

STI/HIV/Hepatitis B & C Update

2023



Region 6 Data Tables



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Reported Cases of HIV Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

	2023 New Diagnoses ^a			2023 Prevalence ^b		
	Cases ^c	%	Rate ^d	Cases ^c	%	Rate ^d
Total	49	100.0%	16.9	1,082	100.0%	373.4
Race/Ethnicity^e						
Black	24	49.0%	31.4	638	59.0%	833.9
Hispanic/Latinx	3	6.1%	n/a	120	11.1%	915.3
White	22	44.9%	11.7	305	28.2%	162.1
Other	0	0.0%	n/a	19	1.8%	n/a
Gender^f						
Female	9	18.4%	6.3	270	25.0%	189.2
Male	39	79.6%	26.5	796	73.6%	541.1
Transgender Male to Female	1	2.0%	n/a	16	1.5%	n/a
Transgender Female to Male	0	0.0%	n/a	0	0.0%	n/a
Age^g						
0-14	0	0.0%	0	3	0.3%	n/a
15-19	1	2.0%	n/a	1	0.1%	n/a
20-29	15	30.6%	37.5	99	9.1%	247.4
30-39	16	32.7%	40.9	237	21.9%	605.1
40-49	8	16.3%	23.4	271	25.0%	791.2
50+	9	18.4%	8.9	471	43.5%	466.9
Risk^h						
GBM	29	59.2%	n/a	527	49.0%	n/a
PWID	8	16.3%	n/a	106	9.9%	n/a
GBM/PWID	2	4.1%	n/a	66	6.1%	n/a
High Risk Heterosexual	8	16.3%	n/a	365	34.0%	n/a
Perinatal	0	0.0%	n/a	8	0.7%	n/a
Transfusion/Hemophilia	0	0.0%	n/a	3	0.3%	n/a
Other	0	0.0%	n/a	0	0.0%	n/a
Parishⁱ						
Avoyelles	5	10.2%	12.9	158	14.6%	407.7
Catahoula	1	2.0%	n/a	38	3.5%	443.6
Concordia	3	6.1%	n/a	56	5.2%	309.1
Grant	5	10.2%	22.7	50	4.6%	227.3
LaSalle	3	6.1%	n/a	75	6.9%	509.2
Rapides	21	42.9%	16.5	580	53.6%	456
Vernon	8	16.3%	16.9	76	7.0%	160.9
Winn	3	6.1%	n/a	49	4.5%	371.1

^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial HIV diagnosis was made in Louisiana.

^b Prevalent cases include all cases presumed to be alive and living in Louisiana, regardless of the state of initial HIV report.

^c Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses and prevalence includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.

^d Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for other/unknown race groups, transgender groups, and risk exposure groups.

^e Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.

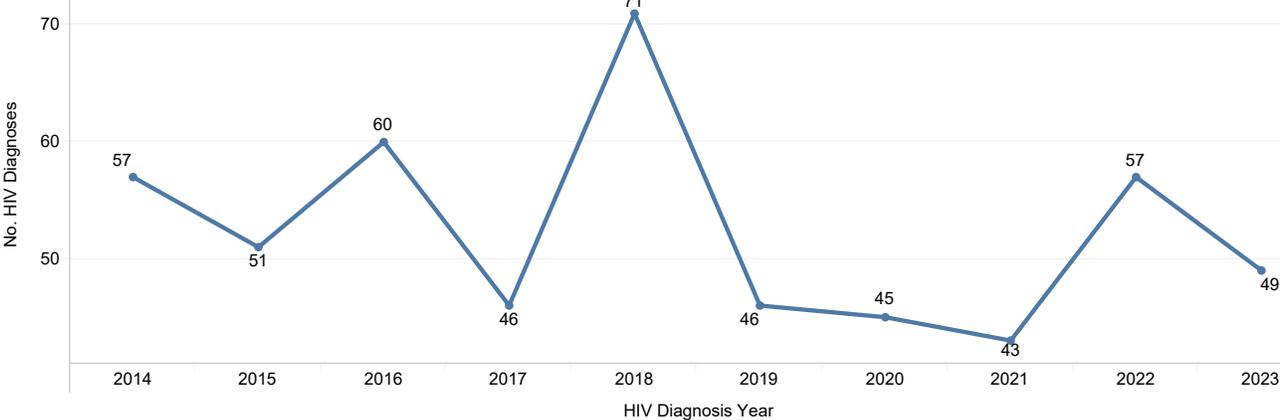
^f Cases are presented by current gender identity rather than sex at birth.

