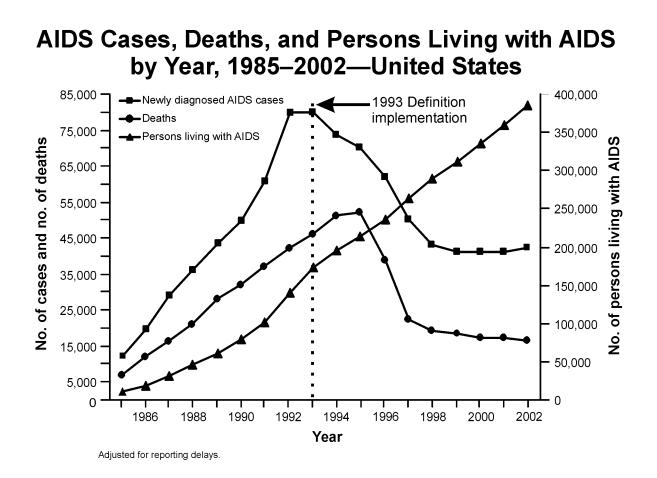


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### Commentary

Since the use of highly active antiretroviral therapy (HAART) became widespread during 1996, trends in AIDS incidence have become less reflective of underlying trends in HIV transmission. AIDS incidence increased throughout the 1980s, declined from the mid-1990s through 2001, and increased 2% in 2002 (compared with 2001). The number of deaths among persons with AIDS continued to decline. During 1998–2002, the estimated number of deaths among persons with AIDS declined 14%. AIDS prevalence (i.e., the number of persons living with AIDS) continued to increase. At the end of 2002, an estimated 384,906 persons in the United States were known to be living with AIDS (see cover).

To better monitor the patterns of HIV diagnosis, most states have implemented HIV surveillance. Many states in which the HIV surveillance system allowed the reporting of previously diagnosed cases received a large number of HIV case reports during the initial implementation period. However, once most of the previously diagnosed cases had been reported, the number of cases reported in later reporting periods decreased, better reflecting newly diagnosed cases. Some of the persons with a newly diagnosed case had been infected recently; others had been infected some time in the past. Therefore, new HIV diagnoses do not necessarily reflect HIV incidence (i.e., new infections). One method for estimating HIV incidence is to apply the serologic testing algorithm for recent HIV seroconversion (STARHS) to the serum specimens from which recent HIV diagnoses were made. Five areas were funded in FY 2002 to pilot this method, and 19 additional areas were funded in FY 2003. The monitoring of HIV incidence will be critical in evaluating progress toward CDC's goal of reducing the number of new HIV infections in the United States from 40,000 to 20,000 per year by the year 2005.

Since 1994, CDC has supported uniform HIV surveillance for all 50 states and territories. The 2002 *HIV/ AIDS Surveillance Report* has been revised to present data on persons with HIV infection, including those in whom HIV infection has progressed to AIDS. Surveillance data on HIV infection provide a more complete picture of the epidemic and the need for prevention and care services than that provided by AIDS data alone. Such comprehensive information is needed to allocate resources and evaluate program effectiveness. In this report, the term *HIV/AIDS* is used to refer to three categories of cases: (1) new diagnoses of HIV infection only, (2) new diagnoses of HIV infection with later diagnoses of AIDS, and (3) concurrent diagnoses of HIV infection and AIDS. For analyses of HIV/AIDS data, we used data from 30 areas (i.e., 29 states and the U.S. Virgin Islands) that have had HIV infection reporting for a sufficient length of time (i.e., at least since 1998) to allow for stabilization of data collection and for adjustment of the data in order to monitor trends. Tables 1, 2, 8, and 9 summarize diagnoses and prevalence of HIV/AIDS. For analysis of diagnoses of AIDS, we used data from the 50 states, the District of Columbia, U.S. territories and other associated nations.

This report is organized in five sections: (1) diagnoses of HIV/AIDS and AIDS, (2) deaths of persons with AIDS, (3) persons living with HIV/AIDS, AIDS, or HIV infection (not AIDS), (4) length of survival after AIDS diagnosis, and (5) reports of cases of AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), and HIV/AIDS. Sections 1 through 3 present point estimates of cases that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases initially reported without a mode of HIV exposure. CDC routinely adjusts data for the presentation of trends in the epidemic. Data to estimate the number of persons with diagnoses of HIV/AIDS or AIDS, the number of persons living with HIV/AIDS, AIDS, or HIV infection (not AIDS), and the number of deaths among persons with AIDS have been statistically adjusted to correct for delays in the reporting of cases and deaths. To assess trends in diagnoses, deaths, or prevalence, it is preferable to use adjusted data, presented by year of diagnosis instead of year of report, to eliminate artifacts of reporting in the surveillance system. Therefore, readers are encouraged to use tables that present trends by year of diagnosis, year of death, or year-end prevalence. Section 4 presents estimates of survival for persons whose AIDS diagnosis was made during 1998 (Table 13) and persons whose diagnosis was made during 1994–2001 (Figures 2-4). Estimates of the proportion of persons surviving various lengths of time after diagnosis are presented by year of diagnosis, age group, race/ethnicity, and HIV exposure category. Finally, Section 5 presents reports of cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) and cases of AIDS reported through 2002. Areas included in tabulations of reported cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) are based on the date of implementation of name-based HIV infection reporting. For this report, data from 39 areas were used in Tables 15 and 17 to describe reports of HIV infection (not AIDS). These data have not been adjusted for delays in reporting and are presented by year of report to CDC. Tables that present cases by year of report represent the most up-to-date information reported to CDC; however, cases by year of report do not represent incident cases, the most recent diagnoses, trends, or deaths.

The presentation of the data in tables has also been changed to show trends in diagnoses of HIV/AIDS for the most recent 5-year period and cumulatively. For trends in AIDS diagnoses, we present annual estimates for the most recent 5 years (i.e., 1998 through 2002) and cumulative totals through 2002. For trends in diagnoses of HIV/AIDS, we also present annual estimates of the most recent 4 years (i.e., 1999 through 2002) in 30 areas with confidential HIV infection reporting since 1998, as well as cumulative totals through 2002.

### Highlights of Analyses Diagnoses of HIV/AIDS and AIDS

#### Diagnoses of HIV/AIDS

From 1999 through 2002, the number of diagnoses of HIV/AIDS in the 30 areas with confidential-namebased HIV infection reporting increased steadily. Table 1 includes data on persons in this category. Diagnoses of HIV/AIDS increased 3.2% from 2001 (25,643) through 2002 (26,464) (Table 1). For the 30 areas, the rate of HIV/AIDS diagnoses in 2002 was 19.1 per 100,000 population.

- By age group, diagnoses of HIV/AIDS decreased among children and in the age group 25–34 years and increased in all other age groups. In 2002, the age group 25–34 years represented 28% of all new diagnoses of HIV/AIDS.
- By race/ethnicity, increases occurred among whites, Hispanics, and Asians/Pacific Islanders and remained stable among blacks. In 2002, blacks accounted for 54% of all new diagnoses of HIV/AIDS.
- By sex, from 1999 through 2002, the number of diagnoses of HIV/AIDS increased 7% among men and remained stable among women. In 2002, men accounted for 71% of all new HIV/AIDS diagnoses among adults in the 30 areas.
- By exposure category, diagnoses of HIV/AIDS increased each year during 1999–2002 among men who have sex with men (MSM) and, to a lesser degree, among heterosexuals. In addition, diagnoses

decreased among injection drug users (IDUs), MSM who were also IDUs, and among children. In 2002, MSM (44%) and persons exposed through heterosexual contact (35%) accounted for 79% of all new diagnoses of HIV/AIDS.

Of all HIV infections in 2001, 39% progressed to AIDS within 12 months after the diagnosis of HIV infection. AIDS was diagnosed within 12 months after the diagnosis of HIV infection for a larger proportion of older persons (35 and older), Hispanics, Asians/Pacific Islanders, American Indians/Alaska Natives, IDUs, and persons exposed through heterosexual contact (Table 2).

#### Diagnoses of AIDS

During 1998–1999, declines in AIDS incidence began to level, and essentially no change occurred from 1999 through 2001. In 2002, AIDS diagnoses increased 2% (Table 3). The rate of AIDS diagnoses in the United States was 14.1 per 100,000 population (Table 5).

- By age group, from 1998 through 2002, AIDS incidence decreased 61% among children and 24% in the age group 25–34 years, and remained stable in the age group 35–44 years. AIDS incidence increased in the following age groups: 13–14, 15–24, 45–54, 55–64, and 65 years and older. In 2002, the age group 35–44 years represented 41% of all new diagnoses of AIDS.
- By race/ethnicity, from 1998 through 2002, AIDS incidence declined among whites and Hispanics; incidence increased among blacks, Asians/Pacific Islanders, and among American Indians/Alaska Natives. In 2002, rates of AIDS diagnoses ranged from 58.7 per 100,000 of the black population to 4.0 per 100,000 of the Asian/Pacific Islander population.
- By sex, from 1998 through 2002, the number of AIDS diagnoses increased 7% among women and decreased 5% among men. In 2002, men accounted for 74% of all new AIDS diagnoses among adults in the United States. Rates of AIDS diagnoses in 2002 were 26.4 per 100,000 among men and 8.8 per 100,000 among women.
- By exposure category, from 1998 through 2001, AIDS incidence declined among MSM, IDUs, and MSM who were also IDUs. In 2002, incidence among MSM increased slightly. Among persons exposed through heterosexual contact, incidence increased each year from 1998 through 2002.
- By region, AIDS incidence declined in the Northeast and the U.S. territories from 1998 through 2002,

the South through 2000, and the West through 2001. In 2002, compared with 2001, incidence increased 9% in the Midwest, 5% in the South, and 5% in the West.

### Deaths

The estimated number of deaths among persons with AIDS in 2002 represented a 14% decline since 1998 (Table 7).

- By age group, the number of deaths declined among most age groups but increased slightly among the age group 45-54.
- By race/ethnicity, the number of deaths among persons with AIDS declined in all racial/ethnic groups.
- By sex and exposure category, the number of deaths declined among MSM, IDUs, and MSM who were also IDUs. Among adults and adolescents exposed through heterosexual contact, the number of deaths leveled from 1998 through 2000, increased in 2001, and then declined in 2002.
- By region, the number of deaths in 2002 (compared with 2001) declined in the Midwest, the South, the West, and U.S. territories and increased slightly in the Northeast.

# Persons Living with HIV/AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), or AIDS

#### Persons living with HIV/AIDS

The prevalence of diagnosed HIV/AIDS has increased steadily in the 30 areas with confidential namebased HIV infection reporting (Table 8). At the end of 2002, approximately 281,931 persons were known to be living with HIV/AIDS in the 30 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting since 1998:

- By age group, 42% were in the age group 35–44 years.
- By race/ethnicity, 50% were black, 38% white, 10% Hispanic, and <1% each were American Indian/ Alaska Native and Asian/Pacific Islander.
- By sex, 73% of adults with HIV/AIDS were men.
- Of the estimated 206,557 male adults and adolescents (>13 years of age) living with HIV/AIDS, 61% were MSM, 17% were IDUs, 13% had been exposed through heterosexual contact, and 8% were MSM who also were IDUs. Of the 71,996 female adults and adolescents living with HIV/AIDS, 72% had been exposed through heterosexual contact, and 26% had been exposed through injection drug use.

Of the 3,374 children living with HIV/AIDS, 92% had been exposed perinatally.

#### Prevalence rates of HIV infection (not AIDS)

In the 30 areas with confidential HIV infection reporting, the prevalence rate of HIV infection (not AIDS) among adults was 125.7 per 100,000 at the end of 2002 (Map 1). The rate for adults living with HIV infection (not AIDS) ranged from 12.8 per 100,000 (North Dakota) to 229.7 per 100,000 (Virgin Islands). The prevalence rate of HIV infection (not AIDS) among children was 5.6 per 100,000 population (Map 2). The rate for children living with HIV infection (not AIDS) ranged from 0.4 per 100,000 in Idaho to 20.0 per 100,000 in New Jersey.

#### Persons living with AIDS

AIDS prevalence has also increased steadily (Table 10). At the end of 2002, approximately 384,906 persons in the United States were living with AIDS:

- By age group, 43% were in the age group 35–44 years.
- By race/ethnicity, 42% were black, 37% white, 20% Hispanic, and <1% each were Asian/Pacific Islander and American Indian/Alaska Native.
- By sex, 77% of adults living with AIDS were men.
- By region, 39% resided in the South, 29% in the Northeast, 19% in the West, 10% in the Midwest, and 3% in the U.S. territories.
- Of the 298,248 male adults and adolescents (>13 years of age) living with AIDS, 58% were MSM, 23% were IDUs, 10% had been exposed through heterosexual contact, and 8% were MSM who were also IDUs. Of the 82,764 female adults and adolescents living with AIDS, 61% had been exposed through heterosexual contact, and 36% had been exposed through injection drug use.

#### AIDS prevalence rates

• In the United States, at the end of 2002, the AIDS prevalence rate among adults was 160.5 per 100,000 (Map 1). The rate ranged from 2.2 per 100,000 (Pacific Islands) to 1,685.8 per 100,000 (District of Columbia). The rate among children was 4.2 per 100,000 population. The rate among children ranged from 0.4 per 100,000 in Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, and Utah to 80.8 per 100,000 in the District of Columbia.

### **Survival after AIDS Diagnosis**

Table 13 is limited to data for AIDS cases diagnosed in 1998 to describe the survival of persons whose diagnosis was made relatively recently, but far enough in the past to permit a meaningful measure of survival. Figures 2, 3, and 4 illustrate the proportion of surviving persons among persons whose diagnoses were made over a longer period, 1994 through 2001.

