

# HIV Infections in Utah: 2014 Epidemic Update

#### **Definitions**

**Cases** — persons diagnosed with HIV and reported to public health

**Rates** — cases per 100,000 populations

**Sex** – Sex of infant determined at birth

**Transmission Category** — most likely to be the cause of becoming infected

**MSM** – Men who have Sex with Men

**IDU** — Injection Drug Use

**Local Health District** – 29 Counties make 12 LHDs

**Foreign-born** — currently living in Utah but born outside of United States



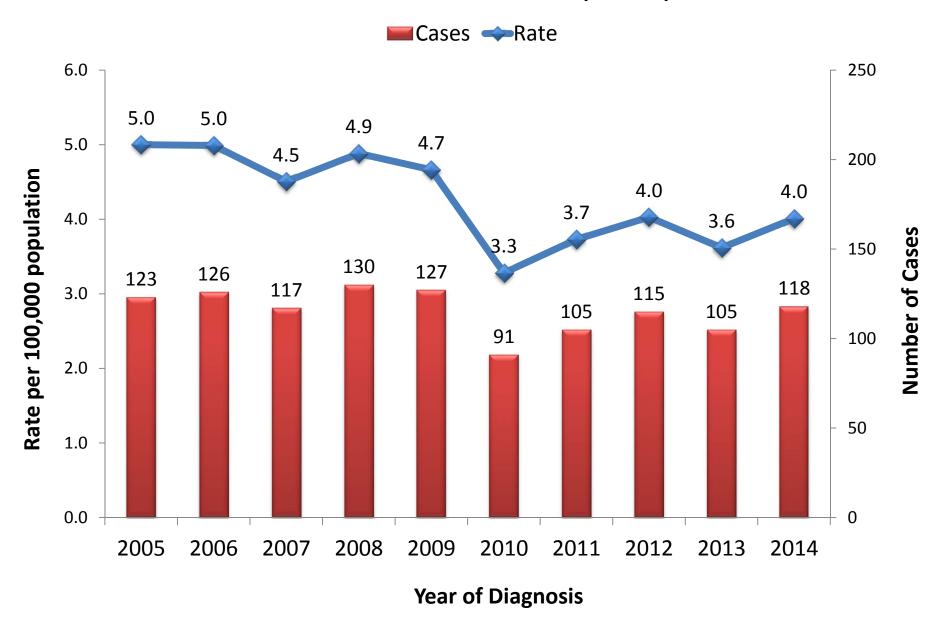
#### **HIV INFECTION**

Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infections pertains to individuals newly diagnosed with HIV regardless of their disease stage such as AIDS.

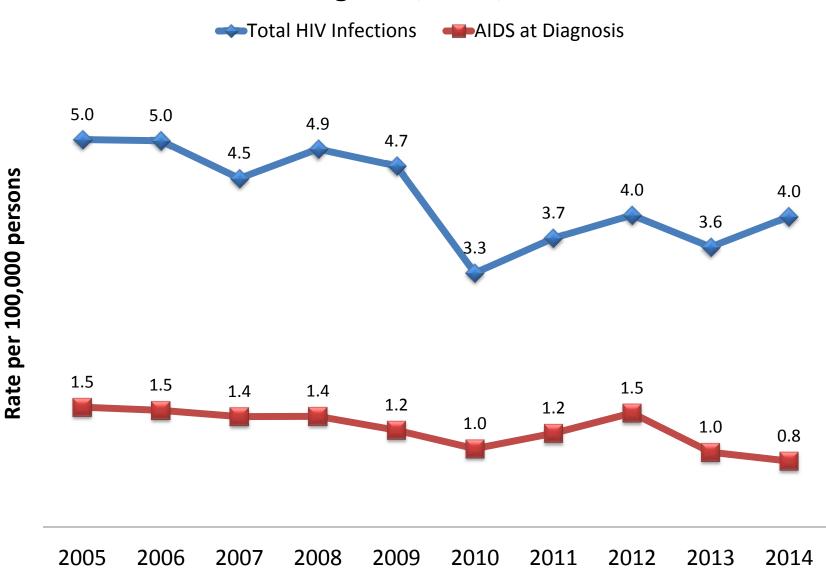
New HIV infections are people who have never been diagnosed with HIV and who also lived in Utah at the time of their diagnosis.



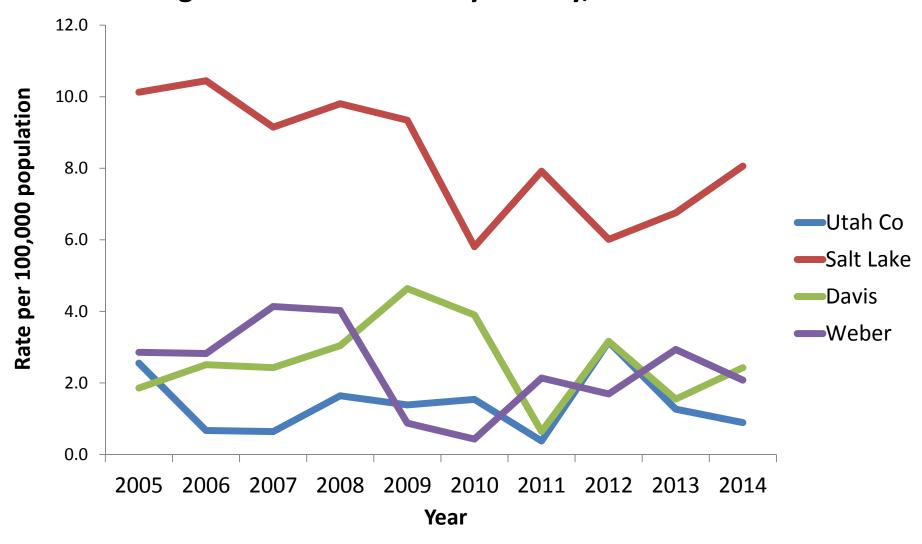
#### Cases & Rates of new HIV Infection, Utah, 2005-2014