^g Age when first diagnosed with HIV is used for new HIV diagnoses. Current age is used for HIV prevalence. Age categories align with 2022 census age groups.

^h Risk shows imputed risk, not reported risk. Persons with no imputed risk are not included in the total percentage. GBM = Gay, bisexual, & other men who have sex with men; PWID = Persons who inject drugs.

ⁱ Parish where first diagnosed with HIV is used for new HIV diagnoses. Parish of current residence is used for HIV prevalence. Persons without a parish of residence are not included in the total percentage.

10-Year New HIV Diagnosis Trend - Region 6 Alexandria



Reported Cases of Primary and Secondary Syphilis Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	116	100.0%	40.03

Race/Ethnicity^d

Black	59	50.9%	77.12
Hispanic/Latinx	2	1.7%	n/a
White	50	43.1%	26.57
Other	5	4.3%	n/a

Affected Subpopulations Female^h

	Cases ^b	%
Black Female 20-29	14	12.1%
White Female 30-39	9	7.8%

Gender^e

Female	44	37.9%	30.84
Male	70	60.3%	47.58
Transgender Male to Female	2	1.7%	n/a

Age^f

10-19	6	5.2%	15.89
20-29	48	41.4%	119.97
30-39	36	31.0%	91.91
40-49	19	16.4%	55.47
50+	7	6.0%	6.94

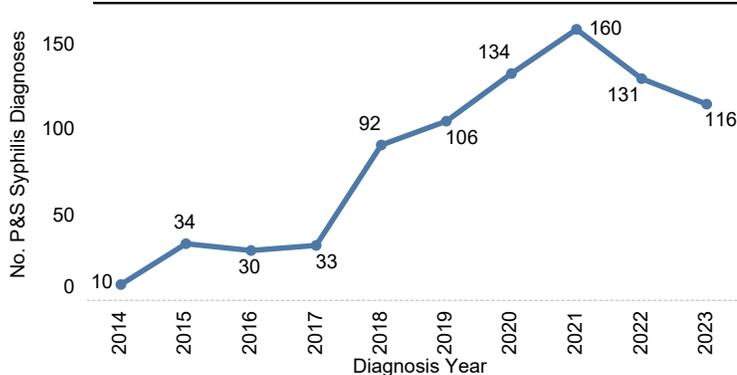
Affected Subpopulations Male^h

Black Male 20-29	20	17.2%
Black Male 30-39	9	7.8%
White Male 20-29	7	6.0%
White Male 30-39	11	9.5%
White Male 40-49	10	8.6%

Parish^g

Avoyelles	13	11.2%	33.55
Catahoula	1	0.9%	n/a
Concordia	10	8.6%	55.20
Grant	6	5.2%	27.27
LaSalle	6	5.2%	40.74
Rapides	76	65.5%	59.75
Vernon	1	0.9%	n/a
Winn	3	2.6%	n/a

10-Year Trend Line



^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial primary and secondary syphilis diagnosis was made in Louisiana.

^b Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.

^c Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for "Other" race group.

^d Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.

^e Cases are presented by current gender identity rather than sex at birth.

^f Age when first diagnosed with primary and secondary syphilis is used for new primary and secondary syphilis diagnoses. Age categories align with 2022 census age groups.

^g Parish where first diagnosed with primary and secondary syphilis is used for new primary and secondary syphilis diagnoses. Persons without a parish of residence are not included in the total percentage.

^h All subpopulations under 5 were excluded.