- Survival (the estimated proportion of persons surviving a given length of time after diagnosis) increased with the year of diagnosis for diagnosis during 1994–1997, but year-to-year differences were small during 1997–2001.
- Survival decreased as age at diagnosis increased among persons at least 35 years old at diagnosis, and in comparison with persons less than 35 years, but did not differ significantly among the age groups less than 35 years.
- Survival was greatest among MSM and among children with perinatally acquired HIV infection. Survival was intermediate among men and women who had heterosexual contact with someone known to be HIV infected or at high risk for HIV infection, as well as among MSM who also were IDUs. Survival was shortest among men and among women who were IDUs (Table 13).
- Survival was greater among Hispanics, non-Hispanic whites, and Asians/Pacific Islanders than among non-Hispanic blacks, particularly for more than 60 months after diagnosis (Figure 4). Results were unstable or inconsistent for American Indians/Alaska Natives because numbers of persons in this racial/ethnic category were small.

# Reports of Cases of AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), and HIV/AIDS

Tables 14 through 18 describe reports of cases of AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), and of HIV/AIDS. Tables 15 and 17 are based on reports of cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) through 2002 from the 39 areas that had implemented name-based HIV infection reporting. Readers should note that not all cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) or AIDS reported in 2002 reflected new diagnoses; rather, the reported cases include cases diagnosed during earlier years.

#### Reports of cases of HIV infection (not AIDS)

Through 2002, a total of 199,759 persons were reported as having HIV infection (not AIDS) in the 39 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting. Five states (New York, Florida, New Jersey, Texas, and North Carolina) reported 35% of the cumulative cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) reported to CDC. In 2002, three states (Florida, New York, and Texas) reported 22,608 (64%) of the 35,147 cases of HIV infection (not AIDS).

- By sex, in 2002, 68% of the 35,147 reported cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) were in men, and 32% were in women.
- In 2002, 420 cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) in children were reported.

#### Reports of AIDS cases

Through 2002, a total of 859,000 persons had been reported as having AIDS in the United States, dependencies, possessions, and associated nations. Three states (California, Florida, and New York) reported 44% of the cumulative AIDS cases and 38% of AIDS cases reported to CDC in 2002. In the United States, the rate of reported AIDS cases in 2002 was 14.8 per 100,000 population. The rate of reported AIDS cases ranged from 0.5 per 100,000 population (North Dakota) to 162.4 per 100,000 population (District of Columbia).

- By sex, in 2002, men accounted for 74% and women for 26% of 43,950 reported AIDS cases.
- In 2002, 158 AIDS cases in children were reported.

#### **Additional Resources**

The following were prepared with HIV/AIDS surveillance data:

- Selected MMWR articles at www.cdc.gov/hiv/ pubs/mmwr.htm
- Public-use slides at www.cdc.gov/hiv/ graphics.htm
- Other surveillance reports at www.cdc.gov/hiv/ stats/hasrlink.htm
- Public-use version of the AIDS surveillance data set (AIDS Public Information Data Set [APIDS]) at www.cdc.gov/hiv/software/ apids.htm

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		Year of diagnosis						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	through 2002 <sup>a</sup>			
Age at diagnosis (yrs)								
<13	187	163	206	162	3,219			
13—14	28	31	33	30	391			
15—24	2,646	2,803	2,926	2,926	40,896			
25—34	7,817	7,386	7,221	7,338	115,468			
35—44	9,115	9,289	9,119	9,450	100,294			
45—54	3,887	4,212	4,408	4,675	37,763			
55—64	1,112	1,250	1,303	1,450	10,647			
≥65	382	386	427	432	3,455			
Race/ethnicity								
White, not Hispanic	7,718	7,985	8,040	8,347	115,134			
Black, not Hispanic	14,398	14,129	14,090	14,398	162,950			
Hispanic	2,631	2,920	3,012	3,321	29,315			
Asian/Pacific Islander	123	150	140	149	1,262			
American Indian/Alaska Native	153	147	142	168	1,795			
Exposure category								
Male adult or adolescent								
Male-to-male sexual contact	9,995	10,519	10,974	11,701	134,357			
Injection drug use	3,029	2,940	2,715	2,757	43,426			
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	1,066	962	948	943	17,758			
Heterosexual contact	3,237	3,252	3,191	3,234	30,337			
Other <sup>b</sup>	166	167	167	164	2,694			
Subtotal	17,493	17,842	17,995	18,798	228,572			
Female adult or adolescent								
Injection drug use	1,651	1,590	1,481	1,418	22,166			
Heterosexual contact	5,708	5,777	5,826	5,949	56,492			
Other <sup>b</sup>	132	149	136	136	1,678			
Subtotal	7,491	7,516	7,442	7,503	80,336			
Child(<13 yrs)								
Perinatal	174	151	192	144	2,754			
Other <sup>c</sup>	14	12	14	18	465			
Subtotal	187	163	206	162	3,219			
Total <sup>d</sup>	25,174	25,522	25.643	26,464	312,133			

### Table 1. Estimated numbers of diagnoses of HIV/AIDS, by year of diagnosis and selected characteristics of persons, 1999–2002—30 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons with a diagnosis of HIV/AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

Data include persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection. This includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection only, a diagnosis of HIV infection and a later AIDS diagnosis, and concurrent diagnoses of HIV infection and AIDS.

Since 1998, the following 30 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Since July 1997, Florida has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection, from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>c</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>d</sup> Includes persons of unknown or multiple race and of unknown sex. Cumulative total includes 1677 persons of unknown or multiple race and 6 persons of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

	≥12 Months after diagnosis of HIV infection			onths agnosis nfection	Total		
	No.	(%) <sup>a</sup>	No.	(%)ª	No.	<b>(%)</b> ª	
Age at diagnosis (yrs)							
<13	160	77	47	23	206	100	
13—14	25	75	8	25	33	100	
15—24	2,427	83	500	17	2,926	100	
25—34	4,757	66	2,464	34	7,221	100	
35—44	5,175	57	3,942	43	9,118	100	
45—54	2,210	50	2,198	50	4,408	100	
55—64	577	44	726	56	1,303	100	
≥65	189	44	238	56	427	100	
Race/ethnicity							
White, not Hispanic	4,817	60	3,222	40	8,039	100	
Black, not Hispanic	8,627	61	5,463	39	14,090	100	
Hispanic	1,719	57	1,293	43	3,012	100	
Asian/Pacific Islander	82	58	58	42	140	100	
American Indian/Alaska Native	74	52	68	48	142	100	
Exposure category							
Male adult or adolescent							
Male-to-male sexual contact	6,461	59	4,512	41	10,973	100	
Injection drug use	1,419	52	1,296	48	2,715	100	
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	554	58	394	42	948	100	
Heterosexual contact	1,858	58	1,333	42	3,191	100	
Other⁵	81	48	87	52	167	100	
Subtotal	10,373	58	7,621	42	17,994	100	
Female adult or adolescent	·				·		
Injection drug use	948	64	533	36	1,481	100	
Heterosexual contact	3,974	68	1,852	32	5,826	100	
Other <sup>b</sup>	65	48	70	52	136	100	
Subtotal	4,987	67	2,455	33	7,442	100	
Child(<13 yrs)	·						
Perinatal	148	77	44	23	192	100	
Other <sup>c</sup>	12	83	2	17	14	100	
Subtotal	160	77	47	23	206	100	
Total <sup>a</sup>	15,520	61	10,123	39	25,642	100	

# Table 2. Estimated distribution of persons with and persons without a diagnosis of AIDS within 12 months of diagnosis of HIV infection, by selected characteristics, 2001—30 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection or AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

Data include persons in whom AIDS has developed and persons whose first diagnosis of HIV infection and the diagnosis of AIDS were made at the same time.

Data exclude 1 person whose month of HIV infection diagnosis is unknown.

Since 1998, the following 30 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Since July 1997, Florida has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

<sup>a</sup> Percentages represent proportions of the total number of diagnoses of HIV/AIDS made during 2001 for the corresponding group (see row entries).

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

° Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>d</sup> Includes 220 persons of unknown or multiple race. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

### Table 3. Estimated numbers of diagnoses of AIDS, by year of diagnosis and selected characteristics of persons, 1998–2002— United States

		- Cumulative				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	through 2002 <sup>a</sup>
Age at diagnosis (yrs)						
<13	238	183	118	110	92	9,300
13—14	54	58	57	75	76	839
15—24	1,591	1,527	1,625	1,638	1,833	35,460
25—34	12,671	11,342	10,373	10,063	9,688	301,278
35—44	17,670	17,181	17,280	17,057	17,398	347,860
45—54	8,016	8,065	8,581	9,015	9,488	138,386
55—64	2,235	2,218	2,417	2,481	2,773	40,584
≥65	751	739	787	788	789	12,868
Race/ethnicity						
White, not Hispanic	13,553	12,626	12,088	11,671	11,929	364,458
Black, not Hispanic	20,672	19,953	20,353	20,594	21,169	347,491
Hispanic	8,460	8,140	8,173	8,279	8,242	163,940
Asian/Pacific Islander	346	380	388	441	478	6,924
American Indian/Alaska Native	157	164	185	188	206	2,875
Exposure category						
Male adult or adolescent						
Male-to-male sexual contact	17,357	16,378	16,076	16,296	16,944	420,790
Injection drug use	8,462	7,965	7,689	7,115	6,945	172,351
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	2,466	2,275	2,006	2,010	1,898	59,719
Heterosexual contact	4,033	4,136	4,258	4,554	4,937	50,793
Other <sup>b</sup>	384	365	367	361	365	14,350
Subtotal	32,703	31,119	30,396	30,335	31,089	718,002
Female adult or adolescent						
Injection drug use	3,740	3,516	3,533	3,387	3,180	67,917
Heterosexual contact	6,300	6,260	6,911	7,103	7,476	84,835
Other <sup>b</sup>	243	236	281	292	299	6,519
Subtotal	10,283	10,012	10,725	10,783	10,955	159,271
Child(<13 yrs)						
Perinatal	236	181	115	106	90	8,629
Other <sup>c</sup>	1	2	3	4	2	671
Subtotal	238	183	118	110	92	9,300
Region of residence						
Northeast	11,879	11,856	12,400	11,460	10,909	273,248
Midwest	4,061	4,065	4,234	4,305	4,707	87,931
South	18,429	17,184	16,714	17,696	18,546	317,244
West	7,375	6,903	6,646	6,427	6,719	179,212
U.S. dependencies, possessions, and						
associated nations	1,482	1,305	1,245	1,339	1,256	28,941
Total <sup>d</sup>	43,225	41,314	41,239	41,227	42,136	886,575

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons with a diagnosis of AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of AIDS, from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

° Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>d</sup> Includes persons of unknown or multiple race and of unknown sex. Cumulative total includes 887 persons of unknown or multiple race and 2 persons of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

### Table 4. Estimated numbers of diagnoses of AIDS in children <13 years of age, by year of diagnosis and exposure category, 1998–2002—United States</th>

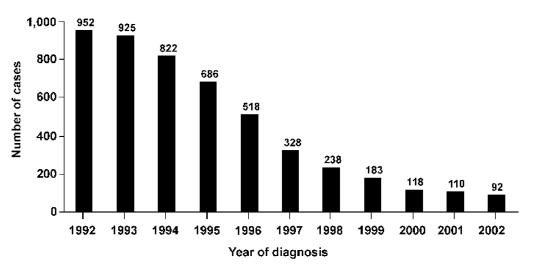
		Cumulative				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	through 2002 <sup>a</sup>
Race/ethnicity						
White, not Hispanic	33	19	13	16	7	1,606
Black, not Hispanic	156	129	85	70	58	5,476
Hispanic	47	33	18	22	24	2,111
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	1	2	2	1	59
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	0	0	0	0	31
Exposure category						
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	0	0	0	0	0	236
Mother with, or at risk for, HIV infection	236	181	115	106	90	8,629
Injection drug use	46	43	20	13	9	3,309
Sex with injection drug user	31	24	15	5	5	1,526
Sex with bisexual male	6	6	2	3	4	202
Sex with person with hemophilia	1	2	0	1	0	35
Sex with HIV-infected transfusion recipient	1	0	0	0	0	26
Sex with HIV-infected person, risk not specified	62	50	36	32	32	1,453
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood components, or tissue	0	1	2	2	3	159
Has HIV infection, risk not specified	89	55	40	50	37	1,920
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood components, or tissue	1	0	1	0	1	390
Other/risk not reported or identified	0	2	2	3	0	45
Total <sup>b</sup>	238	183	118	110	92	9,300

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons with a diagnosis of AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes children with a diagnosis of AIDS, from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002.

<sup>b</sup> Includes children of unknown or multiple race. Cumulative total includes 17 children of unknown or multiple race. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

### Figure 1. Estimated numbers of diagnoses of AIDS in children <13 years of age, by year of diagnosis, 1992–2002—United States



*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in children with a diagnosis of AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting. The 1993 AIDS surveillance case definition change affected only cases in adults and adolescents, not the cases in children.

### Table 5. Estimated numbers of diagnoses and rates (per 100,000 population) of AIDS, by persons' race/ethnicity, age category, and sex, 2002—United States

		Α	dults or a	adolesce	ents						
	Males Fema		nales Total		otal	- Children (<13 yrs)		Total			
Race/ethnicity	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	
White, not Hispanic	10,095	12.3	1,801	2.1	11,896	7.0	7	0.0	11,903	5.9	
Black, not Hispanic	13,890	108.4	7,159	48.6	21,049	76.4	57	0.7	21,106	58.7	
Hispanic	5,508	39.7	1,471	11.3	6,979	26.0	19	0.2	6,998	19.2	
Asian/Pacific Islander	397	8.6	75	1.5	471	4.9	1	0.1	473	4.0	
American Indian/Alaska Native	151	16.9	54	5.8	205	11.2	0	0	205	8.5	
Total <sup>a</sup>	30,120	26.4	10,589	8.8	40,709	17.3	84	0.2	40,793	14.1	

*Note*. These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons with a diagnosis of AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting. Data exclude cases from the U.S dependencies, possessions, and associated nations, as well as cases in persons whose state or area of residence is unknown, because of the lack of census information by race and age categories for these areas.

