HIV AMONG MEN WHO HAVE SEX WITH MEN IN MARYLAND, 2015

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New HIV Diagnoses

- Of the 1,334 reported adult/adolescent HIV diagnoses (age 13+) in Maryland in 2015, 57.9% of those with a reported exposure were attributed to MSM and 0.9% were among MSM/IDU.

- Of the 966 male HIV diagnoses in 2015 in Maryland, 77.8% of those with a reported exposure were MSM and 1.2% were MSM/IDU.

- Of the 437 male AIDS diagnoses, 55.6% of those with an exposure were MSM and 3.0% were MSM/IDU.

- The proportion of HIV diagnoses in Maryland that were among MSM has steadily increased over the past 10 years.

Characteristics of Marylanders Living with HIV with a reported MSM Exposure

**Current Age Groups**
- 25.5% 50’s
- 23.0% 30’s
- 21.8% 40’s
- 18.9% 20’s
- 10.5% 60+
- 0.4% Teens

**Race/Ethnicity**
- 62.9% NH Black
- 24.1% NH White
- 7.0% Hispanic
- 6.0% NH Other

- Of the 25,456 total living HIV diagnoses (age 13+) as of 12/31/2015 in Maryland with a reported exposure, 35.8% (9,106) were attributable to MSM and 3.6% (925) were among MSM/IDU.

- Of the 9,106 total living HIV cases attributed to MSM in Maryland, about half (54.8%) had a viral load test result reported in 2015. Of those with a reported viral load test, 78.2% had a suppressed viral load.

HET: Heterosexual Exposure | IDU: Injection Drug User | MSM: Men who have Sex with Men | NH: Non-Hispanic

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