Reported Cases of Early Non-Primary Non-Secondary Syphilis Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	45	100.0%	15.53

Race/Ethnicity^d

Black	22	48.9%	28.76
Hispanic/Latinx	1	2.2%	n/a
White	17	37.8%	9.03
Other	5	11.1%	n/a

Affected Subpopulations Female^h

	Cases ^b	%
All female subpopulations had a case count of less than 5.		

Gender^e

Female	18	40.0%	12.61
Male	27	60.0%	18.35

Age^f

10-19	4	8.9%	n/a
20-29	14	31.1%	34.99
30-39	13	28.9%	33.19
40-49	6	13.3%	17.52
50+	8	17.8%	7.93

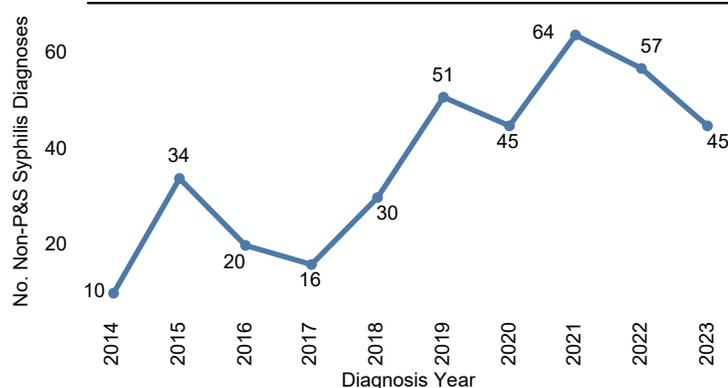
Affected Subpopulations Male^h

Black Male 20-29	5	11.1%
Black Male 30-39	5	11.1%

Parish^g

Avoyelles	8	17.8%	20.64
Catahoula	1	2.2%	n/a
Concordia	3	6.7%	n/a
Grant	1	2.2%	n/a
LaSalle	2	4.4%	n/a
Rapides	27	60.0%	21.23
Vernon	2	4.4%	n/a
Winn	1	2.2%	n/a

10-Year Trend Line



^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial non-primary non-secondary syphilis diagnosis was made in Louisiana.

^b Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.

^c Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for "Other" race group.

^d Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.

^e Cases are presented by current gender identity rather than sex at birth.

^f Age when first diagnosed with non-primary non-secondary syphilis is used for new non-primary non-secondary syphilis diagnoses. Age categories align with 2022 census age groups.

^g Parish where first diagnosed with non-primary non-secondary syphilis is used for new non-primary non-secondary syphilis diagnoses. Persons without a parish of residence are not included in the total percentage.

^h All subpopulations under 5 were excluded.

Reported Cases of Congenital Syphilis Louisiana, 2023

Region specific table not available due to low case counts.

Infants and Mothers Linked to New Congenital Syphilis Cases^a

	Cases	%	Rate ^b
Total Infant CS Cases	109	100.0%	199.1
Total Mothers Linked to New Cases	107	100.0%	11.7

Maternal Race/Ethnicity

Black	63	58.9%	8.4
Hispanic/Latinx	8	7.5%	6.4
White	25	23.4%	1.9
Other	11	10.3%	n/a

Maternal Age^c

15-19	6	5.6%	4.1
20-24	40	37.4%	25.6
25-29	29	27.1%	20.1
30-34	17	15.9%	10.6
35+	15	14.0%	4.9

Maternal Region of Residence^d

Region 1 - New Orleans	22	20.6%	12.9
Region 2 - Baton Rouge	20	18.7%	14.0
Region 3 - Houma	2	1.9%	2.8
Region 4 - Lafayette	12	11.2%	10.2
Region 5 - Lake Charles	7	6.5%	12.4
Region 6 - Alexandria	7	6.5%	13.1
Region 7 - Shreveport	18	16.8%	18.2
Region 8 - Monroe	9	8.4%	13.1
Region 9 - Hammond/Slidell	10	9.3%	8.4

