72.6	-	-	284	32.6
FPHC	-	-	22	9.1	-	-	22	2.5
Transfusion/Hemophilia	3	0.5	-	-	-	-	3	0.3
Perinatal	5	0.8	9	3.7	-	-	14	1.6
Total	619	100.0	241	100.0	10	100.0	870	100.0

	Men	Women	Trans women	Total
No Reported Risk	147	11	0	158

Persons Living with HIV
Region 6: Alexandria Region
as of March 31, 2019

Avoyelles, Catahoula, Concordia, Grant, La Salle, Rapides, Vernon, & Winn Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	704	70.4
Women	288	28.8
Trans women	8	0.8
Current Age		
0-12	2	0.2
13-19	2	0.2
20-24	24	2.4
25-29	67	6.7
30-34	113	11.3
35-39	112	11.2
40-44	145	14.5
45-49	119	11.9
50-54	124	12.4
55-59	128	12.8
60+	164	16.4
Total	1,000	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 6 Totals	
Race/Ethnicity	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
American Indian	-	-	2	0.7	-	-	2	0.2
Asian/PI	3	0.4	-	-	-	-	3	0.3
Black, NH	411	58.4	224	77.8	4	50.0	639	63.9
Hispanic/Latinx	63	8.9	7	2.4	1	12.5	71	7.1
Multi-race	5	0.7	2	0.7	-	-	7	0.7
White, NH	222	31.5	53	18.4	3	37.5	278	27.8
Total	704	100.0	288	100.0	8	100.0	1,000	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 6 Totals	
Exposure Category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
GBM	350	60.8	-	-	-	-	350	40.9
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	5	62.5	5	0.6
GBM/PWID	34	5.9	-	-	-	-	34	4.0
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	3	37.5	3	0.4
PWID	60	10.4	21	7.7	-	-	81	9.5
HRH	126	21.9	195	72.0	-	-	321	37.5
FPHC	-	-	51	18.8	-	-	51	6.0
Transfusion/Hemophilia	2	0.3	1	0.4	-	-	3	0.4
Perinatal	4	0.7	3	1.1	-	-	7	0.8
Total	576	100.0	271	100.0	8	100.0	855	100.0

	Men	Women	Trans women	Total
No Reported Risk	128	17	0	145

Persons Living with HIV
Region 7: Shreveport Region
as of March 31, 2019

Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Claiborne, DeSoto, Natchitoches, Red River, Sabine, & Webster Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	1,378	69.9
Women	577	29.3
Trans women	16	0.8
Current Age		
0-12	1	0.1
13-19	6	0.3
20-24	83	4.2
25-29	228	11.6
30-34	271	13.7
35-39	244	12.4
40-44	248	12.6
45-49	207	10.5
50-54	221	11.2
55-59	203	10.3
60+	259	13.1
Total	1,971	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 7 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	11	0.8	2	0.3	-	-	13	0.7
Asian/PI	5	0.4	1	0.2	-	-	6	0.3
Black, NH	993	72.1	470	81.5	14	87.5	1,477	74.9
Hispanic/Latinx	29	2.1	6	1.0	2	12.5	37	1.9
Multi-race	16	1.2	3	0.5	-	-	19	1.0
White, NH	324	23.5	95	16.5	-	-	419	21.3
Total	1,378	100.0	577	100.0	16	100.0	1,971	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 7 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	848	73.2	-	-	-	-	848	49.2
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	15	93.8	15	0.9
GBM/PWID	83	7.2	-	-	-	-	83	4.8
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	-	-	1	6.3	1	0.1
PWID	51	4.4	63	11.5	-	-	114	6.6
HRH	169	14.6	354	64.5	-	-	523	30.3
FPHC	-	-	122	22.2	-	-	122	7.1
Transfusion/Hemophilia	2	0.2	3	0.5	-	-	5	0.3
Perinatal	6	0.5	7	1.3	-	-	13	0.8
Total	1,159	100.0	549	100.0	16	100.0	1,724	100.0

