

STI/HIV/Hepatitis B & C Update 2021 Data Tables

Lake Charles
Region 5



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Reported Cases of HIV Region 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

| | 2021 New Diagnoses ^a | | | 2021 Prevalence ^b | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------|-------------------|------------------------------|--------|-------------------|
| | Cases ^c | % | Rate ^d | Cases ^c | % | Rate ^d |
| Total | 45 | 100.0% | 14.8 | 1,007 | 100.0% | 331.0 |
| Race/Ethnicity^e | | | | | | |
| Black | 17 | 37.8% | 25.8 | 532 | 52.8% | 808.6 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 3 | 6.7% | n/a | 103 | 10.2% | 859.3 |
| White | 22 | 48.9% | 10.3 | 351 | 34.9% | 163.5 |
| Other | 3 | 6.7% | n/a | 21 | 2.1% | n/a |
| Gender^f | | | | | | |
| Female | 12 | 26.7% | 7.8 | 240 | 23.8% | 157.0 |
| Male | 32 | 71.1% | 21.2 | 753 | 74.8% | 497.7 |
| Transgender Male to Female | 1 | 2.2% | n/a | 14 | 1.4% | n/a |
| Transgender Female to Male | 0 | 0.0% | n/a | 0 | 0.0% | n/a |
| Age^g | | | | | | |
| 0-14 | 1 | 2.2% | n/a | 2 | 0.2% | n/a |
| 15-19 | 2 | 4.4% | n/a | 4 | 0.4% | n/a |
| 20-29 | 11 | 24.4% | 26.3 | 100 | 9.9% | 238.9 |
| 30-39 | 17 | 37.8% | 41.3 | 206 | 20.5% | 500.5 |
| 40-49 | 8 | 17.8% | 22.3 | 242 | 24.0% | 674.2 |
| 50+ | 6 | 13.3% | 5.8 | 453 | 45.0% | 437.6 |
| Risk^h | | | | | | |
| GBM | 26 | 57.8% | n/a | 465 | 46.5% | n/a |
| PWID | 4 | 8.9% | n/a | 132 | 13.2% | n/a |
| GBM/PWID | 2 | 4.4% | n/a | 78 | 7.8% | n/a |
| High Risk Heterosexual | 12 | 26.7% | n/a | 309 | 30.9% | n/a |
| Perinatal | 1 | 2.2% | n/a | 13 | 1.3% | 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 | | | | | | |
| Allen | 2 | 4.4% | n/a | 223 | 22.1% | 872.0 |
| Beauregard | 3 | 6.7% | n/a | 49 | 4.9% | 131.1 |
| Calcasieu | 34 | 75.6% | 16.8 | 662 | 65.7% | 326.3 |
| Cameron | 1 | 2.2% | n/a | 3 | 0.3% | n/a |
| Jefferson Davis | 5 | 11.1% | 15.9 | 70 | 7.0% | 222.8 |

^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 2020 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.

Reported Cases of Primary and Secondary Syphilis Region 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 31 | 100.0% | 10.2 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------|------|
| Black | 11 | 35.5% | 16.7 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 1 | 3.2% | n/a |
| White | 17 | 54.8% | 7.9 |
| Other | 2 | 6.5% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Female^h

| Cases ^b | % |
|--------------------|---|
|--------------------|---|

All female subpopulations had a case count less than 5.

Gender^e

| | | | |
|----------------------------|----|-------|------|
| Female | 9 | 29.0% | 5.9 |
| Male | 22 | 71.0% | 14.5 |
| Transgender Male to Female | 0 | 0.0% | n/a |
| Transgender Female to Male | 0 | 0.0% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Male^h

Age^f

| | | | |
|-------|----|-------|------|
| 10-19 | 2 | 6.5% | n/a |
| 20-29 | 11 | 35.5% | 26.3 |
| 30-39 | 8 | 25.8% | 19.4 |
| 40-49 | 8 | 25.8% | 22.3 |
| 50+ | 2 | 6.5% | n/a |

All male subpopulations had a case count less than 5.