<sup>a</sup> Includes 108 persons of unknown or multiple race. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

### Table 6. Estimated numbers of diagnoses of AIDS in adult or adolescent Hispanics, by diagnosis during 2002, exposure category and place of birth—United States

	Place of birth											
	United	States		I/South erica	Cı	ıba	Me	kico	Puert	o Rico	Tot	alª
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Male-to-male sexual contact	1,198	39	376	52	67	50	767	57	292	17	3,202	39
Injection drug use Male-to-male sexual contact and	898	29	82	11	32	24	170	13	788	45	2,235	27
injection drug use	133	4	14	2	7	5	55	4	58	3	299	4
Heterosexual contact	831	27	237	33	28	21	322	24	600	34	2,365	29
Other <sup>b</sup>	43	5 1	15	2	1	1	30	2	8	0	116	1
Total°	3,103	100	724	100	135	100	1,344	100	1,747	100	8,218	100

Note. These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons with a diagnosis of AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases diagnosed that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes 189 persons whose place of birth is not among those listed and 976 whose place of birth is unknown.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>c</sup> Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

		Cumulative				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	through 2002
Age at death (yrs)						
<13	104	102	51	49	33	5,071
13—14	9	19	10	5	10	244
15—24	258	232	206	261	190	9,507
25—34	3,785	3,252	2,765	2,377	1,971	139,977
35—44	7,991	7,679	6,998	7,077	6,401	207,324
45—54	4,784	5,004	5,082	5,202	5,395	97,027
55—64	1,511	1,546	1,584	1,758	1,728	31,179
≥65	562	622	652	673	641	11,340
Race/ethnicity						
White, not Hispanic	6,228	5,800	5,331	5,061	4,555	223,623
Black, not Hispanic	9,116	9,097	8,723	8,915	8,566	185,080
Hispanic	3,449	3,353	3,118	3,236	3,056	87,888
Asian/Pacific Islander	125	116	107	111	93	3,350
American Indian/Alaska Native	79	79	61	70	72	1,424
Exposure category						
Male adult or adolescent						
Male-to-male sexual contact	7,120	6,615	6,098	5,971	5,418	249,198
Injection drug use	4,735	4,501	4,145	4,129	4,038	103,714
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	1,338	1,319	1,287	1,262	1,082	36,224
Heterosexual contact	1,300	1,358	1,363	1,462	1,384	20,820
Other⁵	222	203	210	177	160	9,797
Subtotal	14,715	13,997	13,104	13,001	12,083	419,754
Female adult or adolescent						
Injection drug use	1,970	2,083	1,936	1,947	1,933	37,758
Heterosexual contact	2,100	2,140	2,134	2,280	2,197	34,661
Other⁵	97	104	99	101	95	4,087
Subtotal	4,167	4,327	4,169	4,328	4,226	76,507
Child(<13 yrs)						
Perinatal	117	122	71	69	59	4,882
Other <sup>c</sup>	6	8	4	4	4	526
Subtotal	122	130	75	73	62	5,407
Region of residence						
Northeast	5,681	5,814	5,089	5,263	5,419	161,971
Midwest	1,936	1,700	1,659	1,697	1,315	48,415
South	7,515	7,263	7,289	7,201	6,671	168,670
West	3,092	2,967	2,624	2,490	2,259	104,559
U.S. dependencies, possessions, and	0,002	_,	_, '	_,	_,	,
associated nations	781	710	687	752	707	18,054
Total <sup>d</sup>	19,005	18,454	17,347	17,402	16,371	501,669

### Table 7. Estimated numbers of deaths of persons with AIDS, by year of death and selected characteristics, 1998–2002—United States

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons who died with AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of cases in persons who died with AIDS that have been adjusted for delays in reporting of deaths and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons who died with AIDS, from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

° Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>d</sup> Includes persons of unknown or multiple race and of unknown sex. Cumulative total includes 304 persons of unknown or multiple race and 1 person of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

	1999	2000	2001	2002	
Age as of end of year (yrs)					
<13	2,517	2,488	2,451	2,363	
13—14	242	291	394	467	
15—24	8,984	9,440	9,901	10,295	
25—34	59,153	57,347	56,314	55,789	
35—44	98,193	106,376	112,845	118,714	
45—54	45,171	53,002	61,547	70,472	
55—64	10,732	12,830	15,240	18,591	
≥65	2,985	3,635	4,407	5,241	
Race/ethnicity					
White, not Hispanic	91,038	96,424	101,943	107,992	
Black, not Hispanic	112,483	121,903	131,360	141,184	
Hispanic	21,256	23,449	25,732	28,364	
Asian/Pacific Islander	791	923	1,045	1,181	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1,224	1,339	1,431	1,565	
Exposure category					
Male adult or adolescent					
Male-to-male sexual contact	100,582	108,174	116,250	125,268	
Injection drug use	31,554	32,880	34,093	35,380	
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	14,900	15,290	15,696	16,143	
Heterosexual contact	19,594	22,021	24,387	26,843	
Other <sup>a</sup>	2,673	2,735	2,819	2,922	
Subtotal	169,304	181,099	193,244	206,557	
Female adult or adolescent					
Injection drug use	16,666	17,504	18,209	18,831	
Heterosexual contact	37,657	42,239	46,841	51,538	
Other <sup>a</sup>	1,306	1,414	1,513	1,627	
Subtotal	55,629	61,158	66,563	71,996	
Child(<13 yrs)					
Perinatal	2,741	2,855	3,006	3,114	
Other <sup>b</sup>	297	291	279	260	
Subtotal	3,038	3,146	3,285	3,374	
Total <sup>c</sup>	227,976	245,409	263,098	281,931	

### Table 8. Estimated numbers of persons living with HIV/AIDS by year and selected characteristics, 1999–2002—30 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons living with HIV/AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of persons living with HIV/AIDS that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

Data include persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection. This includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection only, a diagnosis of HIV infection and a later AIDS diagnosis, and concurrent diagnoses of HIV infection and AIDS.

Since 1998, the following 30 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Since July 1997, Florida has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

<sup>a</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>c</sup> Includes persons of unknown or multiple race and of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

### Table 9. Estimated numbers of persons living with HIV/AIDS at the end of 2002, by race/ethnicity, sex, and exposure category—30 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

		•		Black, not Hispanic Hispan		anic	Asian/Pacific nic Islander		American Indian/Alaska Native		Tot	alª
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Male adult or adolescent												
Male-to-male sexual contact Injection drug use Male-to-male sexual contact and	68,988 8,708 8,179	76 10 9	41,863 21,137 6,337	47 24 7	12,448 4,982 1,348	57 23 6	593 118 38	66 13 4	698 178 169	60 15 15	125,268 35,380 16,143	61 17 8
injection drug use Heterosexual contact Other <sup>b</sup> Subtotal	4,003 1,491 91,369	4 2 100	19,360 1,173 89,870	22 1 100	3,049 195 22,023	14 1 100	125 23 897	14 3 100	96 19 1,160	8 2 100	26,843 2,922 206,557	13 1 100
Female adult or adolescent Injection drug use Heterosexual contact Other <sup>b</sup> Subtotal	5,369 10,210 421 16,000	34 64 3 100	11,657 36,257 1,034 48,948	24 74 2 100	1,531 4,328 142 6,001	26 72 2 100	46 208 15 269	17 77 6 100	140 241 7 388	36 62 2 100	18,831 51,538 1,627 71,996	26 72 2 100
<b>Child (&lt;13 yrs)</b> Perinatal Other <sup>c</sup> Subtotal	525 99 623	84 16 100	2,239 126 2,364	95 5 100	317 24 341	93 7 100	10 5 15	67 33 100	13 3 16	81 19 100	3,114 260 3,374	92 8 100
Total <sup>d</sup>	107,992		141,184		28,364		1,181		1,565		281,931	

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons living with HIV/AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of persons living with HIV/AIDS that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

Data include persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection. This includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection only, a diagnosis of HIV infection and a later AIDS diagnosis, and concurrent diagnoses of HIV infection and AIDS.

Since 1998, the following 30 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Since July 1997, Florida has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

<sup>a</sup> Includes 1646 persons of unknown or multiple race.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

° Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>d</sup> Includes 5 persons of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Age as of end of year (yrs)					
<13	3,128	3,006	2,816	2,571	2,292
13—14	372	438	513	642	732
15—24	4,657	4,675	4,951	5,204	5,653
25—34	63,610	60,056	56,552	53,837	51,851
35—44	130,403	141,434	151,476	158,962	165,348
45—54	66,105	77,334	89,716	102,991	116,927
55—64	16,033	19,330	23,030	27,462	33,201
≥65	4,256	5,152	6,263	7,471	8,902
Race/ethnicity					
White, not Hispanic	113,267	120,094	126,851	133,461	140,835
Black, not Hispanic	115,644	126,499	138,129	149,808	162,412
Hispanic	55,980	60,767	65,823	70,865	76,052
Asian/Pacific Islander	2,314	2,578	2,858	3,189	3,574
American Indian/Alaska Native	989	1,074	1,198	1,316	1,450
Exposure category					
Male adult or adolescent					
Male-to-male sexual contact	130,000	139,763	149,742	160,067	171,592
Injection drug use	55,735	59,199	62,743	65,729	68,636
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	20,256	21,212	21,931	22,679	23,495
Heterosexual contact	17,656	20,433	23,328	26,420	29,973
Other <sup>a</sup>	3,846	4,008	4,164	4,348	4,553
Subtotal	227,494	244,615	261,907	279,242	298,248
Female adult or adolescent					
Injection drug use	24,441	25,874	27,471	28,912	30,158
Heterosexual contact	31,175	35,295	40,072	44,895	50,174
Other <sup>a</sup>	1,722	1,854	2,036	2,227	2,432
Subtotal	57,338	63,023	69,579	76,035	82,764
Child(<13 yrs)					
Perinatal	3,577	3,635	3,680	3,716	3,748
Other <sup>b</sup>	154	149	147	147	145
Subtotal	3,731	3,784	3,827	3,864	3,893
Region of residence					
Northeast	86,237	92,280	99,590	105,787	111,277
Midwest	28,577	30,941	33,517	36,125	39,516
South	106,857	116,778	126,203	136,698	148,573
West	58,296	62,232	66,255	70,193	74,652
U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations	8,597	9,193	9,751	10,338	10,887
Total <sup>c</sup>	288,565	311,424	335,316	359,141	384,906

### Table 10. Estimated numbers of persons living with AIDS, by year and selected characteristics, 1998–2002—United States

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons living with AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of persons living with AIDS that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>c</sup> Includes persons of unknown or multiple race and of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

### Table 11. Estimated numbers of persons living with AIDS at the end of 2002, by race/ethnicity, sex, and exposure category—United States

		White, not Hispanic		Black, not Hispanic		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		American Indian/Alaska Native		Totalª	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
Male adult or adolescent													
Male-to-male sexual contact	92,528	75	46,920	42	29,073	49	2,167	72	642	57	171,592	58	
Injection drug use	13,377	11	35,691	32	18,976	32	304	10	197	17	68,636	23	
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	10,966	9	8,421	8	3,748	6	140	5	194	17	23,495	8	
Heterosexual contact	4,536	4	18,075	16	6,913	12	326	11	72	6	29,973	10	
Other <sup>b</sup>	2,077	2	1,728	2	632	1	84	3	19	2	4,553	2	
Subtotal	123,486	100	110,836	100	59,343	100	3,021	100	1,125	100	298,248	100	
Female adult or adolescent													
Injection drug use	6,911	41	17,497	36	5,479	35	91	17	133	42	30,158	36	
Heterosexual contact	9,293	55	30,254	62	9,986	63	390	73	169	54	50,174	61	
Other <sup>b</sup>	579	3	1,382	3	402	3	52	10	13	4	2,432	3	
Subtotal	16,783	100	49,133	100	15,867	100	533	100	315	100	82,764	100	
Child (<13 yrs)													
Perinatal	506	89	2,397	98	803	95	18	94	10	100	3,748	96	
Other <sup>c</sup>	59	11	46	2	38	5	1	6	0	0	145	4	
Subtotal	566	100	2,443	100	841	100	19	100	10	100	3,893	100	
Total <sup>d</sup>	140,835		162,412		76,052		3,574		1,450		384,906		

Note. These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons living with AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of persons living with AIDS that have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes 583 persons of unknown or multiple race.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

° Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>d</sup> Includes 1 person of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