	Men	Women	Trans women	Total
No Reported Risk	219	28	0	247

Persons Living with HIV

Region 8: Monroe Region

as of March 31, 2019

Caldwell, East Carroll, Franklin, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, Morehouse, Ouachita, Richland, Tensas,
Union, & West Carroll Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	772	67.0
Women	369	32.0
Trans women	12	1.0
Current Age		
0-12	1	0.1
13-19	5	0.4
20-24	58	5.0
25-29	100	8.7
30-34	99	8.6
35-39	131	11.4
40-44	145	12.6
45-49	146	12.7
50-54	135	11.7
55-59	140	12.1
60+	193	16.7
Total	1,153	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 8 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	2	0.3	1	0.3	-	-	3	0.3
Asian/PI	3	0.4	1	0.3	-	-	4	0.3
Black, NH	555	71.9	312	84.6	11	91.7	878	76.1
Hispanic/Latinx	22	2.8	7	1.9	1	8.3	30	2.6
Multi-race	8	1.0	2	0.5	-	-	10	0.9
White, NH	182	23.6	46	12.5	-	-	228	19.8
Total	772	100.0	369	100.0	12	100.0	1,153	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 8 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	449	65.5	-	-	-	-	449	42.9
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	12	100.0	12	1.1
GBM/PWID	44	6.4	-	-	-	-	44	4.2
PWID	48	7.0	31	8.9	-	-	79	7.5
HRH	141	20.6	278	79.4	-	-	419	40.0
FPHC	-	-	30	8.6	-	-	30	2.9
Transfusion/Hemophilia	1	0.1	2	0.6	-	-	3	0.3
Perinatal	2	0.3	9	2.6	-	-	11	1.1
Total	685	100.0	350	100.0	12	100.0	1,047	100.0

	Men	Women	Trans women	Total
No Reported Risk	87	19	0	106

Persons Living with HIV
Region 9: Hammond/Slidell Region
as of March 31, 2019

Livingston, St. Helena, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, & Washington Parishes

	No.	%
Gender		
Men	1,053	72.8
Women	377	26.1
Trans women	16	1.1
Current Age		
0-12	3	0.2
13-19	4	0.3
20-24	36	2.5
25-29	93	6.4
30-34	134	9.3
35-39	154	10.7
40-44	159	11.0
45-49	180	12.4
50-54	219	15.1
55-59	199	13.8
60+	265	18.3
Total	1,446	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 9 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	2	0.2	-	-	-	-	2	0.1
Asian/PI	3	0.3	3	0.8	-	-	6	0.4
Black, NH	498	47.3	239	63.4	11	68.8	748	51.7
Hispanic/Latinx	40	3.8	12	3.2	-	-	52	3.6
Multi-race	4	0.4	1	0.3	1	6.3	6	0.4
White, NH	506	48.1	121	32.1	4	25.0	631	43.6
Unknown	-	-	1	0.3	-	-	1	0.1
Total	1,053	100.0	377	100.0	16	100.0	1,446	100.0

	Men		Women		Trans women		Region 9 Totals	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	615	70.0	-	-	-	-	615	49.4
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	-	-	15	93.8	15	1.2
GBM/PWID	60	6.8	-	-	-	-	60	4.8
PWID	58	6.6	53	15.1	1	6.3	112	9.0
HRH	135	15.4	228	65.1	-	-	363	29.2
FPHC	-	-	62	17.7	-	-	62	5.0
Transfusion/Hemophilia	4	0.5	-	-	-	-	4	0.3
Perinatal	6	0.7	7	2.0	-	-	13	1.0
Total	878	100.0	350	100.0	16	100.0	1,244	100.0

