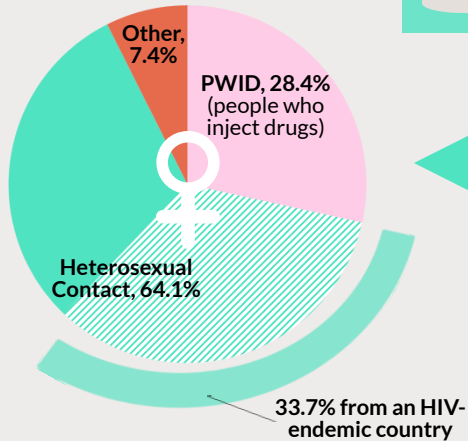
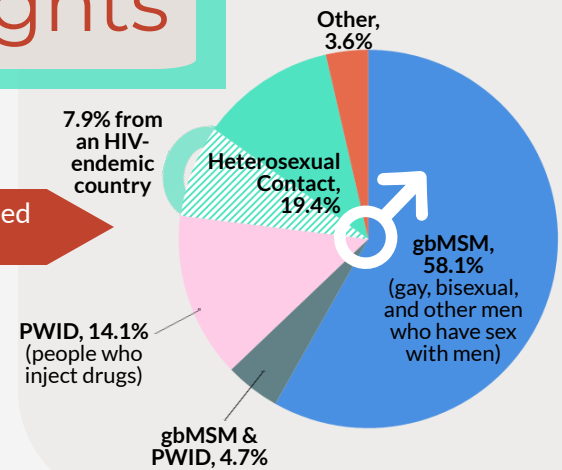


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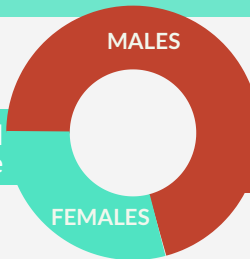
Reported HIV cases by exposure category in adult females



Reported HIV cases by exposure category in adult males



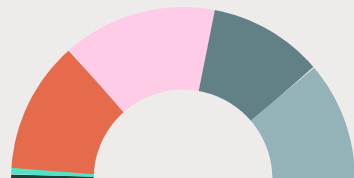
29.3% of newly diagnosed cases were female



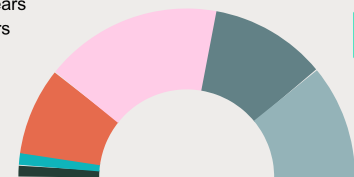
70.7% of newly diagnosed cases were male

2561 NEWLY
DIAGNOSED CASES
OF HIV IN 2018

Distribution of new HIV cases, by age group and sex

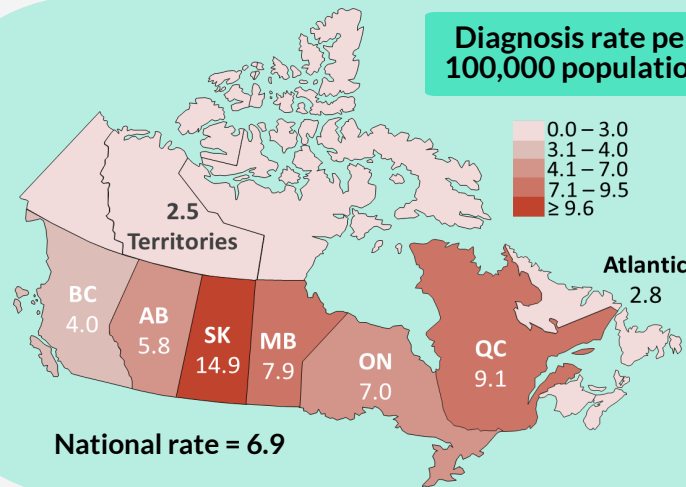


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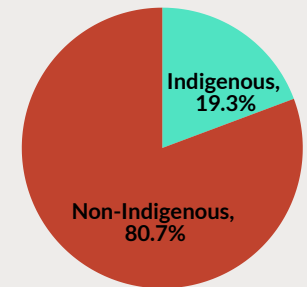


Females

Diagnosis rate per 100,000 population



Reported HIV cases by Indigenous or non-Indigenous status



In 2018:

- Diagnosis rate increased from 6.5 per 100,000 population in 2017 to 6.9 per 100,000 population in 2018
- gbMSM accounted for the highest percentage by exposure category, but this percentage has decreased over time
- Number and rate of female diagnoses increased

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259 infants exposed to HIV in pregnancy
96.5% of HIV positive mothers on perinatal antiretroviral therapy (ART)

5 infants were infected with HIV:
2 mothers were on ART
3 mothers were not on ART