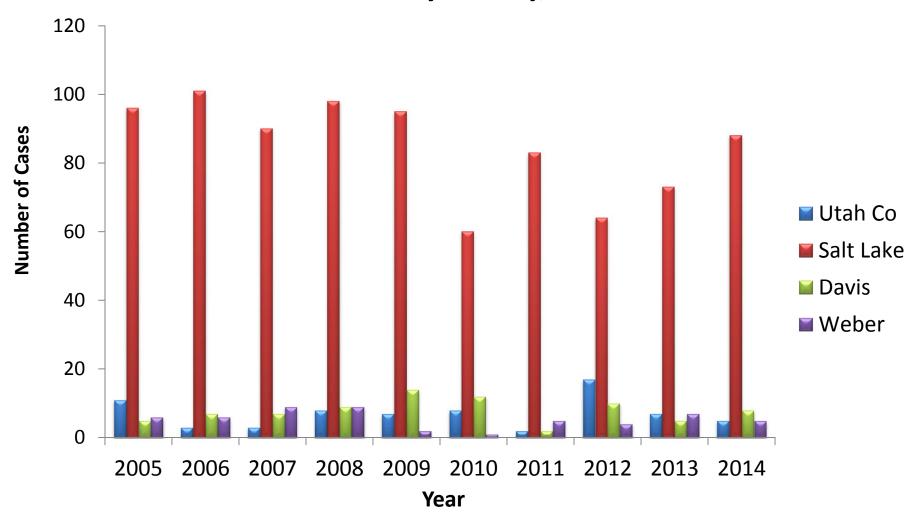
### Rates of HIV Infection (including AIDS) & AIDS at Diagnosis, Utah, 2005-2014



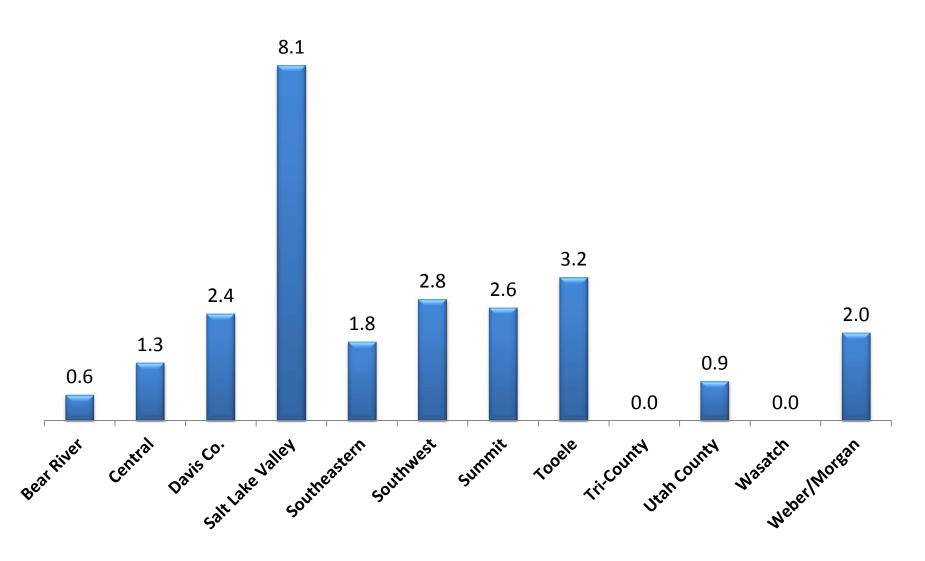
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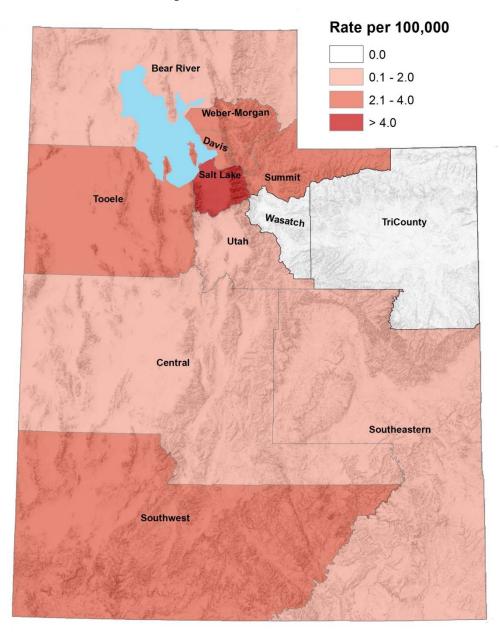
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### HIV Infection Rates per 100,000 by Local Health District, Utah, 2014