	Men	Women	Trans women	Total
No Reported Risk	175	27	0	202

Persons Newly Diagnosed with HIV
Regions 1 - 5
January - December 2018

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender										
Men	228	75.0	157	68.9	35	72.9	106	81.5	30	71.4
Women	64	21.1	69	30.3	12	25.0	24	18.5	10	23.8
Trans women	12	3.9	2	0.9	-	-	-	-	2	4.8
Trans men	-	-	-	-	1	2.1	-	-	-	-
Age at Diagnosis										
0-12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2.4
13-24	71	23.4	46	20.2	11	22.9	39	30.0	7	16.7
25-34	116	38.2	73	32.0	16	33.3	48	36.9	13	31.0
35-44	55	18.1	52	22.8	10	20.8	19	14.6	11	26.2
45+	62	20.4	57	25.0	11	22.9	24	18.5	10	23.8
Race/Ethnicity										
American Indian	-	-	2	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asian/PI	3	1.0	-	-	-	-	2	1.5	-	-
Black, NH	197	64.8	199	87.3	30	62.5	71	54.6	26	61.9
Hispanic/Latinx	37	12.2	5	2.2	-	-	9	6.9	2	4.8
Multi-race	1	0.3	2	0.9	-	-	1	0.8	-	-
White, NH	65	21.4	20	8.8	18	37.5	47	36.2	14	33.3
Unknown	1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regional Totals	304	100.0	228	100.0	48	100.0	130	100.0	42	100.0

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category										
GBM	148	59.2	71	41.0	19	55.9	59	71.1	17	53.1
Trans women - sex with men	11	4.4	1	0.6	-	-	-	-	2	6.3
GBM/PWID	2	0.8	1	0.6	-	-	1	1.2	1	3.1
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	1	0.4	1	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
PWID	18	7.2	7	4.0	-	-	1	1.2	1	3.1
HRH	60	24.0	77	44.5	11	32.4	17	20.5	7	21.9
FPHC	10	4.0	14	8.1	4	11.8	5	6.0	3	9.4
Perinatal	-	-	1	0.6	-	-	-	-	1	3.1
Regional Totals	250	100.0	173	100.0	34	100.0	83	100.0	32	100.0

	Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4	Region 5
No Reported Risk	54	55	14	47	10

Persons Newly Diagnosed with HIV
Regions 6 - 9
January - December 2018

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender								
Men	54	69.2	64	65.3	43	81.1	48	70.6
Women	24	30.8	30	30.6	9	17.0	19	27.9
Trans women	-	-	4	4.1	1	1.9	1	1.5
Age at Diagnosis								
13-24	9	11.5	23	23.5	21	39.6	11	16.2
25-34	30	38.5	43	43.9	12	22.6	18	26.5
35-44	14	17.9	19	19.4	9	17.0	18	26.5
45+	25	32.1	13	13.3	11	20.8	21	30.9
Race/Ethnicity								
American Indian	-	-	-	-	1	1.9	-	-
Asian/PI	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.5
Black, NH	42	53.8	82	83.7	42	79.2	40	58.8
Hispanic/Latinx	8	10.3	3	3.1	1	1.9	2	2.9
Multi-race	1	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
White, NH	27	34.6	13	13.3	9	17.0	25	36.8
Regional Totals	78	100.0	98	100.0	53	100.0	68	100.0

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	24	42.1	35	46.1	33	73.3	21	44.7
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	4	5.3	1	2.2	1	2.1
GBM/PWID	3	5.3	1	1.3	-	-	1	2.1
PWID	4	7.0	4	5.3	-	-	4	8.5
HRH	14	24.6	20	26.3	8	17.8	12	25.5
FPHC	12	21.1	12	15.8	3	6.7	8	17.0
Regional Totals	57	100.0	76	100.0	45	100.0	47	100.0