Parish^g

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------|------|
| Allen | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Beauregard | 4 | 12.9% | n/a |
| Calcasieu | 24 | 77.4% | 11.8 |
| Cameron | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Jefferson Davis | 3 | 9.7% | n/a |

^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 2020 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 Congenital Syphilis Louisiana, 2021

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 | 110 | 100.0% | 191.7 |
| Total Mothers Linked to New Cases | 107 | 100.0% | 4.5 |
| Maternal Race/Ethnicity | | | |
| Black | 70 | 65.4% | 8.9 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 6 | 5.6% | 5.3 |
| White | 31 | 29.0% | 2.2 |
| Other | 0 | 0.0% | n/a |
| Maternal Age^c | | | |
| 15-19 | 7 | 6.5% | 4.8 |
| 20-24 | 28 | 26.2% | 18.3 |
| 25-29 | 33 | 30.8% | 19.5 |
| 30-34 | 26 | 24.3% | 15.8 |
| 35+ | 13 | 12.1% | 4.4 |
| Maternal Region of Residence^d | | | |
| Region 1 - New Orleans | 9 | 8.4% | 1.9 |
| Region 2 - Baton Rouge | 18 | 16.8% | 5.2 |
| Region 3 - Houma | 6 | 5.6% | 3.0 |
| Region 4 - Lafayette | 13 | 12.1% | 4.2 |
| Region 5 - Lake Charles | 3 | 2.8% | n/a |
| Region 6 - Alexandria | 22 | 20.6% | 14.8 |
| Region 7 - Shreveport | 10 | 9.3% | 3.6 |
| Region 8 - Monroe | 18 | 16.8% | 10.1 |
| Region 9 - Hammond/Slidell | 8 | 7.5% | 2.6 |
| Infant Region of Residence^d | | | |
| Region 1 - New Orleans | 9 | 8.2% | 87.1 |
| Region 2 - Baton Rouge | 18 | 16.4% | 209.4 |
| Region 3 - Houma | 6 | 5.5% | 129.5 |
| Region 4 - Lafayette | 14 | 12.7% | 171.8 |
| Region 5 - Lake Charles | 3 | 2.7% | n/a |
| Region 6 - Alexandria | 22 | 20.0% | 564.5 |
| Region 7 - Shreveport | 11 | 10.0% | 174.7 |
| Region 8 - Monroe | 19 | 17.3% | 466.1 |
| Region 9 - Hammond/Slidell | 8 | 7.3% | 105.5 |
| Maternal Stage of Syphilis | | | |
| Primary | 4 | 3.7% | n/a |
| Secondary | 5 | 4.7% | n/a |
| Early non-primary non-secondary | 48 | 44.9% | n/a |
| Unknown/Late Latent | 47 | 43.9% | n/a |
| Other | 3 | 2.8% | n/a |

^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.

Reported Cases of Gonorrhea Region 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 533 | 100.0% | 175.2 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------|-------|
| Black | 242 | 46.6% | 367.8 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 16 | 3.1% | 133.5 |
| White | 206 | 39.7% | 96.0 |
| Other | 55 | 10.6% | n/a |

Sex at Birth

| | | | |
|--------|-----|-------|-------|
| Female | 271 | 50.8% | 177.2 |
| Male | 262 | 49.2% | 173.2 |

Age^e

| | | | |
|----------|-----|-------|-------|
| Under 10 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 10-19 | 122 | 22.9% | 304.2 |
| 20-29 | 227 | 42.6% | 542.2 |
| 30-39 | 117 | 22.0% | 284.2 |
| 40-49 | 46 | 8.6% | 128.2 |
| 50+ | 21 | 3.9% | 20.3 |

