

HIV SURVEILLANCE QUARTERLY REPORT, 3rd Quarter 2020

STI/HIV/Viral Hepatitis Surveillance Program, Published February 2021



HIV diagnoses and AIDS diagnoses occurring January 1, 2020 through September 30, 2020; and people diagnosed with HIV, reported in Colorado, and presumed to be living as of September 30, 2020¹

	New HIV Diagnoses							New AIDS diagnoses ⁴		PLHIVdx as of 9/30/20		Viral Suppression ⁵	
	Total		No Concurrent AIDS diagnosis		Concurrent with AIDS diagnosis ²			No.	%	No.	%	No.	Row % ⁶
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	Row % ³						
Total	233	100%	178	100%	55	100%	24%	95	100%	14,880	100%	8,015	54%
Gender⁷													
Male	198	85%	146	82%	52	95%	26%	84	88%	12,839	86%	6,798	53%
Female	32	14%	29	16%	3	5%	9%	11	12%	1,893	13%	1,131	60%
Transgender Female	3	1%	3	2%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	135	1%	78	58%
Transgender Male	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	13	0.1%	8	62%
Race and Hispanic Origin⁸													
Asian/Pacific Islander, NH	2	1%	2	1%	0	0%	0%	1	1%	207	1%	127	61%
Black/African American, NH	38	16%	31	17%	7	13%	18%	11	12%	2,334	16%	1,228	53%
Hispanic/Latinx (All Races)	83	36%	59	33%	24	44%	29%	39	41%	3,474	23%	2,004	58%
Indigenous/Native American, NH	6	3%	6	3%	0	0%	0%	3	3%	107	1%	52	49%
Multiple Race/Unknown, NH	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%	1	1%	332	2%	174	52%
White, NH	104	45%	80	45%	24	44%	23%	40	42%	8,426	57%	4,430	53%
Age group (years)⁹													
Under 13	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	29	0.2%	22	76%
13-19	9	4%	9	5%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	74	0.5%	54	73%
20-29	82	35%	67	38%	15	27%	18%	21	22%	1,037	7%	642	62%
30-39	63	27%	51	29%	12	22%	19%	25	26%	2,561	17%	1,544	60%
40-49	39	17%	26	15%	13	24%	33%	22	23%	2,909	20%	1,736	60%
50-59	27	12%	14	8%	13	24%	48%	24	25%	4,422	30%	2,400	54%
60 and over	13	6%	11	6%	2	4%	15%	3	3%	3,848	26%	1,617	42%
County of Residence¹⁰													
Denver TGA ¹¹	158	68%	122	69%	36	65%	23%	63	66%	10,828	73%	5,842	54%
Non-TGA Urban ¹²	57	24%	43	24%	14	25%	25%	26	27%	2,871	19%	1,534	53%
Rural	18	8%	13	7%	5	9%	28%	6	6%	1,109	7%	588	53%
Unknown	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	72	0.5%	51	71%
Exposure Category													
Male-male sex (MSM)	139	60%	101	57%	38	69%	27%	61	64%	9,399	63%	5,224	56%
Injection Drug Use (IDU)	11	5%	9	5%	2	4%	18%	4	4%	852	6%	377	44%
MSM & IDU	17	7%	15	8%	2	4%	12%	9	9%	1,540	10%	782	51%
Heterosexual contact	24	10%	21	12%	3	5%	13%	7	7%	1,484	10%	879	59%
Pediatric ¹³	1	0.4%	1	1%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	153	1%	101	66%
Transfusion/Hemophiliac	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0%	0	0%	33	0.2%	15	45%
No Identified Risk ¹⁴ /Other	41	18%	31	17%	10	18%	24%	14	15%	1,419	10%	637	45%

Data Source: enhanced HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS). PLHIV=People living with HIV; dx=diagnosis/diagnosed; N/A=Not applicable. All percents are column percents unless otherwise indicated and may not equal 100% due to rounding. ¹For events reported by December 31, 2021. ²HIV diagnosed concurrently with AIDS (within 30 days of HIV diagnosis). ³Row percent is percent of total HIV diagnoses that were concurrent with AIDS diagnoses. ⁴AIDS=Stage 3, diagnosed with a cd4 count <200 or in the absence of a cd4 count, a cd4 percent <14. Includes concurrent AIDS diagnoses and those that progressed to AIDS. ⁵Includes those labs from the previous 12 months. Suppressed includes a viral load ≤200 cells/mL. ⁶Row percent of PLHIVdx as of 9/30/20. ⁷Sex at birth used when gender identity was unknown. ⁸NH=Non-Hispanic. ⁹For HIV and AIDS diagnoses, age at diagnosis; for PLHIVdx and vl suppression, age as of September 30, 2020. ¹⁰For HIV and AIDS diagnoses, residence at diagnosis; for PLHIVdx and vl suppression, residence as of September 30, 2020. ¹¹Includes Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, and Jefferson counties. ¹²Includes Boulder, El Paso, Larimer, Mesa, Pueblo, and Weld counties. ¹³Pediatric cases are individuals under age 13 years at the time of diagnosis. ¹⁴No Identified Risk will be reduced over a 12 month period after diagnosis as new risks are reported. The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment acknowledges that social, economic and environmental inequities result in adverse health outcomes and have a greater impact than individual choices. Reducing health disparities through systems change can help improve opportunities for all Coloradans.