	Region 6	Region 7	Region 8	Region 9
No Reported Risk	21	22	8	21

Persons Newly Diagnosed with AIDS
Regions 1 - 5
January - December 2018

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender										
Men	104	72.7	49	65.3	13	61.9	28	59.6	9	69.2
Women	38	26.6	25	33.3	8	38.1	19	40.4	4	30.8
Trans women	1	0.7	1	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age at Diagnosis										
13-24	11	7.7	4	5.3	-	-	8	17.0	2	15.4
25-34	54	37.8	26	34.7	6	28.6	12	25.5	3	23.1
35-44	29	20.3	20	26.7	9	42.9	13	27.7	6	46.2
45+	49	34.3	25	33.3	6	28.6	14	29.8	2	15.4
Race/Ethnicity										
Asian/PI	1	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black, NH	95	66.4	66	88.0	14	66.7	32	68.1	10	76.9
Hispanic/Latinx	15	10.5	-	-	-	-	2	4.3	-	-
Multi-race	2	1.4	-	-	1	4.8	-	-	-	-
White, NH	30	21.0	9	12.0	6	28.6	13	27.7	3	23.1
Regional Totals	143	100.0	75	100.0	21	100.0	47	100.0	13	100.0

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category										
GBM	65	52.4	19	31.7	4	30.8	14	40.0	5	45.5
Trans women - sex with men	1	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GBM/PWID	4	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trans women - sex with men/IDU	-	-	1	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
PWID	6	4.8	4	6.7	-	-	3	8.6	-	-
HRH	39	31.5	28	46.7	5	38.5	13	37.1	6	54.5
FPHC	7	5.6	7	11.7	4	30.8	5	14.3	-	-
Transfusion/Hemophilia	1	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Perinatal	1	0.8	1	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regional Totals	124	100.0	60	100.0	13	100.0	35	100.0	11	100.0

	Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4	Region 5
No Reported Risk	19	15	8	12	2

Persons Newly Diagnosed with AIDS
Regions 6 - 9
January - December 2018

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender								
Men	20	76.9	34	61.8	13	72.2	19	70.4
Women	6	23.1	18	32.7	5	27.8	6	22.2
Trans women	-	-	3	5.5	-	-	2	7.4
Age at Diagnosis								
13-24	1	3.8	7	12.7	2	11.1	1	3.7
25-34	8	30.8	19	34.5	6	33.3	8	29.6
35-44	4	15.4	18	32.7	2	11.1	6	22.2
45+	13	50.0	11	20.0	8	44.4	12	44.4
Race/Ethnicity								
Black, NH	14	53.8	45	81.8	16	88.9	13	48.1
Hispanic/Latinx	-	-	1	1.8	-	-	1	3.7
Multi-race	1	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
White, NH	11	42.3	9	16.4	2	11.1	13	48.1
Regional Totals	26	100.0	55	100.0	18	100.0	27	100.0

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Exposure Category								
GBM	8	53.3	18	40.9	9	60.0	7	35.0
Trans women - sex with men	-	-	3	6.8	-	-	2	10.0
GBM/PWID	-	-	1	2.3	-	-	-	-
PWID	-	-	2	4.5	-	-	3	15.0
HRH	5	33.3	15	34.1	4	26.7	5	25.0
FPHC	2	13.3	5	11.4	2	13.3	3	15.0
Regional Totals	15	100.0	44	100.0	15	100.0	20	100.0

	Region 6	Region 7	Region 8	Region 9
No Reported Risk	11	11	3	7

Persons Diagnosed with P&S Syphilis
Regions 1-5
January - March 2019

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender										
Men	27	84.4	26	72.2	3	100.0	5	71.4	1	100.0
Women	4	12.5	10	27.8	-	-	2	28.6	-	-
Trans women	1	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age at Diagnosis										
13-19	-	-	3	8.3	-	-	-	-	1	100.0
20-29	14	43.8	18	50.0	1	33.3	2	28.6	-	-
30-39	11	34.4	11	30.6	1	33.3	3	42.9	-	-
40+	7	21.9	4	11.1	1	33.3	2	28.6	-	-
Race/Ethnicity										
Asian/PI	1	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black, NH	20	62.5	32	88.9	2	66.7	1	14.3	-	-
Hispanic/Latinx	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	100.0
White, NH	11	34.4	4	11.1	1	33.3	6	85.7	-	-
Regional Totals	32	100.0	36	100.0	3	100.0	7	100.0	1	100.0

