

# **HIV and AIDS in Colorado**

## **Monitoring the Epidemic**

(Through June 30, 2004)



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**AIDS IN COLORADO**  
**Cases reported through**  
**June 30, 2004**

Category	Total AIDS Cases		Living with AIDS Cases	
	Number	(Percent)	Number	(Percent)
<b>Total</b>	8155	100.0%	3684	100.0%
<u>Sex</u>				
Male	7514	92.1%	3323	90.2%
Female	641	7.9%	361	9.8%
<u>Race</u>				
White-not Hispanic	5818	71.3%	2434	66.1%
Black-not Hisp	951	11.7%	520	14.1%
Hispanic-all races	1275	15.6%	670	18.2%
Asian/PacIsl-not Hisp	35	0.4%	18	0.5%
Am Indian-not Hisp	59	0.7%	28	0.8%
Multiple Races-not Hisp	17	0.2%	14	0.4%
<u>Age at Diagnosis</u>				
0-4	21	0.3%	3	0.1%
5-12	9	0.1%	5	0.1%
13-19	33	0.4%	17	0.5%
20-24	215	2.6%	106	2.9%
25-29	1094	13.4%	433	11.8%
30-39	3907	47.9%	1762	47.8%
40-49	2088	25.6%	1019	27.7%
over 49	788	9.7%	339	9.2%
<u>Exposure Category:</u>				
Male/Male Sex (MSM)	5486	67.3%	2346	63.7%
Injecting Drug Use (IDU)	759	9.3%	400	10.9%
MSM and IDU	895	11.0%	356	9.7%
Transfusion Recipient	76	0.9%	15	0.4%
Hemophilia	82	1.0%	24	0.7%
Heterosexual Contact <sup>1</sup>	487	6.0%	307	8.3%
Risk not Identified <sup>2</sup>	342	4.2%	225	6.1%
Mother with Risk for HIV Infection	26	0.3%	10	0.3%
Health Care Worker Exposure	2	0.0%	1	0.0%
<u>Year of Diagnosis</u>				
	Number		Living	Percent <sup>3</sup>
1982 -1986	358		2	0.6%
1987	276		10	3.6%
1988	370		23	6.2%
1989	489		53	10.8%
1990	538		52	9.7%
1991	676		81	12.0%
1992	669		166	24.8%
1993	732		261	35.7%
1994	652		311	47.7%
1995	584		371	63.5%
1996	459		340	74.1%
1997	363		283	78.0%
1998	329		258	78.4%
1999	311		261	83.9%
2000	341		298	87.4%
2001	290		251	86.6%
2002	320		291	90.9%
2003	306		284	92.8%
2004 Jan-June	92		88	95.7%

<sup>1</sup> Heterosexual contact with a person who is HIV infected or at increased risk for HIV.

<sup>2</sup> "Risk not identified" refers to persons whose mode of exposure to HIV is unknown. This includes persons under investigation; persons who died, were lost to follow-up or declined interview; and persons whose mode of exposure to HIV remains unidentified after investigation.

<sup>3</sup> Percentage of total diagnosed with AIDS in each year.