Area of residence Alabama Alaska Arizona Arkansas California Colorado Connecticut Delaware District of Columbia Florida <sup>b</sup> Georgia Hawaii Idaho Illinois	Living with H	IV infection (not	AIDS)ª	Livi	ing with AIDS	
Area of residence	Adults/ Adolescents	Children <13 years old	Total	Adults/ Adolescents	Children <13 years old	Total
Alabama	5,683	31	5,714	3,641	19	3,660
Alaska	_	_	_	251	2	252
Arizona	5,157	40	5,197	4,311	5	4,316
Arkansas	2,189	14	2,202	1,822	16	1,837
California	_	_	_	52,562	154	52,716
Colorado	5,934	15	5,949	3,461	3	3,465
Connecticut	_	_	_	6,539	40	6,579
Delaware	_	_	_	1,519	12	1,531
District of Columbia	_	_	_	8,164	70	8,234
Florida <sup>b</sup>	28,945	244	29,189	40,607	408	41,015
		_		12,619	64	12,683
•	_	_	_	1,241	5	1,247
	371	1	372	262	0	262
	_			13,629	89	13,718
ndiana	3,714	29	3,743	3,410	19	3,429
owa	459	3	462	683	3	686
Kansas	+33	_	402	1,111	2	1,113
Kentucky				2,137	12	2,150
Louisiana	7,804	102	7,906	6,856	46	6,902
Maine	7,004	102	7,900	488	40	492
	—	—	—	11,696	102	492 11,798
Maryland	—	—				
Massachusetts				7,988	38	8,025
<i>A</i> ichigan	5,500	77	5,577	5,371	25	5,395
/linnesota	2,247	25	2,272	1,807	11	1,818
Aississippi	4,082	30	4,112	2,581	20	2,602
Aissouri	4,672	45	4,717	4,822	16	4,838
Montana	—	—	—	181	0	181
Nebraska	588	4	592	563	4	567
levada	3,255	19	3,274	2,496	7	2,502
New Hampshire	—	—	—	504	2	506
lew Jersey	14,405	313	14,718	15,343	142	15,485
lew Mexico	783	-0	783	1,061	5	1,066
lew York	_	—	_	63,002	410	63,412
North Carolina	11,018	94	11,112	7,099	30	7,128
North Dakota	67	1	68	46	1	47
Dhio	7,181	70	7,251	5,945	33	5,978
Oklahoma	2,524	17	2,541	1,902	6	1,908
Dregon	_	—	—	2,443	5	2,448
Pennsylvania	_	_	_	15,223	139	15,362
Rhode Island	_	_	_	1,049	9	1,058
South Carolina	6,846	68	6,914	5,832	30	5,863
South Dakota	186	2	188	98	1	99
Tennessee	6,407	67	6,474	5,628	11	5,639
exas		_	·	27,249	109	27,358
Jtah	718	10	728	1,083	2	1,085
/ermont		_		233	3	236
/irginia	8,739	59	8,798	7,382	61	7,443
Vashington	5,755			4,881	7	4,889
Vest Virginia	633	6	639	594	5	4,009
Visconsin	2,300	24	2,324	1,782	14	1,797
Vyoming	2,300	24	2,324 87	89	2	91
Subtotal	142,493	1,411	143,904	371,286	2,224	373,510

### Table 12. Estimated numbers of persons living with HIV infection (not AIDS) or with AIDS at the end of 2002, by state or area of residence and age category—United States

### Table 12. Estimated numbers of persons living with HIV infection (not AIDS) or with AIDS at the end of 2002, by state or area of residence and age category—United States (continued)

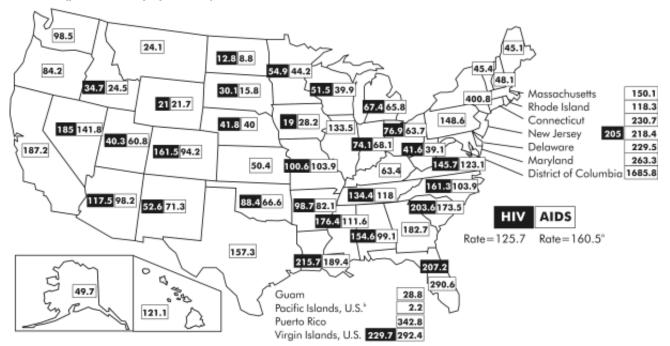
	Living with H	IV infection (no	t AIDS)ª	Living with AIDS					
Area of residence	Adults/ Adolescents	Children <13 years old	Total	Adults/ Adolescents	Children <13 years old	Total			
U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations									
Guam	_	_	_	34	1	35			
Pacific Islands, U.S.	_	_	_	5	0	5			
Puerto Rico	_	_	_	10,497	63	10,560			
Virgin Islands, U.S.	220	5	225	280	2	282			
Total⁰	142.713	1.416	144.129	382.614	2.292	384.906			

*Note.* These numbers do not represent actual cases in persons living with HIV infection (not AIDS) or with AIDS. Rather, these numbers are point estimates of persons living with HIV infection (not AIDS) or AIDS that have been adjusted for reporting delays. The estimates have not been adjusted for incomplete reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes only persons living with HIV infection that has not progressed to AIDS. Since 1998, the following 30 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

<sup>b</sup> Florida (since July 1997) has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

<sup>c</sup> Total number of persons living with HIV infection (not AIDS) includes persons reported from areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting who were residents of other states or whose area of residence is unknown. Total number of persons living with AIDS includes persons whose area of residence is unknown. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

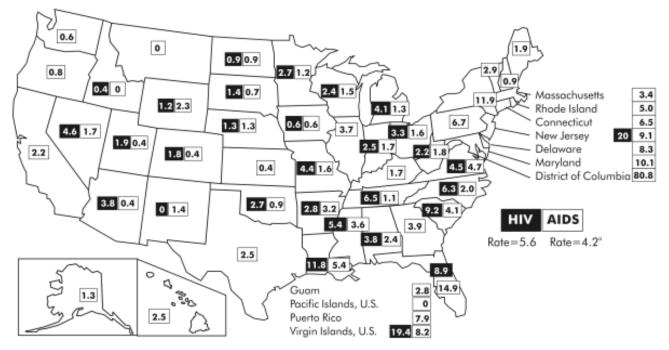


Map 1. Estimated rates for adults and adolescents living with HIV infection (not AIDS) or with AIDS (per 100,000 population), 2002—United States

Note. Rates adjusted for reporting delays. Rates of HIV infection include only persons living with HIV infection that has not progressed to AIDS. Rates are calculated for the following 30 areas with laws or regulations reguling confidential name-based HIV infection reporting since 1998: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. \*Includes persons whose area of residence is unknown.

<sup>1</sup>Includes American Samoa, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

Map 2. Estimated rates for children <13 years of age living with HIV infection (not AIDS) or with AIDS (per 100,000 population), 2002—United States



Note. Rates adjusted for reporting delays. Rates of HIV infection include only children living with HIV infection that has not progressed to AIDS. Rates are calculated for the following 30 areas with laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting since 1998: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. "Includes persons whose area of residence is unknown.

### Table 13. Estimated proportion of persons surviving for more than 12, 24, and 36 months after an AIDS diagnosis in 1998, by selected characteristics—United States

		Su	ırvival in mon	ths
	No. of persons	>12	>24	>36
	-		Proportion	
Age at diagnosis (yrs)				
<13	228	0.91	0.88	0.87
13—14	54	0.96	0.94	0.81
15—24	1,553	0.95	0.93	0.89
25—34	12,160	0.93	0.89	0.87
35—44	16,868	0.90	0.86	0.83
45—54	7,543	0.86	0.81	0.77
55—64	2,039	0.79	0.74	0.70
≥65	663	0.72	0.65	0.59
Race/ethnicity				
White, not Hispanic	12,998	0.91	0.87	0.85
Black, not Hispanic	19,669	0.89	0.84	0.80
Hispanic	7,925	0.89	0.86	0.84
Asian/Pacific Islander	330	0.90	0.89	0.88
American Indian/Alaska Native	151	0.90	0.85	0.79
Exposure category Male adult or adolescent				
Male-to-male sexual contact	14.643	0.91	0.88	0.86
	6,645	0.91	0.88	0.86
Injection drug use	2,122	0.87	0.82	0.78
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use Heterosexual contact				
Other <sup>a</sup>	2,945	0.91	0.86 0.81	0.83 0.79
	4,728	0.85		
Subtotal	31,083	0.90	0.86	0.83
Female adult or adolescent				
Injection drug use	2,945	0.89	0.82	0.78
Heterosexual contact	4,563	0.92	0.87	0.83
Other <sup>a</sup>	2,287	0.88	0.85	0.82
Subtotal	9,795	0.90	0.85	0.81
Child(<13 yrs)				
Perinatal	221	0.91	0.88	0.87
Other <sup>b</sup>	7	0.86	0.86	0.86
Subtotal	228	0.91	0.88	0.87
Total <sup>c</sup>	41,108	0.90	0.86	0.82

*Note.* Excludes persons whose date of death is before, or in the same month as, date of diagnosis. Excludes persons whose month of diagnosis or month of death is unknown.

<sup>a</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal, and risk not reported or not identified.

<sup>b</sup> Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk not reported or not identified.

 $^{\circ}$  Includes 35 persons of unknown or multiple race and 2 persons of unknown sex.

Figure 2. Estimated proportion of persons surviving, by months after AIDS diagnosis during 1994–2001 and by year of diagnosis—United States

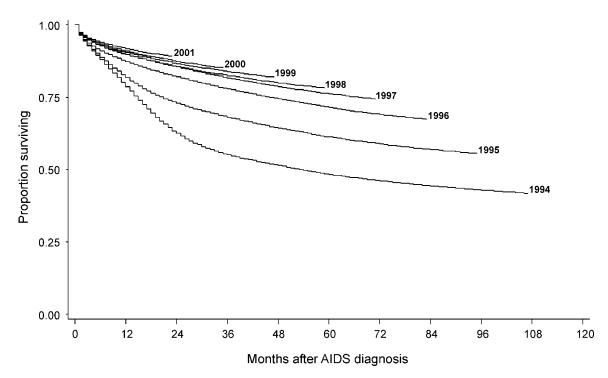
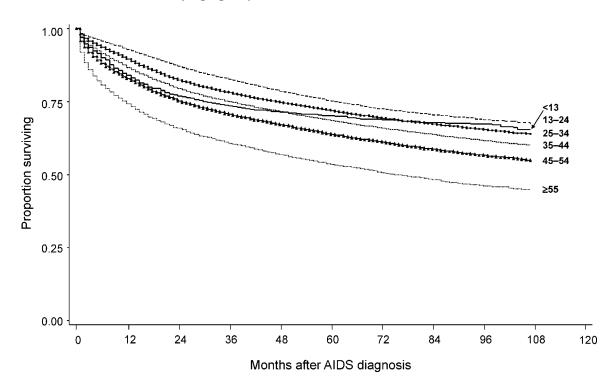


Figure 3. Estimated proportion of persons surviving, by months after AIDS diagnosis during 1994–2001 and by age group—United States



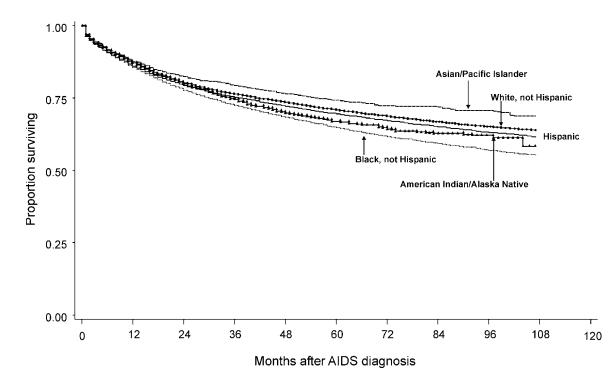


Figure 4. Estimated proportion of persons surviving, by months after AIDS diagnosis during 1994–2001 and by race/ethnicity—United States

					Cumulat	ive through	2002ª
	20	D01	2	002	Adults or	Children	
Area of residence	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	adolescents	(<13 yrs)	Total
Alabama	437	9.8	432	9.6	7,059	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	7,135
Alaska	20	3.2	33	5.1	525	5	530
Arizona	529	10.0	630	11.5	8,529	41	8,570
Arkansas	197	7.3	240	8.9	3,355	38	3,393
California	4,275	12.4	4,364	12.4	127,434	630	128,064
Colorado	287	6.5	332	7.4	7,682	31	7,713
Connecticut	581	16.9	618	17.9	12,588	177	12,765
Delaware	248	31.1	193	23.9	2,995	24	3,019
District of Columbia	863	150.4	927	162.4	14,707	175	14,882
Iorida	5,062	30.9	5,058	30.3	88,760	1,473	90,233
Georgia	1,738	20.7	1,471	17.2	25,795	213	26,008
ławaii	131	10.7	128	10.3	2,704	16	2,720
daho	19	1.4	31	2.3	544	3	547
linois	1,326	10.6	2,108	16.7	28,149	277	28,426
ndiana	376	6.1	491	8.0	6,950		7,003
owa	90	3.1	94	3.2	1,487		1,498
Kansas	101	3.7	70	2.6	2,528	12	2,540
Kentucky	333	8.2	305	7.5	3,946	30	3,976
ouisiana	850	19.0	1,167	26.0	14,494		14,624
<i>l</i> laine	48	3.7	28	2.2	1,023		1,032
laryland	1,844	34.2	1,854	34.0	25,045		25,358
lassachusetts	743	11.6	810	12.6	17,561		17,774
lichigan	547	5.5	789	7.9	12,535		12,645
linnesota	153	3.1	161	3.2	4,049		4,076
lississippi	416	14.5	433	15.1	5,236		5,293
Aissouri	430	7.6	391	6.9	9,946	60	10,006
Iontana	15	1.7	17	1.9	356		359
Vebraska	73	4.2	70	4.0	1,227		1,237
levada	252	12.0	314	14.4	4,944		4,972
New Hampshire	40	3.2	41	3.2	951		960
New Jersey	1,735	20.4	1,436	16.7	44,473		45,237
New Mexico	144	7.9	88	4.7	2,269		2,277
lew York	7,433	38.9	6,664	34.8	153,457		155,755
Jorth Carolina	916	11.2	1,061	12.8	12,264	-	12,384
North Dakota	3	0.5	3	0.5	111		112
Dhio	576	5.1	780	6.8	12,606	127	12,733
Oklahoma	243	7.0	204	5.8	4,202	27	4,229
Dregon	260	7.5	301	8.5	5,339	18	5,357
Pennsylvania	1,815	14.8	1,811	14.7	27,796		28,136
Rhode Island	102	9.6	107	10.0	2,236	25	2,261
South Carolina	714	17.6	833	20.3	10,967	88	11,055
South Dakota	25	3.3	11	1.4	199	4	203
ennessee	581	10.1	792	13.7	9,872	52	9,924
exas	2,857	13.4	3,140	14.4	59,380	392	59,772
Itah	121	5.3	94	4.1	2,168	21	2,189
/ermont	26	4.2	12	1.9	436	6	442
/irginia	939	13.0	955	13.1	14,780	179	14,959
Vashington	525	8.8	477	7.9	10,439	34	10,473
Vest Virginia	98	5.4	83	4.6	1,252	10	1,262
Visconsin	192	3.6	187	3.4	3,919	33	3,952
Vyoming	5	1.0	12	2.4	201	3	204
Subtotal	41,334	14.5	42,651	14.8	821,470	8,804	830,274

### Table 14. AIDS cases and rates (per 100,000 population), by area of residence and age category, reported through December 2002—United States

Table 14.	AIDS cases and rates (per 100,000 population), by area of residence and age category,
	reported through December 2002—United States (continued)

					Cumulat	ive through	2002ª
	20	01	20	002	Adults or	Children	
Area of residence	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	adolescents	(<13 yrs)	Total
U.S. dependencies,							
possessions, and							
associated nations							
Guam	11	7.0	3	1.9	60	0	60
Pacific Islands, U.S.	0	0.0	4	1.8	8	0	8
Puerto Rico	1,241	32.3	1,139	29.5	26,847	395	27,242
Virgin Islands, U.S.	34	27.8	58	47.0	557	18	575
Total⁵	42,736	14.8	43,950	15.0	849,780	9,220	859,000

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of AIDS, reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002.