#### HIV Infection Rates by Local Health District, Utah, 2014



#### **Geographic Summary**

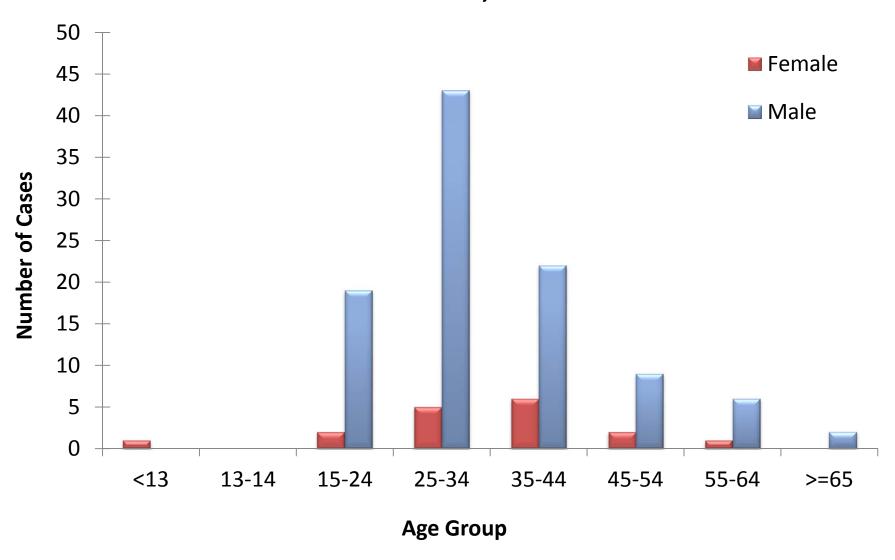
75% of new infections are in Salt Lake County

 New infection rates have declined overall through the last decade but still remain stable in several areas

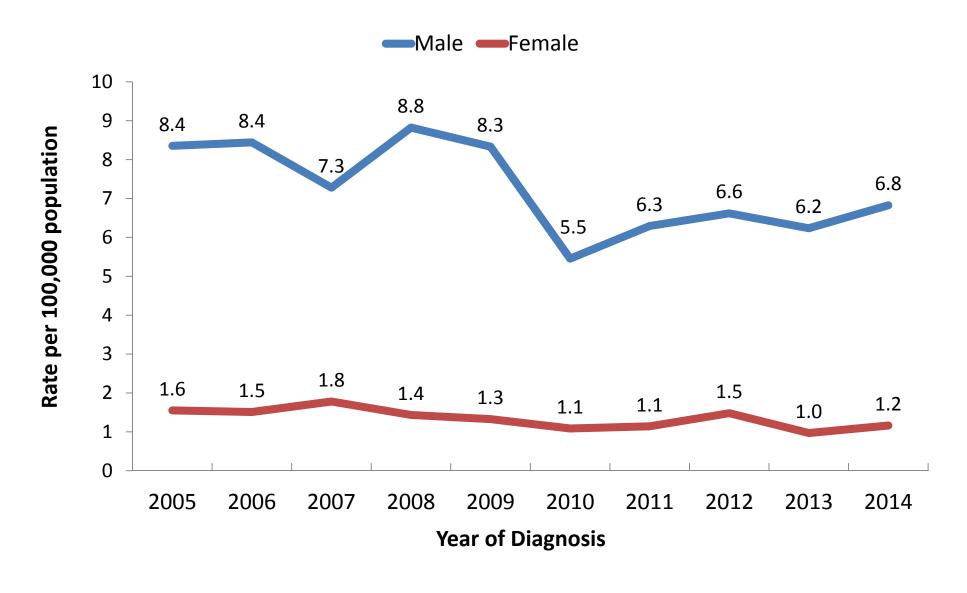
 New infections were diagnosed in all jurisdictions except two during 2014