Infant Region of Residence^d

Region 1 - New Orleans	23	21.1%	248.8
Region 2 - Baton Rouge	21	19.3%	266.9
Region 3 - Houma	2	1.8%	46.7
Region 4 - Lafayette	12	11.0%	154.3
Region 5 - Lake Charles	7	6.4%	188.3
Region 6 - Alexandria	7	6.4%	193.7
Region 7 - Shreveport	18	16.5%	293.4
Region 8 - Monroe	9	8.3%	220.2
Region 9 - Hammond/Slidell	10	9.2%	138.0

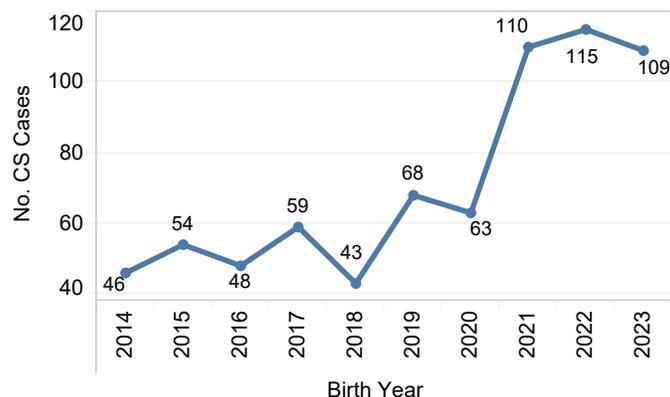
Maternal Stage of Syphilis^e

Primary	4	3.7%	n/a
Secondary	6	5.6%	n/a
Early non-primary non-secondary	37	34.6%	n/a
Unknown/Late Latent	57	53.3%	n/a
Other	3	3.7%	n/a

Positive Toxicology Screens^f Cases

Amphetamines/Meth	16
Cocaine	8
Heroin	8
Marijuana	24

10-Year Trend Line



^a New cases only include those who indicated a Louisiana residence at the time of delivery.

^b Congenital syphilis rates are calculated per 100,000 live births. Maternal rates are calculated using yearly census data, per 100,000 population. Percentages for maternal variables reflect distinct count of mothers. Rates for case counts under 20 are unreliable. Rates for case counts under 5 are not available.

^c Reflects maternal age at delivery.

^d Reflects maternal and infant region of residence at delivery.

^e Reflects latest syphilis stage identified during pregnancy

^f Reflects substances detected during maternal toxicology screens conducted during pregnancy or delivery. Mothers can have positive toxicology screens for more than one substance.

Reported Cases of Gonorrhea Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	883	100.0%	304.69

Race/Ethnicity^d

Black	517	59.8%	675.76
Hispanic/Latinx	10	1.2%	76.27
White	293	33.9%	155.68
Other	44	5.1%	n/a

Sex at Birth

Female	442	50.1%	309.76
Male	441	49.9%	299.77

Age^e

10-19	219	24.8%	579.96
20-29	389	44.1%	972.26
30-39	172	19.5%	439.15
40-49	69	7.8%	201.46
50+	34	3.9%	33.71

Parish^f

Avoyelles	113	12.8%	291.61
Catahoula	17	1.9%	198.46
Concordia	71	8.0%	391.92
Grant	42	4.8%	190.91
LaSalle	27	3.1%	183.31
Rapides	500	56.6%	393.12
Vernon	80	9.1%	169.32
Winn	33	3.7%	249.91