Parish^f

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------|-------|
| Allen | 38 | 7.1% | 148.6 |
| Beauregard | 38 | 7.1% | 101.6 |
| Calcasieu | 367 | 68.9% | 180.9 |
| Cameron | 1 | 0.2% | n/a |
| Jefferson Davis | 89 | 16.7% | 283.2 |

Affected Subpopulations Females^g

| | Cases ^b | % |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------|
| Black Female 10-19 | 37 | 7.1% |
| Black Female 20-29 | 59 | 11.4% |
| Black Female 30-39 | 16 | 3.1% |
| Other Female 10-19 | 12 | 2.3% |
| Other Female 20-29 | 10 | 1.9% |
| White Female 10-19 | 26 | 5.0% |
| White Female 20-29 | 47 | 9.1% |
| White Female 30-39 | 27 | 5.2% |
| White Female 40-49 | 10 | 1.9% |
| White Female 50+ | 5 | 1.0% |

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

| | | |
|------------------|----|-------|
| Black Male 10-19 | 26 | 5.0% |
| Black Male 20-29 | 53 | 10.2% |
| Black Male 30-39 | 27 | 5.2% |
| Black Male 40-49 | 11 | 2.1% |
| Black Male 50+ | 8 | 1.5% |
| Other Male 20-29 | 16 | 3.1% |
| Other Male 30-39 | 8 | 1.5% |
| White Male 10-19 | 6 | 1.2% |
| White Male 20-29 | 34 | 6.6% |
| White Male 30-39 | 30 | 5.8% |
| White Male 40-49 | 16 | 3.1% |
| White Male 50+ | 5 | 1.0% |

^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 2020 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 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 1,473 | 100.0% | 484.2 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------|---------|
| Black | 670 | 46.4% | 1,018.3 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 48 | 3.3% | 400.5 |
| White | 627 | 43.4% | 292.1 |
| Other | 99 | 6.9% | n/a |

Sex at Birth

| | | | |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Female | 1,087 | 73.8% | 710.9 |
| Male | 386 | 26.2% | 255.1 |

Age^e

| | | | |
|----------|-----|-------|---------|
| Under 10 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 10-19 | 537 | 36.5% | 1,338.9 |
| 20-29 | 731 | 49.6% | 1,746.2 |
| 30-39 | 158 | 10.7% | 383.9 |
| 40-49 | 31 | 2.1% | 86.4 |
| 50+ | 16 | 1.1% | 15.5 |

Parish^f

| | | | |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Allen | 96 | 6.5% | 375.4 |
| Beauregard | 118 | 8.0% | 315.6 |
| Calcasieu | 1,093 | 74.2% | 538.8 |
| Cameron | 13 | 0.9% | 186.7 |
| Jefferson Davis | 153 | 10.4% | 486.9 |

Affected Subpopulations Females^g

| | Cases ^b | % |
|-----------------------|--------------------|-------|
| Black Female 10-19 | 189 | 13.1% |
| Black Female 20-29 | 244 | 16.9% |
| Black Female 30-39 | 40 | 2.8% |
| Black Female 40-49 | 6 | 0.4% |
| Hispanic Female 10-19 | 14 | 1.0% |
| Hispanic Female 20-29 | 19 | 1.3% |
| Other Female 10-19 | 39 | 2.7% |
| Other Female 20-29 | 29 | 2.0% |
| White Female 10-19 | 172 | 11.9% |
| White Female 20-29 | 254 | 17.6% |
| White Female 30-39 | 50 | 3.5% |
| White Female 40-49 | 6 | 0.4% |

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

| | | |
|---------------------|----|------|
| Black Male 10-19 | 65 | 4.5% |
| Black Male 20-29 | 78 | 5.4% |
| Black Male 30-39 | 31 | 2.1% |
| Black Male 40-49 | 9 | 0.6% |
| Hispanic Male 20-29 | 6 | 0.4% |
| Other Male 10-19 | 9 | 0.6% |
| Other Male 20-29 | 17 | 1.2% |
| Other Male 30-39 | 5 | 0.3% |
| White Male 10-19 | 29 | 2.0% |
| White Male 20-29 | 79 | 5.5% |
| White Male 30-39 | 24 | 1.7% |
| White Male 40-49 | 7 | 0.5% |
| White Male 50+ | 6 | 0.4% |

^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 2020 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, 2021

Region specific table not available due to low case counts.