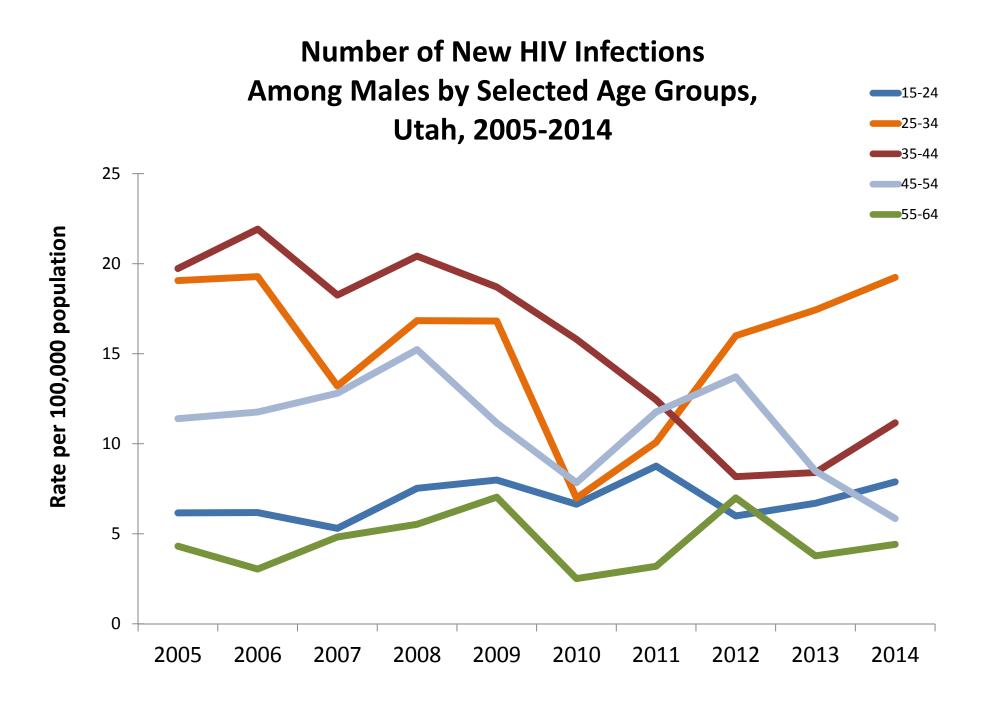


### Number of New HIV Infections by Sex and Age Group, Utah, 2014

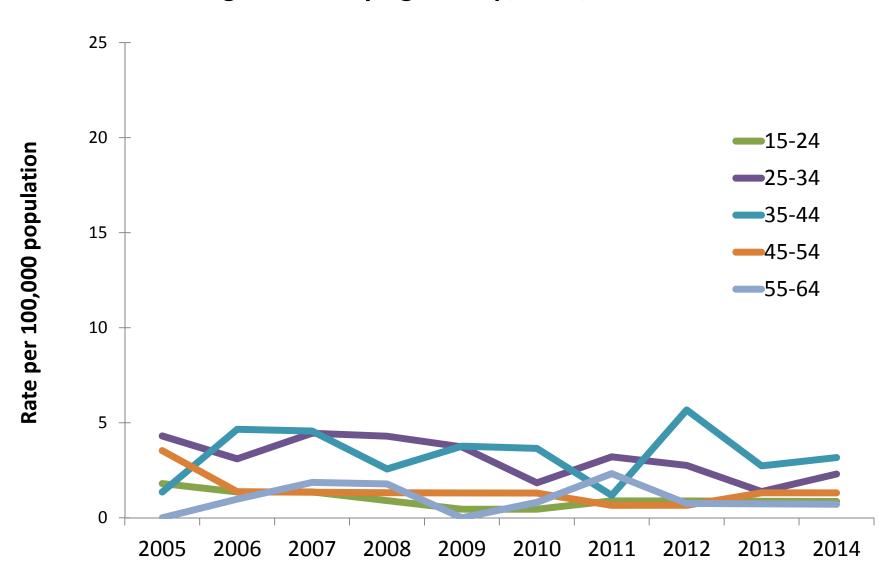


#### Rate of New HIV Infections by Sex, Utah, 2005-2014





#### Number of New HIV Infections Among Females by Age Group, Utah, 2005-2014



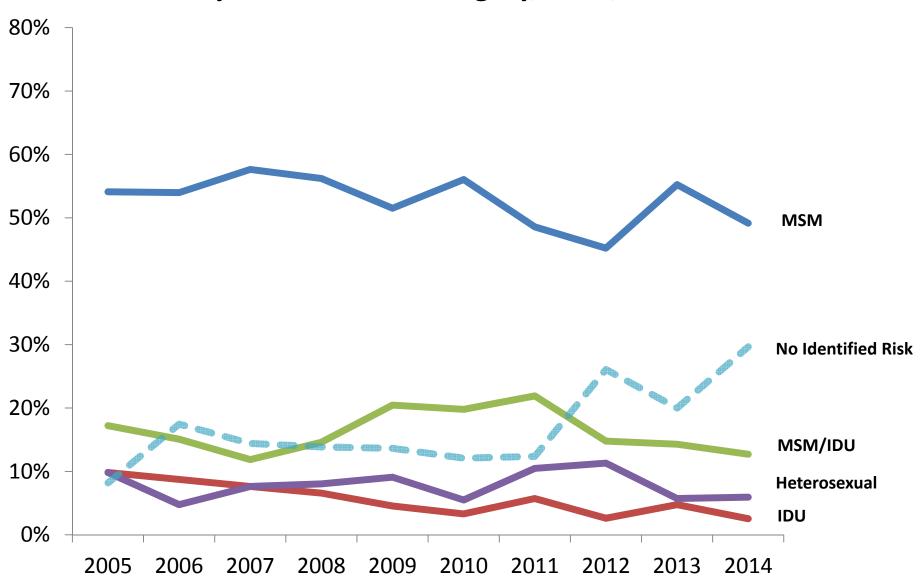
#### **HIV Infections by Sex Summary**

- New infections among men have declined overall but have continued to increase over the last 5 years
  - Women rates have remained relatively stable

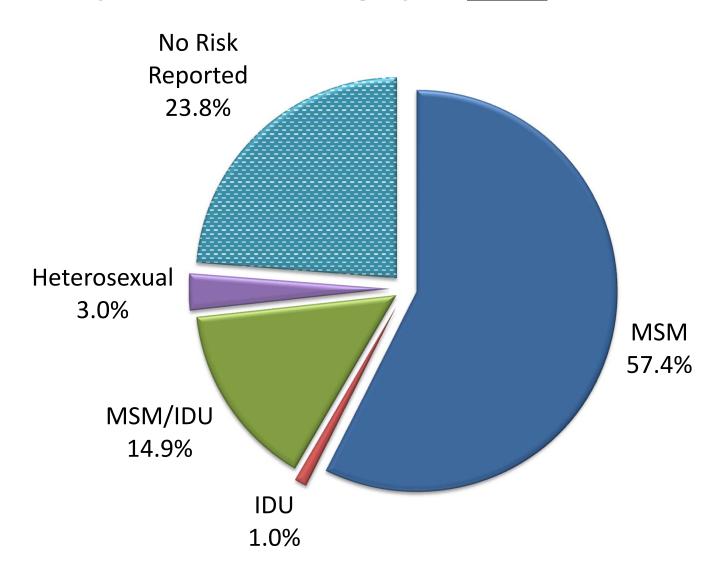
- Young men in their 20s & 30s continue to account for the majority of new infections
  - Women newly diagnosed are slightly older