<sup>b</sup> Includes persons whose state or area of residence is unknown. Cumulative total includes 841 persons whose state or area of residence is unknown.

		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>						
Area of residence (Date HIV reporting initiated)	2002 No.	Adults or adolescents	Children (<13 yrs)	Total				
Alabama (Jan. 1998)	522	5,820	42	5,862				
Alaska (Feb. 1999)	41	88	2	90				
Arizona (Jan. 1987)	499	5,176	49	5,225				
Arkansas (July 1989)	197	2,208	19	2,227				
Colorado (Nov. 1985)	437	6,102	32	6,134				
Connecticut (July 1992) <sup>b</sup>	3	_	107	107				
Florida (July 1997)º	6,122	27,638	275	27,913				
ldaho (June 1986)	23	407	4	411				
Indiana (July 1988)	477	3,930	44	3,974				
lowa (July 1998)	66	452	6	458				
Kansas (July 1999)	88	1,072	16	1,088				
Louisiana (Feb. 1993)	901	7,932	131	8,063				
Michigan (Apr. 1992)	584	6,006	124	6,130				
Minnesota (Oct. 1985)	250	3,110	35	3,145				
Mississippi (Aug. 1988)	383	4,565	50	4,615				
Missouri (Oct. 1987)	316	4,714	46	4,760				
Nebraska (Sept. 1995)	53	591	7	598				
Nevada (Feb. 1992)	323	3,367	25	3,392				
New Jersey (Jan. 1992)	1,208	15,391	419	15,810				
New Mexico (Jan. 1998)	72	749	3	752				
New York (June 2000)	11,459	29,178	1,785	30,963				
North Carolina (Feb. 1990)	1,118	11,432	128	11,560				
North Dakota (Jan. 1988)	13	83	1	84				
Ohio (June 1990)	876	6,961	85	7,046				
Oklahoma (June 1988)	197	2,575	27	2,602				
Pennsylvania (Oct. 2002) <sup>d</sup>	569	691	136	827				
South Carolina (Feb. 1986)	597	7,428	103	7,531				
South Dakota (Jan. 1988)	19	212	5	217				
Tennessee (Jan. 1992)	797	6,610	80	6,690				
Texas (Jan. 1999) <sup>e</sup>	5,027	14,764	350	15,114				
Utah (Apr. 1989)	60	709	12	721				
Virginia (July 1989)	999	9,198	79	9,277				
West Virginia (Jan. 1989)	66	641	8	649				
Wisconsin (Nov. 1985)	176	2,440	30	2,470				
Wyoming (June 1989)	14	90	1	91				
Subtotal U.S. dependencies, possessions,	34,552	192,330	4,266	196,596				
and associated nations	~		•					
American Samoa (Aug. 2001)	0	1	0	1				
Guam (Mar. 2000)	1	64	1	65				
Northern Mariana Islands (Oct. 2001) Virgin Islands, U.S. (Dec. 1998)	0 37	5 222	0 6	5 228				
Persons reported from states with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting, who were								
residents of other states	368	2,017	48	2,065				
Total <sup>f</sup>	35,147	195,401	4,358	199,759				

### Table 15. Cases of HIV infection (not AIDS), by persons' area of residence and age category, reported through December 2002, from areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

*Note.* Includes only persons with HIV infection in whom AIDS has not developed. Includes data from 36 states and from U.S. dependencies, possessions, and independent nations in free association with the United States.

<sup>a</sup> Include persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection, reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002.

<sup>b</sup> Connecticut has confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for pediatric cases.

° Florida (since July 1997) has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

<sup>d</sup> Pennsylvania (October 2002) implemented confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only in areas outside the city of Philadelphia.

<sup>e</sup> Texas (February 1994 through December 1998) reported only pediatric HIV infection cases.

<sup>f</sup> Includes 786 persons reported from areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting, but whose area of residence is unknown. Includes 13 children reported from Oregon prior to the change in 2001 from name-based HIV infection reporting for pediatric cases to code-based reporting for all persons with HIV infection.

### Table 16. AIDS cases, by persons' age category, exposure category, and sex, reported through December 2002—United States

		Ма	les			Fei	nales		Totals			
	200	2	Cumula through		20	02	Cumul through		20	02	Cumula through	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Adult or adolescent												
Male-to-male sexual contact	14,545	45	384,784	55	0	0	0	0	14,545	33	384,784	45
Injection drug use	5,121	16	151,367	22	2,381	21	58,552	39	7,502	17	209,920	25
Male-to-male sexual contact												
and injection drug use	1,510	5	54,224	8	0	0	0	0	1,510	3	54,224	6
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	79	0	5,067	1	11	0	304	0	90	0	5,371	1
Heterosexual contact	3,213	10	36,692	5	4,740	42	63,379	42	7,953	18	100,071	12
Sex with injection drug user	519	2	10,412	1	985	9	22,939	15	1,504	3	33,351	4
Sex with bisexual male	0	0	0	0	205	2	4,088	3	205	0	4,088	0
Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected	3	0	72	0	15	0	446	0	18	0	518	0
transfusion recipient Sex with HIV-infected person,	27	0	472	0	32	0	660	0	59	0	1,132	0
risk not specified	2,664	8	25,736	4	3,503	31	35,246	23	6,167	14	60,982	7
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood												
components, or tissue <sup>b</sup>	147	0	5,164	1	118	1	3,988	3	265	1	9,152	1
Other/risk not reported or identified <sup>c</sup>	7,898	24	60,420	9	4,029	36	25,837	17	11,927	27	86,258	10
Subtotal	32,513	100	697,718	100	11,279	100	152,060	100	43,792	100	849,780	100
Child (<13 yrs)												
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	0	0	229	5	0	0	7	0	0	0	236	3
Mother with, or at risk for, HIV infection	61	85	4,179	88	78	91	4,246	95	139	88	8,425	91
Injection drug use	5	7	1,637	35	7	8	1,622	36	12	8	3,259	35
Sex with injection drug user	4	6	771	16	5	6	735	16	9	6	1,506	16
Sex with bisexual male	3	4	95	2	5	6	100	2	8	5	195	2
Sex with person with hemophilia	1	1	19	0	0	0	15	0	1	1	34	0
Sex with HIV-infected transfusion recipient Sex with HIV-infected person,	0	0	11	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	25	0
risk not specified Receipt of blood transfusion,	21	29	679	14	26	30	718	16	47	30	1,397	15
blood components, or tissue	2	3	76	2	1	1	82	2	3	2	158	2
Has HIV infection, risk not specified	25	35	891	19	34	40	960	21	59	37	1,851	20
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood												
components, or tissue <sup>b</sup>	2	3	242	5	0	0	143	3	2	1	385	4
Other/risk not reported or identified <sup>d</sup>	9	13	80	2	8	9	94	2	17	11	174	2
Subtotal	72	100	4,730	100	86	100	4,490	100	158	100	9,220	100
Total	32,585		702,448		11,365		156,550		43,950		859,000	

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of AIDS, reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002. Cumulative total includes 2 persons of unknown sex.

<sup>b</sup> AIDS developed in 46 adults/adolescents and 3 children after they received blood that had tested negative for HIV antibodies. AIDS developed in 14 additional adults after they received tissue, organs, or artificial insemination from HIV-infected donors. Four of the 14 received tissue or organs from a donor who was negative for HIV antibody at the time of donation.

<sup>c</sup> Includes 35 adults/adolescents who were exposed to HIV-infected blood, body fluids, or concentrated virus in health care, laboratory, or household settings, as supported by seroconversion, epidemiologic, and/or laboratory evidence. One person was infected after intentional inoculation with HIV-infected blood. For an additional 288 persons who acquired HIV infection perinatally, AIDS was diagnosed after age 13. These 288 persons are tabulated under the adult/adolescent, not the pediatric, exposure category.

<sup>d</sup> Includes 5 children who were exposed to HIV-infected blood as supported by seroconversion, epidemiologic, and/or laboratory evidence: 1 child was infected after intentional inoculation with HIV-infected blood and 4 children were exposed to HIV-infected blood in a household setting. Of the 174 children, 22 had sexual contact with an adult with, or at high risk for, HIV infection.

#### Table 17. Cases of HIV infection (not AIDS), by persons' age category, exposure category, and sex, reported through December 2002, from areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

	Males				Females				Totals				
Exposure category	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
Adult or adolescent													
Male-to-male sexual contact	10,991	46	64,331	47	0	0	0	0	10,991	32	64,331	33	
Injection drug use	2,149	9	17,312	13	1,253	11	10,123	18	3,402	10	27,436	14	
Male-to-male sexual contact and													
injection drug use	738	3	7,693	6	0	0	0	0	738	2	7,693	4	
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	27	0	473	0	7	0	47	0	34	0	520	0	
Heterosexual contact	1,825	8	10,689	8	3,925	35	24,136	42	5,750	17	34,825	18	
Sex with injection drug user	268	1	1,964	1	591	5	5,289	9	859	2	7,253	4	
Sex with bisexual male	0	0	0	0	172	2	1,536	3	172	0	1,536	1	
Sex with person with hemophilia	4	0	21	0	16	0	164	0	20	0	185	0	
Sex with HIV-infected transfusion recipient	17	0	98	0	38	0	167	0	55	0	265	0	
Sex with HIV-infected person,													
risk not specified	1,536	6	8,606	6	3,108	28	16,980	30	4,644	13	25,586	13	
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood													
components, or tissue	56	0	473	0	54	0	490	1	110	0	963	0	
Other/risk not reported or identified	7,880	33	37.046	27	5,822	53	22,580	39	13.702	39	59.633	31	
Subtotal	23,666	100	138,017	100	11,061	100	57,376	100	34,727	100	195,401	100	
Child (<13 yrs)													
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	3	1	105	5	0	0	1	0	3	1	106	2	
Mother with, or at risk for, HIV infection	127	60	1.777	82	146	70	1,890	87	273	65	3,667	84	
	10		502	23	140	7	498	-	24		,	-	
Injection drug use Sex with injection drug user	10 11	5 5	502 188	23 9	14 12	6	498 185	23 8	24 23	6 5	1,000 373	23 9	
Sex with bisexual male	3	5 1	25	9 1	12	0	105	8 1	23 4	1	42	9 1	
Sex with person with hemophilia	3 0	0	25	0	0	0	7	0	4 0	0	42 9	0	
Sex with HIV-infected transfusion recipient	0	0	6	0	0	0	, 5	0	0	0	11	0	
Sex with HIV-infected person, risk not speci		17	371	17	45	21	458	21	80	19	829	19	
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood	neu 30	.,	577		40	21	400	21	00	15	023	15	
components, or tissue	0	0	15	1	1	0	16	1	1	0	31	1	
Has HIV infection, risk not specified	68	32	668	31	73	35	704	32	141	34	1.372	31	
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood	00	02	000	0,	,0		,,,,	Ű.		0,	1,072	07	
•	1	0	22	1	1	0	25	1	2	0	47	1	
components, or tissue Other/risk not reported or identified	1 79	38	22 272	1 13	1 63	0 30	25 266	1 12	2 142	0 34	47 538	1 12	
Subtotal	79 210	30 100	272	100	210	100	200 2,182	100	420	34 100	538 4,358	100	
	-	100	, -	100	-	100	,	100	-	100	,	100	
Total	23,876		140,193		11,271		59,558		35,147		199,759		

Note. Includes only persons with HIV infection that has not progressed to AIDS. See Table 15 for areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting.

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection (not AIDS), reported from the beginning of the epidemic through December 2002. Cumulative total includes 8 persons of unknown sex.