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
FSF	1	3.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	14.3	0	0.0
GBM	25	78.1	13	39.4	1	33.3	3	42.9	1	100.0
GBM/PWID	2	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HRH	2	6.3	7	21.2	1	33.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
Heterosexual contact	7	21.9	17	51.5	1	33.3	4	57.1	0	0.0
Illegal drug use (all types)	20	62.5	4	12.1	2	66.7	4	57.1	1	100.0
Incarceration	2	6.3	5	15.2	0	0.0	1	14.3	0	0.0
PWID	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Transactional sex	3	9.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	14.3	0	0.0
	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4		Region 5	
No Reported Risk	0		3		0		0		0	

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

Persons Diagnosed with P&S Syphilis
Regions 6-9
January - March 2019

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender								
Men	10	55.6	11	84.6	4	57.1	7	77.8
Women	8	44.4	2	15.4	2	28.6	1	11.1
Trans women	-	-	-	-	1	14.3	1	11.1
Age at Diagnosis								
13-19	2	11.1	1	7.7	1	14.3	3	33.3
20-29	10	55.6	7	53.8	2	28.6	3	33.3
30-39	5	27.8	5	38.5	3	42.9	-	-
40+	1	5.6	-	-	1	14.3	3	33.3
Race/Ethnicity								
Black, NH	7	38.9	10	76.9	5	71.4	4	44.4
Hispanic/Latinx	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11.1
White, NH	11	61.1	3	23.1	2	28.6	4	44.4
Regional Totals	18	100.0	13	100.0	7	100.0	9	100.0

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
FSF	2	12.5	1	8.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
GBM	2	12.5	4	33.3	4	57.1	7	77.8
GBM/PWID	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HRH	8	50.0	5	41.7	3	42.9	1	11.1
Heterosexual contact	6	37.5	3	25.0	0	0.0	2	22.2
Illegal drug use (all types)	12	75.0	4	33.3	5	71.4	5	55.6
Incarceration	6	37.5	1	8.3	1	14.3	1	11.1
PWID	2	12.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Transactional sex	4	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
No Reported Risk	2		1		0		0	

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

***Persons Diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis
Regions 1-5
January - March 2019***

During January 1 - March 31, 2019, there were no early non-P&S Syphilis diagnoses in Region 5.

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender								
Men	40	88.9	17	89.5	3	60.0	5	83.3
Women	3	6.7	2	10.5	2	40.0	1	16.7
Trans women	2	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age at Diagnosis								
20-29	16	35.6	12	63.2	1	20.0	2	33.3
30-39	17	37.8	2	10.5	4	80.0	1	16.7
40+	12	26.7	5	26.3	-	-	3	50.0
Race/Ethnicity								
Asian/PI	1	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black, NH	31	68.9	16	84.2	3	60.0	2	33.3
Hispanic/Latinx	4	8.9	-	-	-	-	1	16.7
White, NH	9	20.0	3	15.8	2	40.0	3	50.0
Regional Totals	45	100.0	19	100.0	5	100.0	6	100.0

	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4	
<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
FSF	0	0.0	1	5.3	1	20.0	0	0.0
GBM	34	77.3	13	68.4	3	60.0	5	83.3
GBM/PWID	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HRH	3	6.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	16.7
Heterosexual contact	10	22.7	6	31.6	2	40.0	1	16.7
Illegal drug use (all types)	20	45.5	3	15.8	2	40.0	0	0.0
Incarceration	1	2.3	1	5.3	1	20.0	0	0.0
PWID	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Transactional sex	2	4.5	1	5.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Region 1		Region 2		Region 3		Region 4	
No Reported Risk	1		0		0		0	