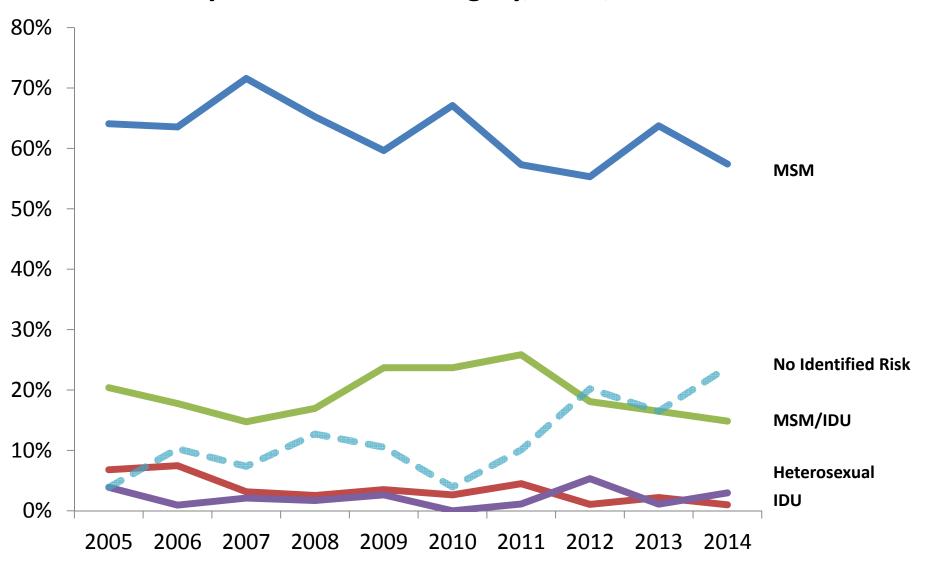
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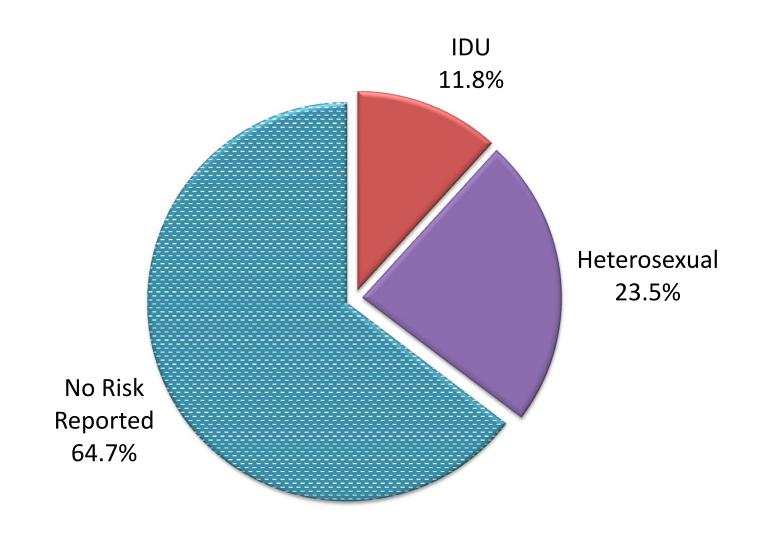
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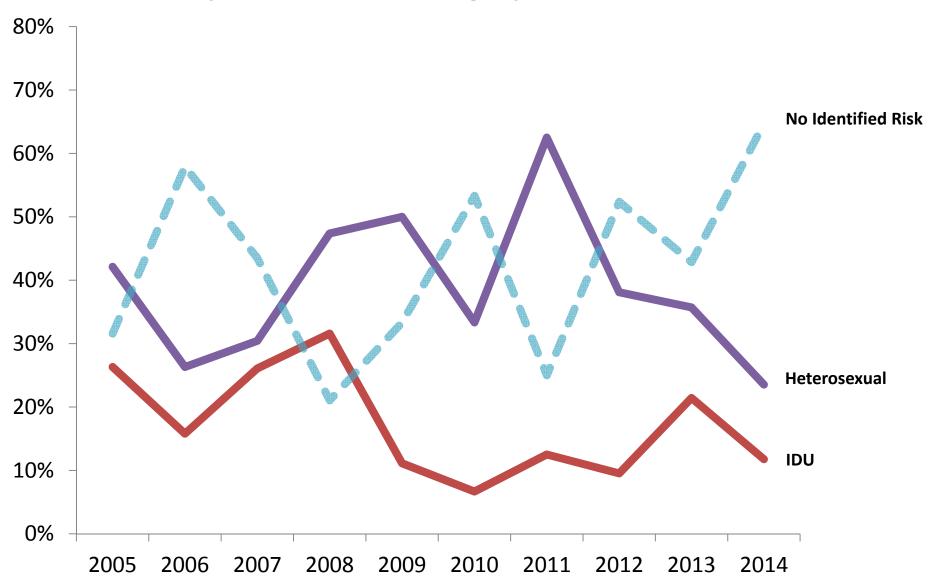
#### Percentage of New HIV Infection for <u>Males</u> by Transmission Category, Utah, 2005-2014