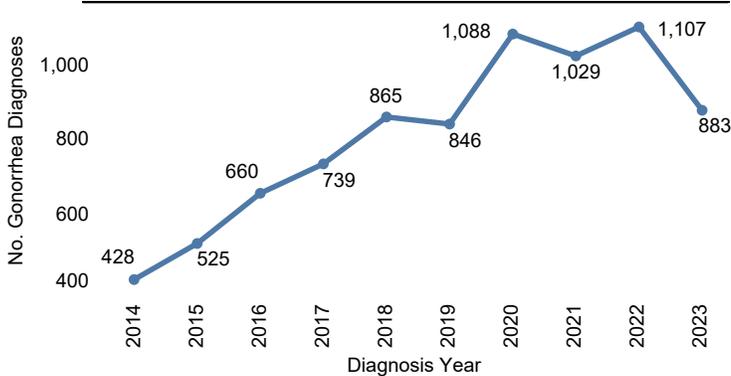
Affected Subpopulations Females^g

	Cases ^b	%
Black Female 10-19	90	10.4%
Black Female 20-29	103	11.9%
Black Female 30-39	28	3.2%
Black Female 50+	5	0.6%
Other Female 10-19	5	0.6%
Other Female 20-29	17	2.0%
White Female 10-19	36	4.2%
White Female 20-29	63	7.3%
White Female 30-39	45	5.2%
White Female 40-49	21	2.4%
White Female 50+	6	0.7%

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

Black Male 10-19	63	7.3%
Black Male 20-29	141	16.3%
Black Male 30-39	55	6.4%
Black Male 40-49	19	2.2%
Black Male 50+	9	1.0%
Other Male 20-29	11	1.3%
White Male 10-19	15	1.7%
White Male 20-29	42	4.9%
White Male 30-39	33	3.8%
White Male 40-49	23	2.7%
White Male 50+	9	1.0%

10-Year Trend Line



^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial gonorrhea diagnosis was made in Louisiana.

^b Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.

^c Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for "Other" race group.

^d Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.

^e Age when first diagnosed with gonorrhea is used for new gonorrhea diagnoses. Age categories align with 2022 census age groups.

^f Parish where first diagnosed with gonorrhea is used for new gonorrhea diagnoses. Persons without a parish of residence are not included in the total percentage.

^g Affected subpopulations with counts less than 5 are excluded.

Reported Cases of Chlamydia Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	2,291	100.0%	790.54

Race/Ethnicity^d

Black	1,312	58.9%	1,714.90
Hispanic/Latinx	54	2.4%	411.87
White	710	31.9%	377.23
Other	152	6.8%	n/a

Sex at Birth

Female	1,479	64.6%	1,036.51
Male	811	35.4%	551.28

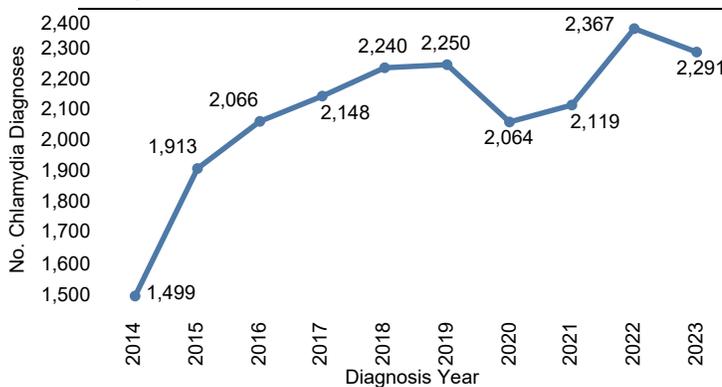
Age^e

10-19	758	33.1%	2,007.36
20-29	1,165	50.9%	2,911.77
30-39	259	11.3%	661.27
40-49	81	3.5%	236.50
50+	28	1.2%	27.76

Parish^f

Avoyelles	311	13.6%	802.56
Catahoula	55	2.4%	642.07
Concordia	153	6.7%	844.56
Grant	100	4.4%	454.55
LaSalle	60	2.6%	407.36
Rapides	1,154	50.4%	907.31
Vernon	346	15.1%	732.32
Winn	112	4.9%	848.16

10-Year Diagnosis Trend



Affected Subpopulations Females^g

	Cases ^b	%
Black Female 10-19	324	14.5%
Black Female 20-29	382	17.1%
Black Female 30-39	66	3.0%
Black Female 40-49	22	1.0%
Black Female 50+	8	0.4%
Hispanic Female 10-19	13	0.6%
Hispanic Female 20-29	15	0.7%
Other Female 10-19	53	2.4%
Other Female 20-29	56	2.5%
Other Female 30-39	6	0.3%
White Female 10-19	178	8.0%
White Female 20-29	241	10.8%
White Female 30-39	55	2.5%
White Female 40-49	15	0.7%
White Female 50+	6	0.3%