# Table 18. Reported cases of HIV/AIDS in infants born to HIV-infected mothers, by year of child's birth and selected characteristics, 1994–2002—25 states with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

	Year of birth									
-	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	
Child's race/ethnicity										
White, not Hispanic	43	29	25	15	8	13	13	8	5	
Black, not Hispanic	148	135	93	95	74	52	42	40	16	
Hispanic	20	13	9	11	5	8	10	7	4	
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Perinatal exposure category Mother with, or at risk for, HIV infection										
Injection drug use	59	50	41	38	20	11	10	4	1	
Sex with injection drug user	45	22	14	10	8	10	6	5	2	
Sex with bisexual male	5	3	1	5	2	3	3	1	2	
Sex with person with hemophilia	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	
Sex with HIV-infected person, risk not specified	61	58	43	41	28	29	26	19	6	
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood components, or tissue	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	
Has HIV infection, risk not specified	41	47	29	29	28	19	20	28	15	
Child's diagnosis statusª										
HIV infection	99	103	94	92	63	56	52	46	23	
AIDS	114	78	36	32	25	17	15	11	3	
Total <sup>ь</sup>	213	181	130	124	88	73	67	57	26	

*Note.* Since 1994, the following 25 states have had laws and regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indiana, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nevada, New Jersey, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

Data include children with a diagnosis of HIV infection. This includes children with a diagnosis of HIV infection only, a diagnosis of HIV infection and a later AIDS diagnosis, and concurrent diagnoses of HIV infection and AIDS.

<sup>a</sup> Status in the surveillance system as of June 2003.

<sup>b</sup> Includes children of unknown or multiple race.

### Surveillance of HIV Infection (not AIDS)

This report includes case reports from 39 areas that had laws or regulations requiring confidential reporting by name for adults and adolescents and/or children with confirmed HIV infection (not AIDS), in addition to the reporting of persons with AIDS. Connecticut required reporting by name for children <13 years of age. After removal of personal identifying information, these reports were submitted to CDC (see Table 15 for list of areas). The implementation of HIV reporting has differed from state to state. Before 1991, surveillance of HIV infection (not AIDS) was not standardized, and the reporting of HIV infections (not AIDS) was based primarily on passive surveillance. The information on many of the cases reported before 1991 is not complete. Since then, CDC has assisted states in conducting active surveillance of HIV infections (not AIDS) by the use of standardized report forms and software.

Data on HIV infection (not AIDS) should be interpreted with caution. HIV surveillance reports may not be representative of all persons infected with HIV because not all infected persons have been tested. Many HIV-reporting states offer anonymous HIV testing, and home-collection HIV test kits are widely available in the United States. The results of anonymous tests are not reported to the confidential name-based HIV registries of state and local health departments. Therefore, reports of confidential test results may not represent all persons who tested positive for HIV infection. Furthermore, many factors, including the extent to which testing is routinely offered to specific groups, may influence testing patterns and the availability of, and access to, medical care and testing services. These data provide a minimum estimate of the number of persons known to be HIV infected in states with confidential HIV reporting.

As of December 31, 2002, 10 areas (California, Hawaii, Illinois, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico) had implemented a code-based system to conduct case surveillance for HIV infection (not AIDS). Other areas (Delaware, Maine, Montana, Oregon, and Washington) had implemented a name-to-code system for conducting HIV infection surveillance: initially, names are collected and, after any necessary public health follow-up, names are converted to codes. Connecticut allows cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) in adults and adolescents to be reported by name or code; New Hampshire allows HIV cases to be reported with or without a name. Data on cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) from these areas are not included in the HIV data tables pending evaluations demonstrating acceptable performance under CDC guidelines and the development of methods for reporting such data to CDC.

For this report, cases in adults, adolescents, and children >18 months of age were classified by using the 2000 revised HIV surveillance case definition, which incorporates positive test results or reports of a detectable quantity of HIV nucleic acid or plasma HIV RNA [1]. For children <18 months of age, the pediatric HIV reporting criteria reflect diagnostic advances that permit the diagnosis of HIV infection during the first months of life. By the use of HIV nucleic acid detection tests, HIV infection can be detected in nearly all infants aged 1 month and older. The timing of the HIV serologic and HIV nucleic acid detection tests specified in the definitive and presumptive criteria for HIV infection is based on the recommended practices for diagnosing infection in children aged <18 months and on evaluations of the performance of these tests for children in this age group. Children aged <18 months born to an HIV-infected mother are categorized as having had perinatal exposure to HIV infection if the child does not meet the criteria for HIV infection or the criteria for "not infected with HIV" [1, 2]. Children born before 1994 were considered HIV infected if they met the HIV case definition stated in the 1987 pediatric classification system for HIV infection [3].

Because states initiated reporting on different dates, the length of time reporting has been in place influences the number of HIV infection cases reported. For example, data presented for a given annual period may include cases reported during only a part of the year. Before statewide HIV reporting, some states collected reports of HIV infection (not AIDS) in selected populations. Therefore, these states have reports that precede the initiation of statewide confidential reporting. A state with confidential HIV infection reporting also may report persons who tested positive in that state but who were residents of other states. Therefore, when HIV data are presented by state of residence, cases reported before the date a state initiated reporting may have been reported from other states with confidential HIV infection reporting.

Over time, HIV infection may progress to AIDS and be reported to surveillance. Persons with HIV infection (not AIDS) who are later reported as having AIDS are deleted from the HIV infection (not AIDS) tables and added to the AIDS tables. Persons with HIV infection may be tested at any point on the clinical spectrum of disease; therefore, the time between diagnosis of HIV infection and diagnosis of AIDS differs. In addition, because surveillance practices differ, the reporting and updating of persons' clinical and vital status differs among states. Completeness of reporting for HIV infection (not AIDS) is estimated at more than 85% [4]. By matching data in the national surveillance database, CDC estimates that approximately 2% of cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) are duplicates.

### **Surveillance of AIDS**

All 50 states, the District of Columbia, U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations report AIDS cases to CDC by using a uniform surveillance case definition and case report form. The original definition was modified in 1985 and 1987 [5, 6]. The case definition for adults and adolescents was modified again in 1993 [7; see also 8]. The revisions incorporated a broader range of AIDS-indicator diseases and conditions and used HIV diagnostic tests to improve the sensitivity and specificity of the definition. The laboratory and diagnostic criteria for the 1987 pediatric case definition [3] were updated in 1994 [9]. Effective January 1, 2000, the surveillance case definition for HIV infection was revised to reflect advances in laboratory HIV virologic tests. The definition incorporates the reporting criteria for HIV infection and AIDS into a single case definition for adults and children [1].

For persons with laboratory-confirmed HIV infection, the 1987 revision incorporated encephalopathy, wasting syndrome, and other indicator diseases that are diagnosed presumptively (i.e., without confirmatory laboratory evidence of opportunistic infection). In addition to the 23 clinical conditions in the 1987 definition, the 1993 case definition for adults and adolescents includes HIV infection among persons with CD4+ Tlymphocyte counts of less than 200 cells/µL or a CD4+ percentage of less than 14 and a diagnosis of pulmonary tuberculosis, recurrent pneumonia, or invasive cervical cancer. For adults, adolescents, and children =18 months of age, the 2000 revised HIV surveillance case definition incorporates positive test results or reports of a detectable quantity of HIV nucleic acid or plasma HIV RNA.

The pediatric case definition incorporates the revised 1994 pediatric classification system for evidence of HIV infection. Cases among children with their first positive results by Western blot or HIV detection tests before October 1994 were categorized according to the 1987 classification system. For children of any age with an AIDS-defining condition that requires evidence of HIV infection, a single positive HIV virologic test result (i.e., HIV nucleic acid [DNA or RNA], HIV viral culture, HIV p24 antigen) is sufficient for a reportable AIDS diagnosis if the diagnosis is documented by a physician.

Although completeness of reporting of AIDS cases to state and local health departments differs by geographic region and patient population, studies conducted by state and local health departments indicate that the reporting of AIDS cases in most areas of the United States is more than 85% complete [10–13]. In addition, multiple routes of exposure, opportunistic infections diagnosed after the initial AIDS case report was submitted to CDC, and vital status may not be determined or reported for all cases. However, among person reported as having AIDS, the reporting of deaths is estimated to be more than 90% complete [14]. By matching data in the national surveillance database, CDC estimates that approximately 3% of AIDS cases are duplicates.

Since January 1, 1994, CDC has not accepted AIDS case reports that meet only the laboratory-based immunologic criteria of the 1993 expanded surveillance case definition [7] if information on sex or race/ethnicity was missing. A small number of cases previously reported to CDC without those variables have been returned to the health departments for follow-up and have been deleted from the totals. Included in this report are persons known to be infected with HIV type 2 (HIV-2) [see also 15].

### **Tabulation and Presentation of Data**

Data in this report are provisional. This report includes information received by CDC through June 30, 2003. For analyses of diagnoses of HIV infection, we used data from 30 areas (i.e., 29 states and the U.S. Virgin Islands) that have had HIV infection reporting for a sufficient time (i.e., at least since 1998) to allow for stabilization of data collection and for adjustment of the data in order to monitor trends.

This report is organized in five sections. In sections 1 through 3 (i.e., Tables 1 through 12, Figure 1, and Maps 1 and 2), data have been statistically adjusted to

correct for delays in the reporting of cases and deaths; unreported risk or exposure has been statistically redistributed to better present the trends in the epidemic and the distribution of risk characteristics among affected populations. To assess trends in diagnoses, deaths, or prevalence, it is preferable to use adjusted data, presented by year of diagnosis instead of year of report. In section 5 (Tables 14 through 18), HIV and AIDS data are tabulated by date of report to CDC. Data for the U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations are included in the totals. The U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated independent nations comprise Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Republic of Palau, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the Federated States of Micronesia. The last 5 areas constitute the category Pacific Islands, U.S., as listed in this report.

### Selection of areas with mature HIV reporting systems for analysis of diagnoses of HIV/AIDS and HIV infection (not AIDS)

The inclusion of areas with mature confidential name-based HIV reporting for tabulation and presentation of HIV/AIDS and HIV infection (not AIDS) data was based on the date of the implementation of HIV reporting in the area and the ability to calculate 4 years of reporting delays in order to display trends reliably. For this report, 30 areas with laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting since 1998 were eligible for inclusion. The 30 areas are Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Mexico, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

## Selection of areas for analyses of reports of HIV infection (not AIDS)

Areas included in tabulations for reports of HIV infection (not AIDS) are based on the date of implementation of name-based HIV infection reporting before the end of 2002. For this report, data from 39 areas were used in Tables 15 and 17 to describe reports of cases of HIV infection (not AIDS).

#### Age groups

Age groups of persons living with HIV/AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), or with AIDS are based on the person's age as of December 31, 2002. All other age groups are based on the person's age at the first documented positive HIV-antibody test result for persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection (not AIDS), and age at diagnosis of AIDS for persons with a diagnosis of AIDS. The age category for adults and adolescents includes persons =13 years; the age category for children includes children <13 years of age.

#### Race and ethnicity

In the Federal Register for October 30, 1997 [16], the Office of Management and Budget announced the Standards for Maintaining, Collecting, and Presenting Federal Data on Race and Ethnicity, also known as Statistical Policy Directive 15. These standards, which superseded the 1977 standards, reflected a change in federal policy regarding the collection of race and ethnicity data; implementation by January 1, 2003 was mandated. At a minimum, the following race categories should be collected: American Indian or Alaska Native; Asian; black or African American; Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander; and white. Additionally, systems must be able to retain information when multiple racial categories are reported. Two ethnicity categories should be collected regardless of race: Hispanic and not Hispanic.

Because data for this report were compiled from reports to CDC through June 2003, race and ethnicity information may have been collected under two systems. The race and ethnicity categories in the system used through December 2002 are maintained in this report because most were under that system. Persons who reported multiple racial categories or whose race was unknown are included in the total numbers in Tables 1-5, 7-11, and 18. Also, persons reported as non-Hispanic may include persons whose ethnicity was unreported.

## Tabulation of persons living with HIV/AIDS, AIDS, and HIV infection (not AIDS)

Tabulation of persons living with HIV/AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), or with AIDS (Tables 8 through 12 and Maps 1 and 2) include persons whose vital status was reported as "alive" as of the last update to the data; persons whose vital status is missing or unknown are not included. Tabulations of deaths of persons with AIDS (Table 7) include persons whose vital status was reported as "dead" as of the last update; persons whose vital status is missing or unknown are not included. Caution should be used in interpreting these data because states differ in how often they review the vital status of persons reported with HIV/AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), or with AIDS. In addition, some cases may be lost to follow-up.

#### Geographic designations

Regions of residence included in the report are defined as follows. Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont; Midwest: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin; South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia; West: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming; Guam, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Pacific Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

#### Survival analyses

For the survival analyses presented in Table 13 and Figures 2 through 4, we used survival or failure time analysis methods for AIDS case data reported through June 30, 2003. Table 13 was limited to AIDS cases diagnosed in 1998, and Figures 2 through 4 were limited to cases diagnosed during 1994–2001. Table 13 and the figures were limited to deaths through December 2002; this was done to allow at least 6 months for a death to be reported by June 30, 2003 and at least 1 month after AIDS diagnosis. Statistical significance of differences in survival among demographic groups was assessed in pairwise comparisons by the log rank test at p < 0.005.

### **Exposure Categories**

For surveillance purposes, cases of HIV/AIDS, HIV infection (not AIDS), and AIDS are counted only once in a hierarchy of exposure categories. Persons with more than one reported mode of exposure to HIV are classified in the exposure category listed first in the hierarchy. The exception is men who report sexual contact with other men and injection drug use; this group makes up a separate exposure category.