### Percentage of new HIV Infections by Transmission Category for <u>Females</u>, Utah, 2014



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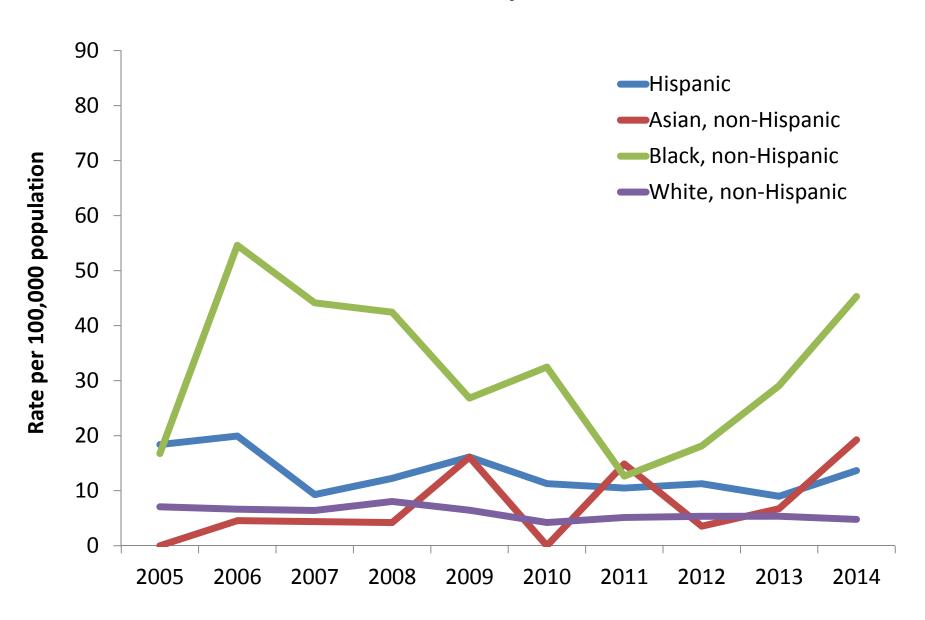


# HIV Infections by Transmission Category Summary

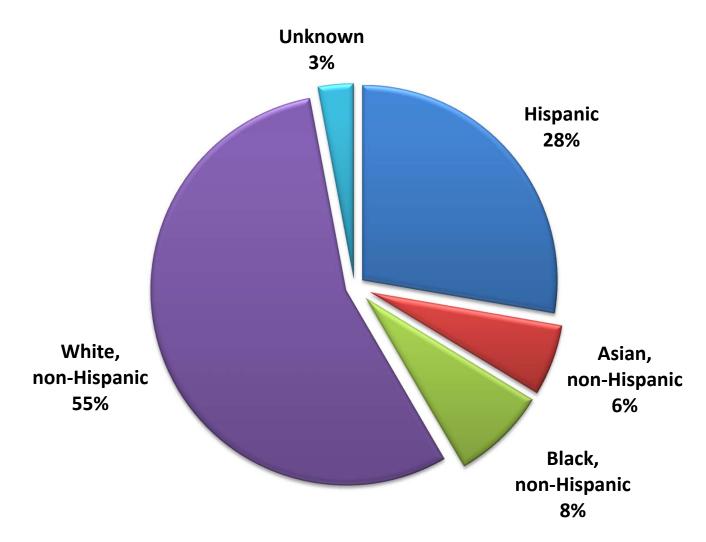
- Risk trends have remained somewhat stable over the last 5 years except unidentified risk
- Male risk continues to be mostly MSM
- Female risk primarily Heterosexual & IDU
- Unidentified Risk continues to increase



#### Rates of new HIV Infections Among Males for Selected Race/Ethnicity, Utah, 2005-2014



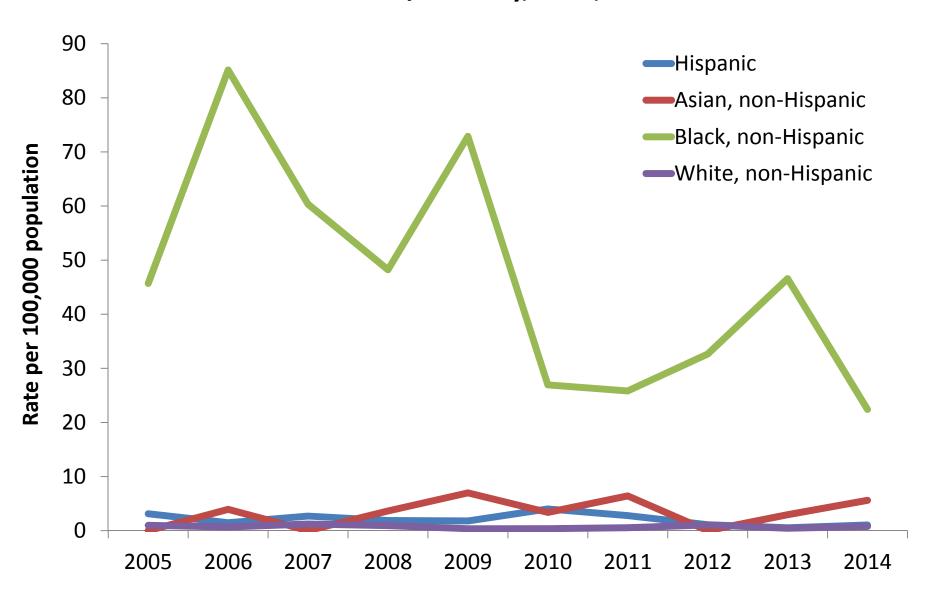
### Percentage of new HIV Infections by Race/Ethnicity for Males, Utah, 2014