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

Persons Diagnosed with Early non-P&S Syphilis
Regions 6-9
January - March 2019

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Gender								
Men	4	57.1	12	50.0	4	66.7	3	75.0
Women	2	28.6	12	50.0	2	33.3	1	25.0
Trans women	1	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age at Diagnosis								
13-19	1	14.3	1	4.2	1	16.7	-	-
20-29	3	42.9	15	62.5	5	83.3	1	25.0
30-39	3	42.9	6	25.0	-	-	2	50.0
40+	-	-	2	8.3	-	-	1	25.0
Race/Ethnicity								
Black, NH	6	85.7	17	70.8	6	100.0	3	75.0
Hispanic/Latinx	-	-	1	4.2	-	-	-	-
White, NH	1	14.3	6	25.0	-	-	1	25.0
Regional Totals	7	100.0	24	100.0	6	100.0	4	100.0

	Region 6		Region 7		Region 8		Region 9	
<i>Cases with a Reported Risk*</i>	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
FSF	0	0.0	1	4.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
GBM	4	57.1	5	21.7	3	50.0	2	66.7
GBM/PWID	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HRH	0	0.0	10	43.5	0	0.0	1	33.3
Heterosexual contact	3	42.9	8	34.8	4	66.7	1	33.3
Illegal drug use (all types)	1	14.3	12	52.2	1	16.7	1	33.3
Incarceration	0	0.0	6	26.1	0	0.0	0	0.0
PWID	0	0.0	4	17.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Transactional sex	1	14.3	4	17.4	0	0.0	0	0.0

	Region 6	Region 7	Region 8	Region 9
No Reported Risk	0	1	0	1

* >1 reported risk per case possible. Cases with No Reported Risk excluded from denominator for risk percent calculations.

National HIV/AIDS Strategy for the United States: Updated to 2020

The National HIV/AIDS Strategy (NHAS) was released by the White House on July 13, 2010. This strategy was the first of its kind for the United States. The NHAS outlined measureable targets to be achieved by 2015. The NHAS was constructed between Federal and community partners to create a common purpose and to determine what strategies and programs are working effectively to reach these common goals. This strategy helped change the way that people talk about HIV and prioritize services and prevention activities.

On July 30, 2015, the NHAS was updated to look ahead to 2020 and incorporate new scientific advances for testing, treatment and prevention.

VISION

“The United States will become a place where new HIV infections are rare and when they do occur, every person, regardless of age, gender, race/ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity or socio-economic circumstance, will have unfettered access to high quality, life-extending care, free from stigma and discrimination.”

There are four goals embedded in the Strategy with 2-3 unique actions steps:

GOAL 1: Reduce New HIV Infection

Focus on: Gay, bisexual and other men who have sex with men of all races and ethnicities, Black women and men, Latino women and men, People who inject drugs, Youth age 13 to 24 years, People in the Southern United States, and Transgender women.

- Intensify HIV prevention efforts in communities where HIV is most heavily concentrated.
- Expand efforts to prevent HIV infection using a combination of effective, evidence-based approaches.
- Educate all Americans with easily accessible, scientifically accurate information about HIV risks, prevention, and transmission.

GOAL 2: Increase Access to Care and Improve Health Outcomes for People Living with HIV

- Establish seamless systems to link people to care immediately after diagnosis, and support retention in care to achieve viral suppression that can maximize the benefits of early treatment and reduce transmission risk.
- Take deliberate steps to increase the capacity of systems as well as the number and diversity of available providers of clinical care and related services for people living with HIV.
- Support comprehensive, coordinated patient-centered care for people living with HIV, including addressing HIV-related co-occurring conditions and challenges in meeting basic needs, such as housing.

GOAL 3: Reduce HIV-Related Disparities and Health Inequities

- Reduce HIV-related disparities in communities at high-risk for HIV infection which include: Black, Latino, and American Indian/Alaska Native people, transgender people, and young people.
- Adopt structural approaches to reduce HIV infections and improve health outcomes in high-risk communities.
- Reduce stigma and eliminate discrimination associated with HIV status.