Persons whose exposure category is classified as male-to-male sexual contact include men who report sexual contact with other men (i.e., homosexual contact) and men who report sexual contact with both men and women (i.e., bisexual contact). Persons whose exposure category is classified as heterosexual contact are persons who report specific heterosexual contact with a person with, or at increased risk for, HIV infection (e.g., an injection drug user).

Adults and adolescents born in, or who had sex with someone born in, a country where heterosexual transmission was believed to be the predominant mode of HIV transmission (formerly classified as Pattern II countries by the World Health Organization) are no longer classified as having heterosexually acquired AIDS unless they meet the criteria stated in the preceding paragraph. Similar to other cases among persons who were reported without behavioral or transfusion risks for HIV infection, these cases are now classified (in the absence of other risk information that would classify them in another exposure category) as "no risk reported or identified" [17]. Cases in children whose mother was born in, or whose mother had sex with someone born in, Pattern II countries are now classified (in the absence of other risk information that would classify them in another exposure category) as "Mother with, or at risk for, HIV infection: has HIV infection, risk not specified."

Cases in persons with no reported exposure to HIV through any of the routes listed in the hierarchy of exposure categories are classified as "no risk reported or identified." No identified risk (NIR) cases include cases that are being followed up by local health department officials; cases in persons whose exposure history is incomplete because they died, declined to be interviewed, or were lost to follow-up; and cases in persons who were interviewed or for whom other follow-up information was available and no mode of exposure was identified.

As of September 2000, the procedures for investigating cases reported without risk changed from ascertaining risk for all reported cases to estimating risk distributions from statistical models and population-based samples. States continue to investigate any report of an unusual exposure to HIV and report these cases to CDC. CDC will continue to tabulate the number of documented unusual exposures to HIV reported by the states.

Because recently reported HIV or AIDS cases are more likely to be reported as NIR, recent AIDS inci-

dence in some exposure categories will be underestimated unless an adjustment is made. For tables and figures showing the estimated diagnoses of HIV infection (not AIDS) and AIDS, the adjustment of NIR cases among adults and adolescents is based on the redistributions of exposure category, by specific sex, race, and region, of cases that were diagnosed during 1992–1999 and initially assigned to the NIR category but that were later reclassified. Similar adjustment of NIR cases among children are based on exposure-category redistribution of all cases diagnosed during that period and later reclassified [18, 19].

### **Trends in AIDS Incidence**

Because of the temporary distortion caused by the 1993 expansion of the case definition, trends in AIDS incidence had previously been estimated by statistically adjusting cases reported according to the criteria added to the case definition in 1993. This adjustment estimated when an AIDS-related opportunistic infection (AIDS-OI) would develop in persons reported on the basis of immunologic criteria (CD4+ T-lymphocytes counts of less than 200 cells/µL or percentage of less than 14) and thus approximated trends in AIDS-OI incidence as if the case definition had not changed [20]. However, by the end of 1996, the temporary distortion caused by reporting prevalent as well as incident cases that met the criteria added in 1993 had almost entirely waned. In addition, after the end of 1996, the incidence of AIDS-OIs could no longer be reliably estimated because data are not available to model the increasing effects of therapy on rate of disease progression. Therefore, from 1996 forward, trends in AIDS incidence are adjusted for reporting delay, but not for the 1993 expansion of the case definition. These trends represent the incidence of AIDS (1993 criteria) in the population and increasingly represent persons with newly diagnosed HIV infection at the time of AIDS diagnosis, those with HIV infection who did not seek or receive treatment, and those for whom treatment has failed. Thus, despite the effects of treatment on AIDS incidence, AIDS incidence remains an important measure of the effect of the epidemic and of the need for resources for the severely ill.

### **Reporting Delays**

Reporting delays (time between diagnosis of HIV infection or AIDS and report to CDC) may differ among exposure, geographic, racial/ethnic, age, sex, and vital

status categories; for some AIDS cases, delays have been as long as several years. About 52% of AIDS cases were reported to CDC within 3 months of diagnosis and about 88% were reported within 1 year. Approximately 88% of deaths of persons with AIDS are reported within 1 year. For cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) diagnosed since the implementation of uniform reporting through the HIV/AIDS Reporting System on January 1, 1994, about 66% of all cases were reported to CDC within 3 months of diagnosis, and about 93% were reported within 1 year.

Adjustments of the estimated data on HIV infection (not AIDS) and on AIDS to account for reporting delays are calculated by a maximum likelihood statistical procedure, taking into account differences in reporting delays among exposure, geographic, racial/ethnic, age, sex, and vital status categories, and assuming that reporting delays in these groups have not changed over time [21, 22]

### Rates

Rates per 100,000 population were calculated for the numbers of diagnoses of AIDS in 2002, as well as for persons living with HIV infection (not AIDS) at the end of 2002. Population denominators used to compute these rates for the 50 states and the District of Columbia were based on official postcensus estimates for 2002 from the U.S. Census Bureau [23] and bridged-race estimates for 2000 obtained from the National Center for Health Statistics [24]. The bridged estimates are based on the Census 2000 counts and produced under a collaborative agreement with the U.S Census Bureau. These estimates result from bridging the 31 race categories used in Census 2000, as specified in the 1997 Office of Management and Budget standards [16] for the classification of data on race and ethnicity, to the four race categories specified in the 1977 standards. Population denominators for U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations were based on official postcensus estimates and Census 2000 counts from the U.S. Census Bureau's International Database. Each rate is calculated by dividing the number of cases diagnosed during the 12 months in 2002 (or the number of persons living with HIV infection or with AIDS at the end of 2002) by the 2002 population, multiplied by 100,000. The denominators used for computing age-, sex-, and race-specific rates are computed by applying the age, sex, and race proportions from the bridged-race population estimates for 2000 to the 2002 postcensus estimates of the total population for each state. When bridged-race population denominators for the U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations were not available, proportions from the U.S. Census Bureau's International Database for 2000 were used to estimate the age-, and sex-specific subpopulations [25].

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### Web addresses for state or local HIV and AIDS Surveillance Reports

State or Area	URL for state or local HIV and AIDS surveillance report
Alabama	http://www.adph.org/aids
Alaska	http://www.akepi.org/hivstd/hiv.stm
Arizona	http://www.hs.state.az.us/phs/hiv/hiv_epi.htm
Arkansas	www.healthyarkansas.com/data/data.html
California	http://www.dhs.ca.gov/AIDS/
Chicago	www.cityofchicago.org\health
Colorado	http://www.cdphe.state.co.us/dc/HIVSTDPROGS.ASP
Connecticut	http://www.dph.state.ct.us/BCH/infectiousdise/2003/final%20pages/aids_surv_home_Z.htm
Delaware	http://www.delaware-epi.org/numbers.htm
District Of Columbia	http://dchealth.dc.gov/information/reports/index.shtm
Florida	http://www9.myflorida.com/disease_ctrl/AIDS/index.html
Georgia	http://www.ph.dhr.state.ga.us/epi/aidsunit.shtml
Hawaii	http://www.state.hi.us/doh/resource/comm_dis/std_aids/aids_rep/index.html
Houston	http://www.ci.houston.tx.us/departme/health/STD/Epi%20Profile%20HIV.pdf
Idaho	http://www2.state.id.us/dhw/std-aids/facts_and_figures.htm
Illinois	http://www.idph.state.il.us/health/statshome.htm
Indiana	http://www.in.gov/isdh/programs/hivstd/quarterly/quarterly.htm
lowa	http://www.idph.state.ia.us/ch/hiv_aids_programs.asp#surveillance
Kansas	http://www.kdhe.state.ks.us/hiv-std/surveillance.html
Kentucky	http://chs.ky.gov/publichealth/hiv-aids-Statistical_Reports.htm
Los Angeles	http://www.lapublichealth.org/phcommon/public/reports/
C C	rptspubdisplay.cfm?unit=hiv&ou=ph&prog=hae
Louisiana	http://www.oph.dhh.state.la.us/HIVAIDS/surveillance/index.html
Maine	www.state.me.us/dhs/boh/ddc/HIV_STD.htm
Maryland	http://dhmh.state.md.us/AIDS/epictr.htm
Massachusetts	http://www.state.ma.us/dph/cdc/aids/aidsprog.htm
Michigan	http://www.michigan.gov/mdch/1,1607,7-132-2944_5320_5331,00.html
Minnesota	http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/dpc/aids-std/stat/hivsurvrpts.htm
Mississippi	http://www.msdh.state.ms.us/msdhsite/index.cfm/14,1185,150,html#Mississippi
Missouri	http://www.dhss.state.mo.us/HIV_STD/HIVstatsheet.html
Montana	www.dphhs.state.mt.us/hpsd/pubheal/disease/commdis/stats.htm
Nebraska	http://www.hhs.state.ne.us/dpc/HIV.htm
Nevada	http://health2k.state.nv.us/hiv/survey/special.htm
New Hampshire	http://www.dhhs.state.nh.us/DHHS/BCDCS/default.htm
New Jersey	www.state.nj.us/health/aids/aidsqtr.htm
New Mexico	www.aidsinfonet.org/epi/epihome.html
New York	http://www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/research/aids/homeaids.htm
New York City	http://www.nyc.gov/html/doh/html/pub/pub.html#hiv_epi
North Carolina	http://www.epi.state.nc.us/epi/hiv/surveillance.html
North Dakota	http://www.ndhiv.com/
Ohio	http://www.odh.state.oh.us/Data/Inf_Dis/hivcov.htm
Oklahoma	www.health.state.ok.us/program/hivstd/epi/stats.htm
Oregon	http://www.dhs.state.or.us/publichealth/hiv/index.cfm
Pennsylvania	www.health.state.pa.us/hiv-epi/
Philadelphia	www.phila.gov/health/units/aaco/aidsphila.html
Rhode Island	http://www.health.ri.gov/topics/aids.htm
Samoa	http://www.asg-gov.com/departments/doh.asg.htm
San Francisco	www.dph.sf.ca.us/php/aidssurvunit.htm
South Carolina	http://www.scdhec.net/HS/diseasecont/stdwk/html/surveillance.htm
South Dakota	http://www.state.sd.us/doh/Disease/stats.htm
Tennessee	http://www.coetenn.com/IndexTNHIVdata.htm
Texas	www.tdh.state.tx.us/hivstd/stats/default.htm
Utah	www.health.utah.gov/els/hivaids/survsero.html
Vermont	http://www.healthyvermonters.info/hs/epi/cdepi/AIDS/aidshome.shtml
Virginia	http://www.vdh.state.va.us/std/datahome2.asp
Washington	www.doh.wa.gov/cfh/hiv_aids/prev_edu/statistics.htm
West Virginia	http://www.wvdhhr.org/bph/oehp/sdc/aids.htm
Wisconsin	http://www.dhfs.state.wi.us/aids-hiv/Resources/Overviews/SURV_EPI.htm
Wyoming	http://wdhfs.state.wy.us/hiv

Note. Web sites were not available for the following areas: American Samoa, Federation of Micronesia, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, U.S.



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# ADDENDUM

**Table A1.** AIDS cases for male adults and adolescents, byexposure category and race/ethnicity, reported throughDecember 2002—United States

**Table A2.** Cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) for male adults and adolescents, by exposure category and race/ethnicity, reported through December 2002—39 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

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### Commentary

This report provides additional information about the epidemiology of HIV/AIDS at the national level to complement the information contained in the 2002 HIV/AIDS Surveillance Report. This report presents the number of AIDS and HIV infection (not AIDS) cases reported in 2002 and cumulatively through 2002. The accompanying tables also present cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) and AIDS, by sex, for adults and adolescents cross-tabulated by race/ ethnicity, and exposure category. These tables are updates of previous tables published in the 2001 HIV/AIDS Surveillance Report.

HIV infection (not AIDS) data presented in this report are from 39 areas (includes 35 states and four U.S. dependencies/possessions/associated nations) which have implemented confidential name-based HIV infection reporting using the same systems for data collection as for AIDS case reporting. When areas begin to implement HIV reporting, it takes about four to five years to collect and verify data on the large number of cases of HIV that have not been previously reported. Data on trends cannot be included from these areas until this process is completed. Therefore, other tables displaying trend data are from only 30 areas that have implemented HIV infection (not AIDS) reporting for more than four years. Tables displaying reported data should be interpreted with caution as 20%-50% of the cases are initially reported without risk information. This is due to the limited exposure information that is available in the medical records and an increasing number of cases that need to be investigated [1].

Areas included in tabulations of reported cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) are based on the date of implementation of name-based HIV infection reporting. Tables 2 and 4 are based on reports of cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) through 2002 from the 39 areas that had implemented confidential name-based HIV infection reporting. Readers should note that not all cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) or AIDS reported in 2002 reflected new diagnoses; rather, the reported cases include cases diagnosed during earlier years. Therefore trends in case counts from areas that have recently implemented HIV reporting should not be interpreted as reflecting trends in diagnoses or new infections. HIV surveillance reports may not be representative of all persons infected with HIV because not all infected persons have been tested.

The racial/ethnic distribution of reported cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) reflects the racial/ethnic distribution of the 39 areas for which we have reliable data and should not be assumed to be representative of all persons with HIV infection (not AIDS) in the United States.