## AIDS and HIV (non-AIDS) in Colorado Diagnosed and Reported July 2003 through June 2004

CATEGORY	AIDS Cases		HIV Cases <sup>4</sup>		Positive Anonymous Tests <sup>5</sup>	
	July 2003 - June 2004 Number (Percent)		July 2003 - June 2004 Number (Percent)		July 2003 - June 2004 Number (Percent)	
<u>Sex</u>						
Male	187	83.9%	209	87.1%	19	82.6%
Female	36	16.1%	31	12.9%	4	17.4%
<u>Race</u>						
White-not Hispanic	117	52.5%	142	59.2%	12	52.2%
Black-not Hisp	42	18.8%	42	17.5%	3	13.0%
Hispanic-all races	55	24.7%	51	21.3%	4	17.4%
Asian/PacIsl-not Hisp	3	1.3%	2	0.8%	0	0.0%
Am Indian-not Hisp	3	1.3%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%
Multiple Races-not Hisp	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	2	8.7%
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	8.7%
<u>Age at AIDS diagnosis or HIV diagnosis</u>						
0-4	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
5-12	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
13-19	1	0.4%	8	3.3%	0	0.0%
20-24	6	2.7%	39	16.3%	2	8.7%
25-29	13	5.8%	37	15.4%	2	8.7%
30-39	83	37.2%	80	33.3%	8	34.8%
40-49	81	36.3%	57	23.8%	7	30.4%
over 49	39	17.5%	19	7.9%	1	4.3%
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	13.0%
<u>Exposure Category</u>						
Male/male sex (MSM)	116	52.0%	131	54.6%	12	52.2%
Injecting Drug Use (IDU)	31	13.9%	16	6.7%	1	4.3%
MSM and IDU	17	7.6%	16	6.7%	1	4.3%
Transfusion Recipient	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Hemophilia	1	0.4%	1	0.4%	0	0.0%
Heterosexual Contact <sup>1</sup>	21	9.4%	28	11.7%	2	8.7%
Risk not identified <sup>2</sup>	37	16.6%	48	20.0%	7	30.4%
Mother with risk for HIV infection	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<sup>4</sup> Persons reported with HIV infection who are not known to have progressed to AIDS as of this report date.

<sup>5</sup> Because these test results lack personal identifiers, they may not represent unique individuals and may already be included among reported HIV or AIDS cases.

<sup>6</sup> County of residence at the time of AIDS diagnosis (AIDS) cases or at the time of testing positive for HIV (HIV cases).

<sup>7</sup> Includes 136 AIDS cases and 94 HIV cases diagnosed in the state or federal prison system.

**AIDS AND HIV (NON-AIDS) BY COUNTY IN COLORADO**  
Cases reported through June 30, 2004

COUNTY <sup>6</sup>	AIDS	HIV <sup>4</sup>	DEATHS <sup>8</sup>
ADAMS	395	244	239
ALAMOSA	11	4	7
ARAPAHOE	624	459	342
ARCHULETA	2	0	*
BACA	2	0	*
BENT	3	0	*
BOULDER	282	252	144
BROOMFIELD	2	6	0
CHAFFEE	7	5	3
CLEAR CREEK	11	6	*
CONEJOS	2	1	*
COSTILLA	4	1	*
CROWLEY	0	1	*
CUSTER	2	0	*
DELTA	8	6	6
DENVER	4827	3918	2981
DOUGLAS	55	33	22
EAGLE	34	26	9
EL PASO	550	454	323
ELBERT	8	2	5
FREMONT <sup>7</sup>	136	94	49
GARFIELD	18	23	7
GILPIN	10	5	*
GRAND	9	8	*
GUNNISON	4	1	*
HINSDALE	1	1	*
HUERFANO	8	4	*
JACKSON	1	0	*
JEFFERSON	505	322	279
KIT CARSON	3	0	*
LAKE	1	3	*
LA PLATA	19	20	8
LARIMER	137	98	66
LAS ANIMAS	11	14	11
LINCOLN	1	6	*
LOGAN	10	4	6
MESA	54	47	25
MINERAL	0	1	*
MOFFAT	6	5	*
MONTEZUMA	6	6	3
MONTROSE	10	2	3
MORGAN	19	12	13
OTERO	8	6	2
OURAY	1	0	*
PARK	14	3	4
PHILLIPS	3	0	*
PITKIN	22	22	*
PROWERS	6	3	*
PUEBLO	124	89	70
RIO BLANCO	1	1	*
RIO GRANDE	6	4	*
ROUTT	8	9	4
SAGUACHE	7	1	*
SAN JUAN	2	2	*
SAN MIGUEL	2	7	*
SEDGWICK	0	1	*
SUMMIT	30	20	11
TELLER	6	2	4
WASHINGTON	1	1	*
WELD	111	74	58
YUMA	5	3	*
UNKNOWN	0	18	1
<b>COLORADO TOTAL</b>	<b>8155</b>	<b>6360</b>	<b>4775</b>

<sup>8</sup> Includes 4471 deaths among AIDS cases and 304 deaths among persons with HIV infection. To calculate the number of living cases, subtract the number of deaths from the sum of the AIDS and HIV columns.

\* In counties with less than 15,000 population, total HIV and AIDS cases will be reported; race, exposure category, age and mortality status will not be reported.