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 36 | 100.0% | 0.8 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------|-----|
| Asian | 1 | 2.8% | n/a |
| Black | 12 | 33.3% | 0.7 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 1 | 2.8% | n/a |
| White | 22 | 61.1% | 0.8 |
| Other | 0 | 0.0% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Female^g

| Cases ^b | % |
|--------------------|----------|
| White Female | 11 30.6% |

Sex at Birth

| | | | |
|--------|----|-------|-----|
| Female | 14 | 38.9% | 0.5 |
| Male | 22 | 61.1% | 0.9 |

Age^e

| | | | |
|-------|----|-------|-----|
| 0-17 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 18-29 | 5 | 13.9% | 0.6 |
| 30-39 | 5 | 13.9% | 0.7 |
| 40-49 | 15 | 41.7% | 2.7 |
| 50-59 | 7 | 19.4% | 1.2 |
| 60-69 | 3 | 8.3% | n/a |
| 70+ | 1 | 2.8% | n/a |

Region^f

| | | | |
|----------------------------|---|-------|-----|
| Region 1 - New Orleans | 7 | 19.4% | 0.7 |
| Region 2 - Baton Rouge | 6 | 16.7% | 0.8 |
| Region 3 - Houma | 2 | 5.6% | n/a |
| Region 4 - Lafayette | 6 | 16.7% | 0.9 |
| Region 5 - Lake Charles | 3 | 8.3% | n/a |
| Region 6 - Alexandria | 2 | 5.6% | n/a |
| Region 7 - Shreveport | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Region 8 - Monroe | 3 | 8.3% | n/a |
| Region 9 - Hammond/Slidell | 7 | 19.4% | 1.1 |

Affected Subpopulations Male^g

| | |
|------------|----------|
| Black Male | 9 25.0% |
| White Male | 11 30.6% |

^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 2020 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 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 61 | 100.0% | 20.0 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------|-------|
| Asian | 5 | 8.8% | 145.0 |
| Black | 15 | 26.3% | 22.1 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 4 | 7.0% | n/a |
| White | 32 | 56.1% | 14.9 |
| Other | 1 | 1.8% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Females^g

| | Cases ^b | % |
|--------------|--------------------|-------|
| Black Female | 5 | 8.8% |
| White Female | 16 | 28.1% |

Sex at Birth

| | | | |
|--------|----|-------|------|
| Female | 28 | 45.9% | 18.3 |
| Male | 33 | 54.1% | 21.7 |

Age^e

| | | | |
|-------|----|-------|------|
| 0-17 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 18-29 | 3 | 4.9% | n/a |
| 30-39 | 6 | 9.8% | 14.3 |
| 40-49 | 15 | 24.6% | 42.0 |
| 50-59 | 17 | 27.9% | 46.1 |
| 60-69 | 13 | 21.3% | 36.8 |
| 70+ | 7 | 11.5% | 21.6 |

Parish^f

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------|------|
| Allen | 10 | 16.4% | 39.3 |
| Beauregard | 7 | 11.5% | 18.5 |
| Calcasieu | 38 | 62.3% | 18.7 |
| Cameron | 2 | 3.3% | n/a |
| Jefferson Davis | 4 | 6.6% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Males^g

| | | |
|------------|----|-------|
| Black Male | 10 | 17.5% |
| White Male | 16 | 28.1% |

