New HIV Diagnoses in Maryland

- Over half (60.7%) of the new HIV diagnoses in Maryland in 2017 were among adults ages 20-39.
- 60 of the 1,043 HIV diagnoses (all ages) in Maryland were younger than 20 years old.
- The HIV diagnosis rate is highest among those aged 20-29 (45.1 cases per 100,000 people).

- 41.1% of HIV diagnoses among those 60+ years were diagnosed with AIDS within one year.

Characteristics of Marylanders Living with HIV

- Of the 30,637 total living Maryland HIV diagnoses in 2017 (all ages), 52.9% are currently 40-59 years old.
- Case rates were highest among those aged 50-59 (2,555.8 per 100,000), or 1 in 92 persons 50-59 years old in Maryland have HIV.
- The average age of individuals living with HIV in Maryland is 48 years old.

- It is estimated that an additional 50.6% of persons aged 13-24 living with HIV in Maryland remain undiagnosed.
- Of the total HIV-diagnosed persons living in Maryland with a viral load test reported in 2017, viral suppression was lowest among persons currently aged 13-19 and 20-29 years old (68.5%).

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