Local Data: Atlanta

In 2020, there were 38,140 people living with HIV in Atlanta.
In 2020, 1,254 people were newly diagnosed with HIV.
HIV Prevalence

Number of people living with HIV, 2020
38,140

Rate of people living with HIV per 100,000 population, 2020
1,088

Percent of people living with HIV, by Sex, 2020

- Male: 80.7%
- Female: 19.3%

Percent of people living with HIV, by Race/Ethnicity, 2020

- Black: 71.0%
- Hispanic/Latinx: 8.1%
- White: 15.6%

Percent of people living with HIV, by Age, 2020

- Aged 13-24: 3.5%
- Aged 25-44: 44.8%
- Aged 45-59: 35.8%
- Aged 60+: 15.8%

Rate of people living with HIV per 100,000 population, by Geography, 2020

New HIV Diagnoses

Number of new HIV diagnoses, 2020

1,254

Rate of new HIV diagnoses per 100,000 population, 2020

36

Percent of people newly diagnosed with HIV, by Sex, 2020

- Male: 83.1%
  - Female: 16.9%

Percent of people newly diagnosed with HIV, by Race/Ethnicity, 2020

- Black: 74.1%
  - Hispanic/Latinx: 10.8%
  - White: 12.5%

Percent of people newly diagnosed with HIV, by Age, 2020

- Aged 13-24: 22.2%
  - Aged 25-44: 59.4%
  - Aged 45-59: 15.5%
  - Aged 60+: 3.0%

Number of New HIV Diagnoses, 2016-2020
Rate of people newly diagnosed with HIV per 100,000 population, by Geography, 2020

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, data from 2020 should be interpreted with caution.
**Late HIV Diagnoses**

*A late HIV diagnosis is defined as having an AIDS diagnosis within three months of initial HIV diagnosis.*

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Linked to HIV Care

Linkage to care is defined as having a visit with an HIV health care provider within one month of being diagnosed with HIV.

Number of people diagnosed with HIV and linked to HIV care, 2020

962

Proportion of people linked to HIV care, by Sex, 2020

Male: 77.2%
Female: 74.5%

Proportion of people linked to HIV care, by Race/Ethnicity, 2020

Black: 75.8%
Hispanic/Latinx: 77.2%
White: 80.3%

Percent of people diagnosed with HIV and linked to HIV care, 2020

76.7%

Proportion of people linked to HIV care, by Age, 2020

Aged 13-24: 67.3%
Aged 25-44: 79.6%
Aged 45-59: 77.3%
Aged 60+: 83.8%
Receipt of HIV Care

Receipt of HIV care is defined as those living with diagnosed HIV who received medical care for HIV and had at least one CD4 count or HIV viral load test in that year.

Number of people living with HIV who received HIV care, 2020

**26,137**

Proportion of people who received HIV care, by Sex, 2020

**Male:** 74.4%
**Female:** 71.7%

Proportion of people who received HIV care, by Race/Ethnicity, 2020

**Black:** 73.2%
**Hispanic/Latinx:** 70.9%
**White:** 76.9%

Percent of people living with HIV who received HIV care, 2020

**73.9%**

Proportion of people who received HIV care, by Age, 2020

**Aged 13-24:** 80.4%
**Aged 25-44:** 75.1%
**Aged 45-59:** 73.6%
**Aged 60+:** 70.0%
Viral Suppression

Viral suppression is defined as those living with diagnosed HIV who had suppressed HIV viral load (<200 copies/mL).

Number of people living with HIV who were virally suppressed, 2020

22,307

Proportion of people who were virally suppressed, by Sex, 2020

Male: 59.0%
Female: 56.3%

Proportion of people who were virally suppressed, by Race/Ethnicity, 2020

Black: 56.2%
Hispanic/Latinx: 58.5%
White: 66.0%

Percent of people living with HIV who were virally suppressed, 2020

58.5%

Proportion of people who were virally suppressed, by Age, 2020

Aged 13-24: 47.8%
Aged 25-44: 55.9%
Aged 45-59: 61.8%
Aged 60+: 60.6%
HIV Mortality

Number of deaths of people living with HIV in Atlanta, 2020
426

Number of deaths of people living with HIV in Georgia, 2020
895
Demographics, 2010

Total Population
4,333,441

City Population by Race/Ethnicity

- American Indian / Alaska Native (0.2%)
- Asian (5.5%)
- Black (34.6%)
- Hispanic / Latinx (11.5%)
- White (46.1%)
- Multiple Race (1.8%)
- Other* (0.3%)

*Includes other races/ethnicities or missing/suppressed data
The rate of **Black males** living with an HIV diagnosis is 5.9 times that of **White males**.

The rate of **Hispanic/Latino males** living with an HIV diagnosis is 2.0 times that of **White males**.

The rate of **Black females** living with an HIV diagnosis is 16.1 times that of **White females**.

The rate of **Hispanic/Latina females** living with an HIV diagnosis is 5.3 times that of **White females**.
Late HIV Diagnoses, 2020

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City

- 20.6%
- 79.4%

State

- 21.9%
- 78.1%

Region
United States

- Diagnosed with HIV: 21.5%
- Diagnosed with AIDS: 21.6%
- Diagnosed with HIV: 78.5%
- Diagnosed with AIDS: 78.4%

Legend:
- Light gray: Diagnosed with HIV
- Dark gray: Diagnosed with AIDS
People Living with HIV, by Transmission Category, 2020

Percent of People Living with HIV, by Transmission Category, 2020

Male Transmission Categories

Injection Drug Use (2.3%)
Heterosexual Contact (4.1%)
Male-to-Male Sexual Contact (72.7%)
Male-to-Male Sexual Contact & Injection Drug Use (3.9%)
Other* (17.0%)

Female Transmission Categories
Injection Drug Use (7.2%)
Heterosexual Contact (57.5%)
Other* (35.3%)

*Includes risk factor not reported or identified, along with hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal exposure, or missing/suppressed data.
People Newly Diagnosed with HIV, by Transmission Category, 2020

Percent of People Newly Diagnosed with HIV, by Transmission Category, 2020

Male Transmission Categories

- Injection Drug Use (0.8%)
- Heterosexual Contact (7.1%)
- Male-to-Male Sexual Contact (76.9%)
- Male-to-Male Sexual Contact & Injection Drug Use (1.6%)
- Other* (13.6%)

Female Transmission Categories
Injection Drug Use (2.8%)
Heterosexual Contact (55.7%)
Other* (41.5%)

*Includes risk factor not reported or identified, along with hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal exposure, or missing/suppressed data.
Sexually Transmitted Diseases, 2020

Percent of Population Unemployed, 2020
- City*: 6.9%
- State: 6.5%
- Region: 7.2%
- United States: 8.1%

Percent of Population Living in Unstable Housing, 2020
- City*: 13.7%
- State: 13.7%
- Region: 13.4%
- United States: 14.2%

Sexually Transmitted Diseases, 2020

Rates of Sexually Transmitted Diseases per 100,000 Population, 2020

- Chlamydia
  - City*: 552.7
  - State: 589.4
  - Region: 529.1
  - United States: 481.3

- Gonorrhea
  - City*: 176.5
  - State: 221.0
  - Region: 232.1
  - United States: 206.5

- Primary & Secondary Syphilis
  - City*: 20.5
  - State: 16.5
  - Region: 13.2
  - United States: 12.7

*2019 city data displayed