^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 2020 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 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 10 | 100.0% | 3.3 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|-------|-----|
| Asian | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Black | 1 | 10.0% | n/a |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| White | 9 | 90.0% | 0.3 |
| Other | 0 | 0.0% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Female^g

| Cases ^b | % |
|--------------------|---------|
| White Female 18-29 | 5 50.0% |

Sex at Birth

| | | | |
|--------|---|-------|-----|
| Female | 9 | 90.0% | 0.3 |
| Male | 1 | 10.0% | n/a |

Age^e

| | | | |
|-------|---|-------|-----|
| 0-17 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 18-29 | 5 | 50.0% | 0.6 |
| 30-39 | 3 | 30.0% | n/a |
| 40-49 | 1 | 10.0% | n/a |
| 50-59 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 60-69 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 70+ | 1 | 10.0% | n/a |

Parish^f

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|-------|-----|
| Allen | 1 | 10.0% | n/a |
| Beauregard | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Calcasieu | 6 | 60.0% | 3.0 |
| Cameron | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Jefferson Davis | 3 | 30.0% | n/a |

Affected Subpopulations Male^g

All male subpopulations had a case count less than 5.

^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial acute hepatitis C 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 C is used for new diagnoses. Age categories align with 2020 census age groups.

^f Parish where first diagnosed with acute hepatitis C 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 Chronic Hepatitis C Region 5 - Lake Charles, 2021

New Diagnoses^a

| | Cases ^b | % | Rate ^c |
|-------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Total | 280 | 100.0% | 91.9 |

Race/Ethnicity^d

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------|-----|
| Asian | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| Black | 53 | 20.9% | 3.5 |
| Hispanic/Latinx | 17 | 6.7% | 6.7 |
| White | 179 | 70.8% | 6.6 |
| Other | 4 | 1.6% | n/a |

Sex at Birth

| | | | |
|--------|-----|-------|-----|
| Female | 86 | 30.7% | 3.6 |
| Male | 194 | 69.3% | 8.5 |

Age^e

| | | | |
|-------|----|-------|------|
| 0-17 | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0 |
| 18-29 | 25 | 8.9% | 3.3 |
| 30-39 | 59 | 21.1% | 9.2 |
| 40-49 | 67 | 23.9% | 12.2 |
| 50-59 | 63 | 22.5% | 10.9 |
| 60-69 | 54 | 19.3% | 9.7 |
| 70+ | 12 | 4.3% | 2.3 |

Parish^f

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------|-------|
| Allen | 46 | 16.4% | 180.8 |
| Beauregard | 21 | 7.5% | 55.4 |
| Calcasieu | 176 | 62.9% | 86.6 |
| Cameron | 6 | 2.1% | 85.7 |
| Jefferson Davis | 31 | 11.1% | 99.3 |

Affected Subpopulations Female^g

| | Cases ^b | % |
|--------------------|--------------------|------|
| Black Female 60-69 | 6 | 2.4% |
| White Female 18-29 | 7 | 2.8% |
| White Female 30-39 | 15 | 6.0% |
| White Female 40-49 | 16 | 6.3% |
| White Female 50-59 | 13 | 5.2% |
| White Female 60-69 | 6 | 2.4% |

Affected Subpopulations Male^g

| | Cases ^b | % |
|---------------------|--------------------|-------|
| Black Male 30-39 | 8 | 3.2% |
| Black Male 50-59 | 10 | 4.0% |
| Black Male 60-69 | 12 | 4.8% |
| Hispanic Male 40-49 | 6 | 2.4% |
| White Male 18-29 | 10 | 4.0% |
| White Male 30-39 | 19 | 7.5% |
| White Male 40-49 | 32 | 12.7% |
| White Male 50-59 | 32 | 12.7% |
| White Male 60-69 | 24 | 9.5% |

^a New diagnoses include only individuals whose initial chronic hepatitis C 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 C is used for new diagnoses. Age categories align with 2020 census age groups.

^f Parish where first diagnosed with chronic hepatitis C 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.