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

Black Male 10-19	134	6.0%
Black Male 20-29	265	11.9%
Black Male 30-39	84	3.8%
Black Male 40-49	20	0.9%
Black Male 50+	7	0.3%
Hispanic Male 20-29	20	0.9%
Other Male 10-19	6	0.3%
Other Male 20-29	22	1.0%
White Male 10-19	28	1.3%
White Male 20-29	126	5.7%
White Male 30-39	37	1.7%
White Male 40-49	19	0.9%
White Male 50+	5	0.2%

^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial chlamydia diagnosis was made in Louisiana.

^b Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.

^c Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for "Other" race group.

^d Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.

^e Age when first diagnosed with chlamydia is used for new chlamydia diagnoses. Age categories align with 2022 census age groups.

^f Parish where first diagnosed with chlamydia is used for new chlamydia diagnoses. Persons without a parish of residence are not included in the total percentage.

^g Affected subpopulations with counts less than 5 are excluded.

Reported Cases of Acute Hepatitis B Louisiana, 2023

Region specific table not available due to low case counts.

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	18	100.0%	0.4

Race/Ethnicity^d

Asian	0	0.0%	0.0
Black	6	46.2%	0.4
Hispanic/ Latinx	1	7.7%	n/a
White	6	46.2%	0.2

Sex at Birth

Female	10	55.6%	0.4
Male	8	44.4%	0.3

Age^e

18-29	2	11.1%	n/a
30-39	6	33.3%	0.9
40-49	5	27.8%	0.9
50-59	2	11.1%	n/a
60-69	2	11.1%	n/a
70+	1	5.6%	n/a

Region^f

Region 1 - New Orleans	4	22.2%	n/a
Region 2 - Baton Rouge	1	5.6%	n/a
Region 3 - Houma	1	5.6%	n/a
Region 4 - Lafayette	2	11.1%	n/a
Region 5 - Lake Charles	2	11.1%	n/a
Region 6 - Alexandria	3	16.7%	n/a
Region 7 - Shreveport	1	5.6%	n/a
Region 8 - Monroe	0	0.0%	0.0
Region 9 - Hammond/Slidell	4	22.2%	n/a

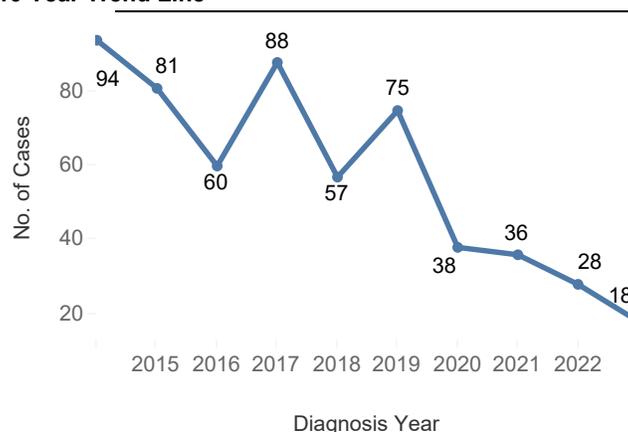
Affected Subpopulations Female^g

Affected subpopulations are all less than 5.

Affected Subpopulations Male^g

Affected subpopulations are all less than 5.

10 Year Trend Line



^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial acute hepatitis B diagnosis was made in Louisiana.

^b Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.

^c Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for "Other" race groups.

^d Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.

^e Age when first diagnosed with acute hepatitis B is used for new diagnoses. Age categories align with 2021 census age groups.

^f Region where first diagnosed with acute hepatitis B is used for new diagnoses. Persons without a region of residence are not included in the total percentage.

^g Affected subpopulations with counts less than 5 are excluded.