### Table A1. AIDS cases for male adults and adolescents, by exposure category and race/ethnicity, reported through December 2002—United States

	w	not Hispan	В	Black, not Hispanic					Hispanic				
	2002			Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		ative 2002ª	2002		Cumulative through 2002		
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
Male-to-male sexual contact	7,143	64	237,610	74	4,536	32	88,130	37	2,567	40	53,547	42	
Injection drug use	1,078	10	30,247	9	2,668	19	77,577	32	1,327	21	42,819	34	
Male-to-male sexual contact and		_		_				_				_	
injection drug use	731	7	27,264	8	518	4	17,824	7	226	4	8,519	7	
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	59	1	3,926	1	13	0	590	0	3	0	441	0	
Heterosexual contact:	436	4	6,521	2	2,039	14	21,706	9	684	11	8,087	6	
Sex with injection drug user	92	1	2,153	1	306	2	6,117	3	113	2	2,054	2	
Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	1	0	34	0	2	0	26	0	0	0	11	0	
recipient Sex with HIV-infected person,	4	0	171	0	15	0	189	0	8	0	100	0	
risk not specified	339	3	4,163	1	1,716	12	15,374	6	563	9	5,922	5	
Receipt of blood transfusion,													
blood components, or tissue	44	0	3,232	1	72	1	1,177	0	27	0	622	0	
Other/risk not reported or identified	1,733	15	14,215	4	4,488	31	32,884	14	1,545	24	12,315	10	
Total	11,224	100	323,015	100	14,334	100	239,888	100	6,379	100	126,350	100	

	As	ific Islan	der	America	ian/Alaska	Totals						
	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>s</sup>	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Male-to-male sexual contact	212	55	3,998	70	73	47	1,207	55	14,545	45	384,784	55
njection drug use	17	4	279	5	29	19	356	16	5,121	16	151,367	22
Ale-to-male sexual contact and												
injection drug use	10	3	218	4	23	15	383	17	1,510	5	54,224	8
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	3	1	74	1	1	1	31	1	79	0	5,067	1
Heterosexual contact:	38	10	278	5	13	8	84	4	3,213	10	36,692	5
Sex with injection drug user	3	1	58	1	5	3	24	1	519	2	10,412	1
Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	72	0
recipient Sex with HIV-infected person,	0	0	9	0	0	0	2	0	27	0	472	0
risk not specified	35	9	210	4	8	5	58	3	2,664	8	25,736	4
Receipt of blood transfusion,												
blood components, or tissue	4	1	117	2	0	0	8	0	147	0	5,164	1
Other/risk not reported or identified	102	26	751	13	16	10	134	6	7,898	24	60,420	9
Total	386	100	5,715	100	155	100	2,203	100	32,513	100	697,718	100

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of AIDS, reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002. Cumulative total includes 547 males of unknown or multiple race.

## Table A2. Cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) for male adults and adolescents, by exposure category and race/ethnicity, reported through December 2002—39 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

	W	ot Hispan	B	ot Hispan	Hispanic							
	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Male-to-male sexual contact Injection drug use	5,986 506	66 6	36,920 4,543	64 8	2,930 1,039	30 11	19,135 9,753	32 16	1,917 589	42 13	7,171 2,838	41 16
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	393	4	4,216	7	231	2	2,690	4	105	2	648	4
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder Heterosexual contact	17 282	0 3	349 1,781	1 3	6 1,185	0 12	99 7,490	0 12	4 336	0 7	19 1,298	0 7
Sex with injection drug user Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	67 2	1 0	438 5	1 0	159 0	2 0	1,285 13	2 0	39 2	1 0	215 3	1 0
recipient Sex with HIV-infected person, risk not specified	3 210	0 2	24 1,314	0 2	11 1.015	0 10	64 6.128	0 10	3 292	0 6	8 1.072	0 6
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood components, or tissue	19	0	215	0	21	0	206	0	16	0	42	0
Dther/risk not reported or identified	1,888 <b>9,091</b>	21 <b>100</b>	9,411 <b>57,435</b>	16 <b>100</b>	4,322 <b>9,734</b>	44 100	20,872 60,245	35 100	1,580 <b>4,547</b>	35 100	5,460 <b>17,476</b>	31 <b>100</b>

	As	ian/Pac	ific Islan	der	America	ian/Alaska	9	Totals				
	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>s</sup>	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Male-to-male sexual contact	106	52	416	52	52	58	411	55	10,991	46	64,331	47
njection drug use	8	4	37	5	7	8	88	12	2,149	9	17,312	13
Vale-to-male sexual contact and												
injection drug use	2	1	15	2	7	8	99	13	738	3	7,693	6
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	27	0	473	0
leterosexual contact:	17	8	52	7	5	6	43	6	1,825	8	10,689	8
Sex with injection drug user	2	1	8	1	1	1	15	2	268	1	1,964	1
Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	21	0
recipient Sex with HIV-infected person,	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	98	0
risk not specified	15	7	42	5	4	4	28	4	1,536	6	8,606	6
Receipt of blood transfusion,												
blood components, or tissue	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	56	0	473	0
Other/risk not reported or identified	72	35	271	34	18	20	107	14	7,880	33	37,046	27
lotal	205	100	796	100	89	100	751	100	23,666	100	138,017	100

Note. Includes only persons with HIV infection that has not progressed to AIDS.

Since 2002, the following 39 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Connecticut has confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for pediatric cases.

Florida (since July 1997) has had confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only for new diagnoses.

Pennsylvania (October 2002) implemented confidential name-based HIV infection reporting only in areas outside the city of Philadelphia.

Texas (February 1994 through December 1998) reported only pediatric HIV infection cases.

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection (not AIDS), reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002. Cumulative total includes 1314 males of unknown or multiple race.

### Table A3. AIDS cases for female adults and adolescents, by exposure category and race/ethnicity, reported through December 2002—United States

	W	ot Hispan	В	ot Hispan	Hispanic							
Exposure category	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>ª</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>s</sup>	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Injection drug use	583	30	13,035	41	1,394	19	34,041	38	386	21	11,104	38
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	2	0	114	0	8	0	122	0	1	0	56	0
Heterosexual contact:	787	41	12,995	41	3,063	42	35,748	40	837	45	14,001	48
Sex with injection drug user	225	12	5,063	16	555	8	11,861	13	193	10	5,827	20
Sex with bisexual male	49	3	1,642	5	124	2	1,724	2	30	2	617	2
Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	10	1	302	1	4	0	95	0	1	0	43	0
recipient Sex with HIV-infected person.	12	1	330	1	16	0	198	0	4	0	107	0
risk not specified	491	25	5,658	18	2,364	32	21,870	25	609	33	7,407	25
Receipt of blood transfusion,												
blood components, or tissue	17	1	1,857	6	76	1	1,434	2	19	1	577	2
Other/risk not reported or identified	542	28	4,011	13	2,812	38	17,896	20	629	34	3,634	12
Total	1,931	100	32,012	100	7,353	100	89,241	100	1,872	100	29,372	100

	As	ian/Pac	ific Islan	der	America	ian/Alaska	Totals					
	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Injection drug use Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	4 0	6 0	121 7	14 1	13 0	31 0	221 3	43 1	2,381 11	21 0	58,552 304	39 0
Heterosexual contact:	29	42	410	49	20	48	199	39	4,740	42	63,379	42
Sex with injection drug user Sex with bisexual male Sex with person with hemophilia	2 2 0	3 3 0	93 77	11 9 0	9 0 0	21 0 0	89 26 2	17 5 0	985 205 15	9 2 0	22,939 4,088	15 3
Sex with HIV-infected transfusion recipient Sex with HIV-infected person,	0	0	4 21	2	0	0	2	1	32	0	446 660	0 0
risk not specified	25	36	215	26	11	26	79	16	3,503	31	35,246	23
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood components, or tissue Other/risk not reported or identified	3 33	4 48	103 200	12 24	2 7	5 17	15 71	3 14	118 4,029	1 36	3,988 25,837	3 17
Total	69	100	841	100	42	100	509	100	11,279	100	152,060	100

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of AIDS, reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002. Cumulative total includes 85 females of unknown or multiple race.

## Table A4. Cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) for female adults and adolescents, by exposure category and race/ethnicity, reported through December 2002—39 areas with confidential name-based HIV infection reporting

	W	/hite, n	ot Hispan	nic	В	ot Hispan	Hispanic					
	2002			Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		ative 1 2002ª	2002		Cumulative through 2002	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Injection drug use	345	18	3,160	26	609	9	5,701	15	281	15	1,132	17
Hemophilia/coagulation disorder	0	0	15	0	5	0	26	0	2	0	5	0
Heterosexual contact:	729	38	5,286	43	2,443	34	15,711	42	707	37	2,845	43
Sex with injection drug user	150	8	1,539	13	326	5	3,024	8	112	6	662	10
Sex with bisexual male	46	2	488	4	99	1	929	2	23	1	101	2
Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	5	0	101	1	9	0	53	0	2	0	7	0
recipient Sex with HIV-infected person.	6	0	45	0	17	0	86	0	14	1	33	0
risk not specified	522	27	3,113	26	1,992	28	11,619	31	556	29	2,042	31
Receipt of blood transfusion,												
blood components, or tissue	5	0	142	1	37	1	297	1	12	1	43	1
Other/risk not reported or identified	826	43	3,586	29	4,040	57	15,884	42	895	47	2,628	40
Total	1,905	100	12,189	100	7,134	100	37,619	100	1,897	100	6,653	100

	As	ian/Pac	ific Islan	der	America	ian/Alaska	Totals					
	2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002 <sup>a</sup>		2002		Cumulative through 2002	
Exposure category	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Injection drug use Hemophilia/coagulation disorder Heterosexual contact:	1 0 25	1 0 34	13 0 115	5 0 44	17 0 21	33 0 40	96 1 122	33 0 42	1,253 7 3,925	11 0 35	10,123 47 24,136	18 0 42
Sex with injection drug user Sex with bisexual male Sex with person with hemophilia Sex with HIV-infected transfusion	0 1 0	0 1 0	10 5 0	4 2 0	3 3 0	6 6 0	46 8 2	16 3 1	591 172 16	5 2 0	5,289 1,536 164	9 3 0
Sex with HIV-infected transitision recipient Sex with HIV-infected person, risk not specified	1 23	1 32	2 98	1 37	0 15	0 29	1 65	0 22	38 3,108	0 28	167 16,980	0 30
Receipt of blood transfusion, blood components, or tissue Other/risk not reported or identified	0 47	0 64	6 130	2 49	0 14	0 27	0 72	0 25	54 5,822	0 53	490 22,580	1 39
Total	73	100	264	100	52	100	291	100	11,061	100	57,376	100

Note. Includes only persons with HIV infection that has not progressed to AIDS.

Since 2002, the following 39 areas have had laws or regulations requiring confidential name-based HIV infection reporting: Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

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Texas (February 1994 through December 1998) reported only pediatric HIV infection cases.

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with a diagnosis of HIV infection (not AIDS), reported from the beginning of the epidemic through 2002. Cumulative total includes 360 females of unknown or multiple race.

### Surveillance of AIDS

All 50 states, the District of Columbia, U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations report AIDS cases to CDC using a uniform surveillance case definition and case report form. Cases in this report were reported according to the 2000 surveillance case definition [2].

### Surveillance of HIV Infection (not AIDS)

This report includes case reports from 39 areas that had laws or regulations requiring confidential reporting by name for adults and adolescents with confirmed HIV infection (not AIDS), in addition to the reporting of persons with AIDS. Over time, HIV infection may progress to AIDS and be reported to surveillance. Persons with HIV infection (not AIDS) who are later reported as having AIDS are deleted from the HIV infection (not AIDS) tables and added to the AIDS tables.

### **Tabulation and Presentation of Data**

Data in this report are provisional. This report includes information received by CDC through June 30, 2003. Data for the U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated nations are included in the totals. The U.S. dependencies, possessions, and associated independent nations comprise Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Republic of Palau, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the Federated States of Micronesia.

#### Race and ethnicity

In the *Federal Register* for October 30, 1997 [3], the Office of Management and Budget announced the Standards for Maintaining, Collecting, and Presenting Federal Data on Race and Ethnicity, also known as Statistical Policy Directive 15. At a minimum, the following race categories should be collected: American Indian or Alaska Native; Asian; black or African American; Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander; and white. Additionally, systems must be able to retain information when multiple racial categories are reported. Two ethnicity categories should be collected regardless of race: Hispanic and not Hispanic.

Because data for this report were compiled from reports to CDC through June 2003, race and ethnicity information may have been collected under two systems. The race and ethnicity categories in the system used through December 2002 are maintained in this report because most were under that system. Persons who reported multiple racial categories or whose race was unknown are included in the cumulative totals (Tables 1-4). Also, persons reported as non-Hispanic may include persons whose ethnicity was unreported.

### **Exposure Categories**

For surveillance purposes, cases of HIV infection (not AIDS) and AIDS are counted only once in a hierarchy of exposure categories. Persons with more than one reported mode of exposure to HIV are classified in the exposure category listed first in the hierarchy. The exception is men who report sexual contact with other men and injection drug use; this group makes up a separate exposure category.

Persons whose exposure category is classified as maleto-male sexual contact include men who report sexual contact with other men (i.e., homosexual contact) and men who report sexual contact with both men and women (i.e., bisexual contact). Persons whose exposure category is classified as heterosexual contact are persons who report specific heterosexual contact with a person with, or at increased risk for, HIV infection (e.g., an injection drug user).

Adults and adolescents born in, or who had sex with someone born in, a country where heterosexual transmission was believed to be the predominant mode of HIV transmission (formerly classified as Pattern II countries by the World Health Organization) are no longer classified as having heterosexually acquired AIDS unless they meet the criteria stated in the preceding paragraph. Similar to other cases among persons who were reported without behavioral or transfusion risks for HIV infection, these cases are now classified (in the absence of other risk information that would classify them in another exposure category) as "no risk reported or identified" [4].

Cases in persons with no reported exposure to HIV through any of the routes listed in the hierarchy of exposure categories are classified as "no risk reported or identified." No identified risk (NIR) cases include cases that are being followed up by local health department officials; cases in persons whose exposure history is incomplete because they died, declined to be interviewed, or were lost to follow-up; and cases in persons who were interviewed or for whom other follow-up information was available and no mode of exposure was identified.

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