## HIV Among Hispanic People in Maryland, 2020

Data Reported through June 30, 2021

## New HIV Diagnoses in Maryland

In 2020, there were 85 reported HIV diagnoses among Hispanic people.

- In 2020, Hispanic people accounted for $11.7 \%$ of the 724 reported HIV diagnoses.
- It is estimated that an additional $15.9 \%$ of Hispanic people living with HIV in Maryland remain undiagnosed, as of 2019.



## Characteristics of Hispanic People Living with HIV

At the end of 2020, there were 2,233 living Hispanic people with diagnosed HIV.

- Of the 31,676 people living with diagnosed HIV, 7.0\% were among Hispanics. 1 in 219 Hispanic persons in Maryland were reported to be living with diagnosed HIV.
- Rates (per 100,000) among people living with diagnosed HIV were three times higher among Hispanic males ( 684.8 per 100,000) as compared to Hispanic females (214.2).
- Of the 2,233 Hispanic persons living with diagnosed HIV, $72.1 \%$ had a viral load test result reported in 2020. Of those with a reported test result, $91.0 \%$ had a suppressed viral load.

2020 HIV Diagnosis Rates by Race/Ethnicity


- Diagnosis rates among newly reported HIV diagnoses in Maryland during 2020 remain highest among NH-Black people ( 33.9 per 100,000) , as compared to Hispanic people (17.4).


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NH: Non-Hispanic | HET: Heterosexual Contact | IDU: Injection Drug Use | MSM: Male-to-male Sexual Contact

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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 should be interpreted with caution due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on access to HIV testing and care-related services.