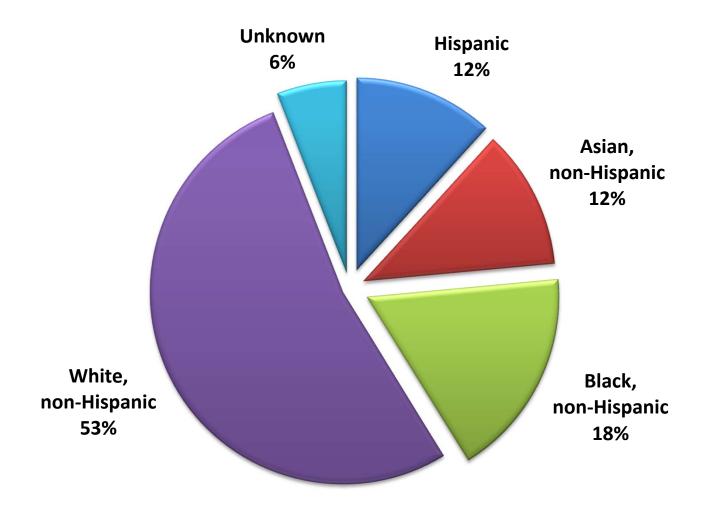
\*Hispanic ethnicity regardless of Race

Note: No persons diagnosed with HIV in 2014 were among <u>Pacific Islanders</u> or <u>American Indians</u> / <u>Alaskan Natives</u>

#### Rates of new HIV Infections Among Females for Selected Race/Ethnicity, Utah, 2005-2014



### Percentage of new HIV Infections by Race/Ethnicity for <u>Females</u>, Utah, 2014



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#### **New Infections by Race/Ethnicity Summary**

- Rates among Black and Asian males have increased in recent years
  - Rates among Black females continue to decline
- Males were primarily <u>White</u>, <u>MSM</u>, and <u>younger</u>
  - MSM/IDU and Hispanics are also highly affected
- More females were <u>White</u>, <u>older</u>, and report <u>Heterosexual</u> risks than in 2013
  - However, black females continue to be affected more



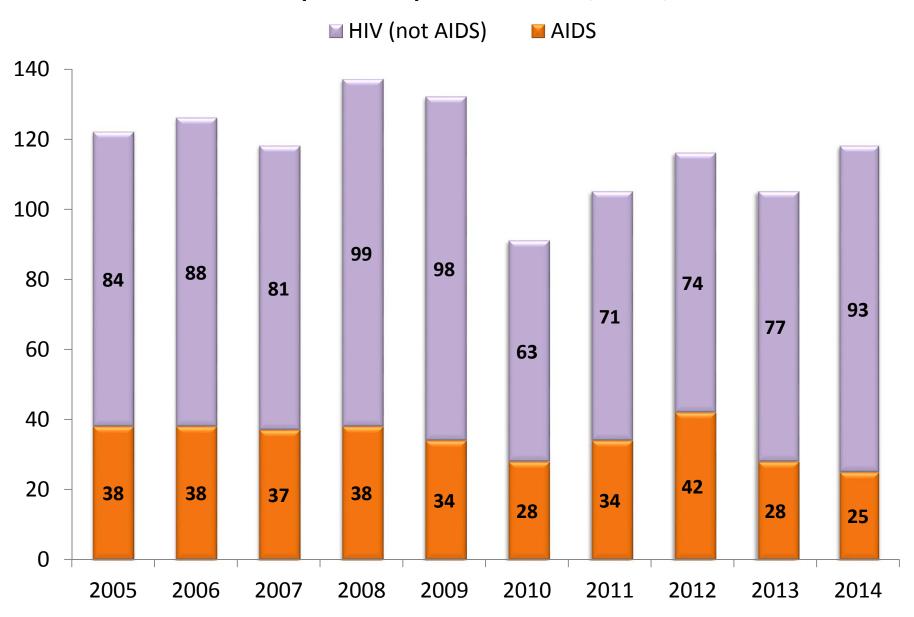
#### **AIDS AT DIAGNOSIS**

Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS) is a progressed stage of HIV infection (eg. Stage 3).