Reported Cases of Chronic Hepatitis B Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	64	100.0%	21.8

Race/Ethnicity^d

Asian	4	12.1%	n/a
Black	14	42.4%	17.7
Hispanic/ Latinx	5	15.2%	39.3
White	10	30.3%	5.2

Sex at Birth

Female	18	28.1%	12.5
Male	46	71.9%	30.7

Age^e

0-17	0	0.0%	0.0
18-29	7	10.9%	14.5
30-39	13	20.3%	32.5
40-49	25	39.1%	72.8
50-59	6	9.4%	17.2
60-69	5	7.8%	14.7
70+	8	12.5%	24.3

Parish^f

Avoyelles	11	17.2%	28.0
Catahoula	0	0.0%	0.0
Concordia	4	6.3%	n/a
Grant	7	10.9%	31.4
LaSalle	10	15.6%	67.4
Rapides	16	25.0%	12.4
Vernon	8	12.5%	16.6
Winn	8	12.5%	59.3

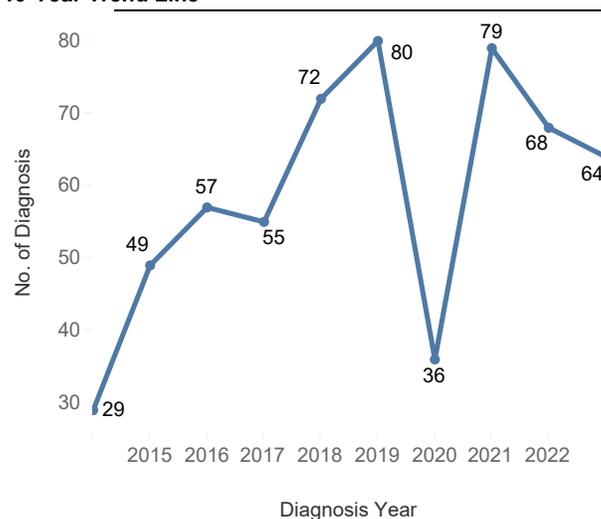
Affected Subpopulations Females^g

	Cases ^b	%
Black Female	7	21.2%

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

Black Male	7	21.2%
White Male	9	27.3%

10-Year Trend Line



^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial chronic hepatitis B diagnosis was made in Louisiana.
^b Cases with unknown/missing values for a demographic variable have been excluded from the counts and percentages for the demographic category. Total number of new diagnoses includes all cases, regardless of demographic variable completeness.
^c Cases per 100,000 population. Rates not available (n/a) for case counts less than 5. Rates not available for "Other" race groups.
^d Race/ethnicity "Other" category does not include missing or unknown race/ethnicity.
^e Age when first diagnosed with chronic hepatitis B is used for new diagnoses. Age categories align with 2021 census age groups.
^f Parish where first diagnosed with chronic hepatitis B is used for new diagnoses. Persons without a parish of residence are not included in the total percentage.
^g Affected subpopulations with counts less than 5 are excluded.

Reported Cases of Acute Hepatitis C Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	Percent	Rate ^c
Total	6	100.0%	2.0

Race/Ethnicity^d

Asian	0	0.0%	0.0
Black	1	20.0%	n/a
Hispanic/Latinx	2	40.0%	n/a
White	2	40.0%	n/a

Sex at Birth

Female	3	50.0%	n/a
Male	3	50.0%	n/a

Age^e

0-17	0	0.0%	0.0
18-29	1	16.7%	n/a
30-39	4	66.7%	n/a
40-49	1	16.7%	n/a
50-59	0	0.0%	0.0
60-69	0	0.0%	0.0
70+	0	0.0%	0.0

Parish^f

Avoyelles	0	0.0%	0.0
Catahoula	2	33.3%	n/a
Concordia	0	0.0%	0.0
Grant	1	16.7%	n/a
LaSalle	0	0.0%	0.0
Rapides	1	16.7%	n/a
Vernon	2	33.3%	n/a
Winn	0	0.0%	0.0