GOAL 4: Achieve a More Coordinated National Response to the HIV Epidemic

- Increase the coordination of HIV programs across the Federal government and between Federal agencies and State, territorial, Tribal, and local governments.
- Develop improved mechanisms to monitor and report on progress toward achieving national goals.

National HIV/AIDS Strategy (NHAS) Indicators		Louisiana Data by Year									NHAS 2020 Goal
	2010 Baseline	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2017 Target	Annual Progress	
Goal 1: Reduce New Infections											
Increase the percentage of people living with HIV who know their serostatus to at least 90%	78.5%	79.6%	78.5%	79.4%	80.1%	80.0%	81.3%	--	83.7% ^a	✖	90%
Reduce the number of new diagnoses by at least 25%	1,121	1,211	1,054	1,143	1,213	1,111	1,129	1,017	967	✖	841
Reduce the percentage of young gay and bisexual men who have engaged in HIV-risk behavior by at least 10%	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	○	--
Goal 2: Increase Access to Care and Improve Health Outcomes for PLWH											
Increase the percentage of newly diagnosed persons linked to HIV medical care within one month of their HIV diagnosis to at least 85%	53.1%	55.1%	56.0%	56.5%	65.0%	67.0%	69.7%	74.5%	70.6%	✔	85%
Increase the percentage of persons with diagnosed HIV infection who are retained in HIV medical care to at least 90%	49.3%	49.8%	52.4%	52.9%	54.5%	54.5%	56.5%	58.0%	71.7%	↗	90%
Increase the percentage of persons with diagnosed HIV infection who are virally suppressed to at least 80%	39.9%	40.4%	43.2%	47.8%	52.4%	55.9%	59.7%	61.2%	62.0%	↗	80%
Reduce the percentage of persons in HIV medical care who are homeless to no more than 5%	6.8%	5.8%	6.5%	4.3%	3.8%	2.7%	2.1%	3.4%	5.8%	✔	5%
Reduce the death rate among persons with diagnosed HIV infection by at least 33% ^b	26.2	26.1	25.5	21.2	20.9	19.8	20.0	--	22.3 ^c	✔	17.6
Goal 3: Reduce HIV-Related Disparities and Health Inequities											
Reduce disparities in the rate of new diagnoses by at least 15% among gay and bisexual men ^d	19.4	19.2	19.2	22.7	22.2	22.3	22.6	22.4	17.8	✖	16.5
Reduce disparities in the rate of new diagnoses by at least 15% among young Black gay and bisexual men ^d	70.8	75.1	80.3	89.1	90.6	86.3	85.8	75.5	65.0	✖	60.2
Reduce disparities in the rate of new diagnoses by at least 15% among Black females ^d	0.88	0.87	0.89	0.54	0.58	0.46	0.58	0.36	0.81	✔	0.75
Reduce disparities in the rate of new diagnoses by at least 15% among persons living in the Southern United States (i.e. Louisiana) ^e	0.74	0.96	0.75	0.98	1.07	0.92	0.96	0.84	0.63	✖	0.63
Increase the percentage of youth with diagnosed HIV infections who are virally suppressed to at least 80%	21.2%	28.5%	29.9%	33.8%	41.4%	47.6%	52.1%	52.8%	53.5%	↗	80%
Increase the percentage of persons who inject drugs with diagnosed HIV infections who are virally suppressed to at least 80%	39.3%	39.3%	41.5%	45.3%	48.8%	51.6%	54.8%	54.9%	61.7%	↗	80%

^a 2016 Annual Target listed as 2017 data unavailable

^b Death rate is per 1,000 persons diagnosed with HIV infection

^c Due to delays in death reporting, the most recent year for complete death data is 2016

^d Measures shown are the ratios of the disparity rate in specified group to the overall rate in Louisiana

^e Measures shown are the ratios of the disparity rate in Louisiana to the overall U.S. HIV diagnosis rate



Met or exceeded Annual Target



Annual Target not met, moving in direction of target



Annual Target not met, fluctuating progress towards target



Unable to assess target at this time