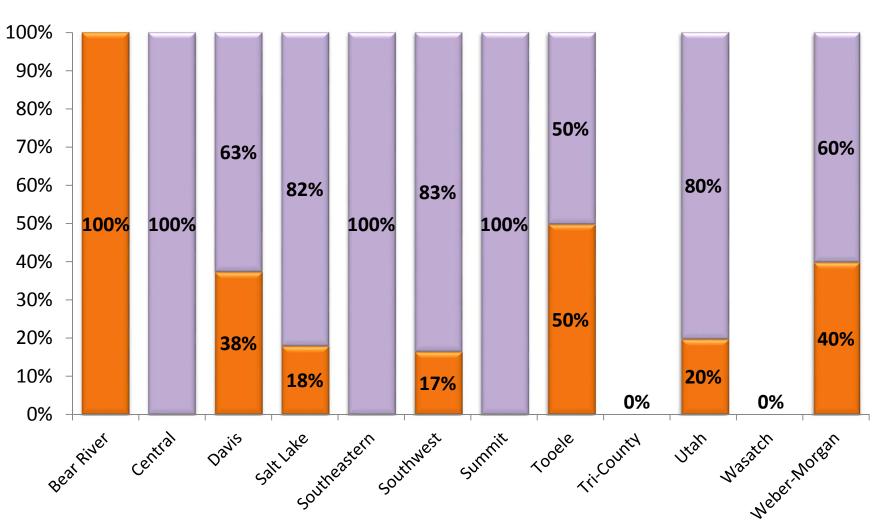
Persons infected with HIV who progress to AIDS prior to diagnosis are considered to have a prolonged infection without testing. People unaware of their infection will unknowingly continue to spread the virus and develop poor health.



#### Number of HIV (not AIDS) & AIDS Cases, Utah, 2005-2014



#### Percentage of AIDS Cases at Time of Diagnosis by LHD, Utah, 2014

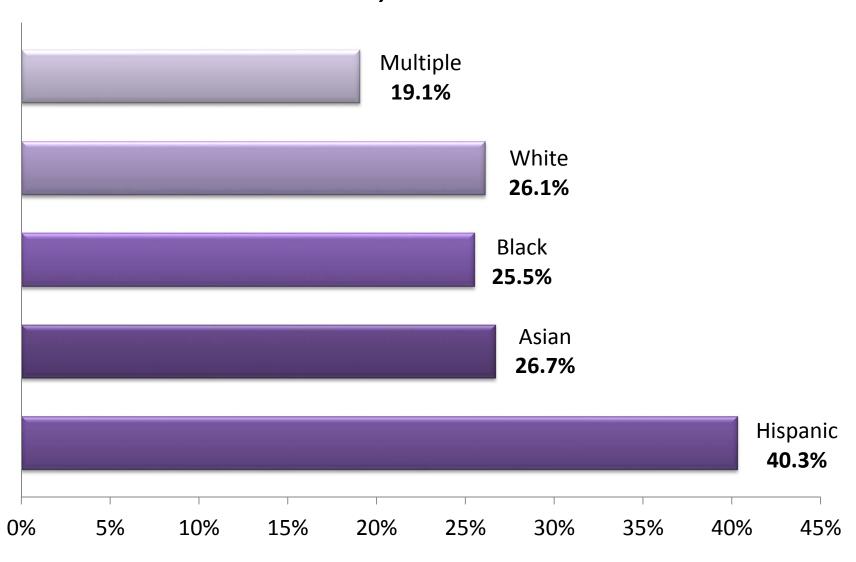


# Clinical Stage at Time of Diagnosis by Local Health District

- Only 21% of the new infections in Utah had progressed to AIDS at the time of HIV diagnosis
- Within the Wasatch Front, Salt Lake County had the lowest proportion of AIDS at diagnosis (18%)
- Outside the Wasatch Front, 25% of the new cases were AIDS at the time of diagnosis, compared to 21% along the Wasatch Front

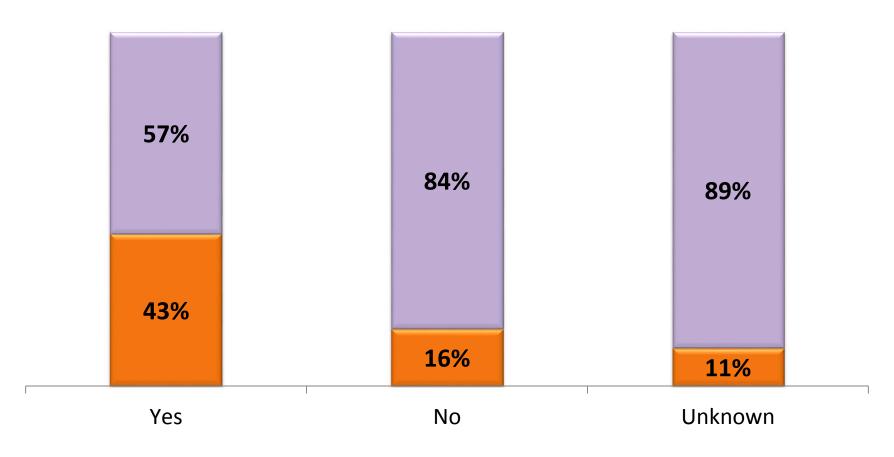


### Percent of AIDS at Diagnosis by Race/Ethnicity, Utah, 2005-2014



#### Percentage of AIDS Cases at Time of Diagnosis by Foreign-born status, Utah, 2014

■ % AIDS
■ % HIV (not AIDS)



**Foreign-born Status** 

#### **AIDS at Diagnosis Summary**

- AIDS at HIV diagnosis has steadily decreased in recent years
- Over the last 10 years, Hispanics have the highest rate of being AIDS at the time of HIV diagnosis compared to other races
- Individuals who were foreign-born were also more likely to be AIDS at HIV diagnosis during 2014