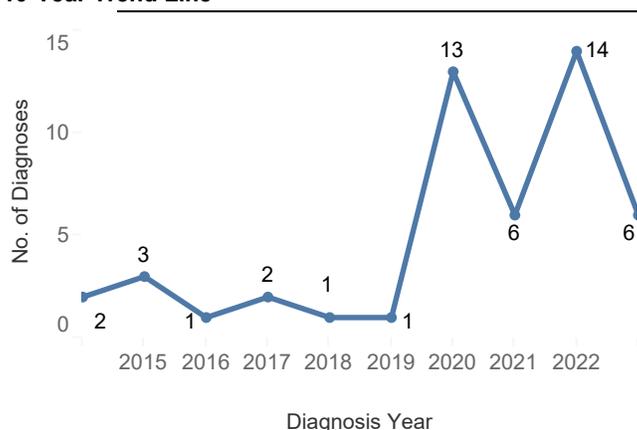
Affected Subpopulations Female^g

Cases ^b	%
All female subpopulations had a case count less than 5.	

Affected Subpopulations Male^g

All male subpopulations had a case count less than 5.

10-Year Trend Line



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Reported Cases of Chronic Hepatitis C Region 6 - Alexandria, 2023

New Diagnoses^a

	Cases ^b	%	Rate ^c
Total	317	100.0%	107.9

Race/Ethnicity^d

Asian	0	0.0%	0.0
Black	89	37.4%	112.9
Hispanic/ Latinx	14	5.9%	110.2
White	135	56.7%	70.9

Sex at Birth

Female	71	22.4%	49.3
Male	246	77.6%	164.1

Age^e

0-17	5	1.6%	6.5
18-29	31	9.8%	64.5
30-39	75	23.7%	187.6
40-49	72	22.7%	209.7
50-59	59	18.6%	169.4
60-69	55	17.4%	162.7
70+	20	6.3%	60.9

Parish^f

Avoyelles	54	17.0%	137.6
Catahoula	9	2.8%	102.2
Concordia	8	2.5%	43.5
Grant	78	24.6%	350.7
LaSalle	13	4.1%	87.6
Rapides	117	36.9%	90.9
Vernon	27	8.5%	56.2
Winn	11	3.5%	81.5

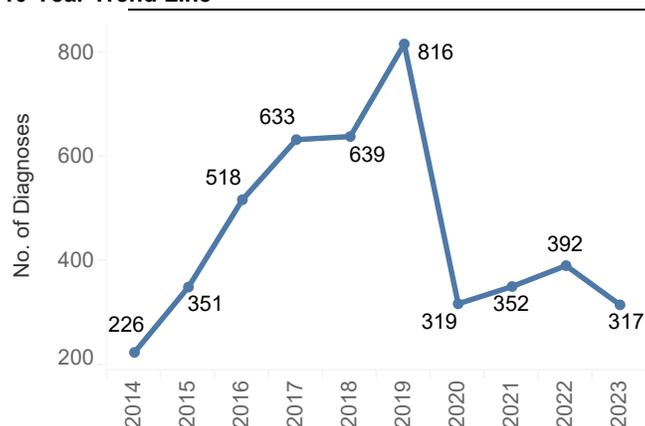
Affected Subpopulations Females^g

	Cases	%
White Female 40-49	10	3.9%
White Female 50-59	9	3.5%
White Female 30-39	8	3.1%
Black Female 60-69	7	2.7%
Black Female 50-59	6	2.3%
Black Female 18-29	6	2.3%
White Female 60-69	5	1.9%

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

White Male 40-49	25	9.7%
White Male 30-39	21	8.2%
White Male 50-59	20	7.8%
Black Male 60-69	19	7.4%
White Male 60-69	17	6.6%
Black Male 50-59	12	4.7%
Black Male 40-49	10	3.9%
Black Male 30-39	8	3.1%
Black Male 70+	8	3.1%
White Male 18-29	8	3.1%
Black Male 18-29	5	1.9%
Hispanic Male 30-39	5	1.9%
White Male 70+	5	1.9%

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