

LOUISIANA CAN

END THE HIV EPIDEMIC



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In 2021, Louisiana ranked **3rd** in the nation for HIV diagnosis rates.

As of September 2023 Louisiana had a total of

229,744

people living with HIV, with

67.5%

being black non-Hispanic.



As of September 2023, the parishes with the highest numbers of PLWH include:

Orleans
5,092

East Baton Rouge
4,182

Jefferson
2,180

Caddo
1,413

PLWH=People Living With HIV

In 2022, an estimated



1 in 6 people living with HIV in Louisiana were undiagnosed and did not know their HIV status.

63% OF PEOPLE NEWLY DIAGNOSED WITH HIV / AIDS IN LOUISIANA WERE **BLACK.**

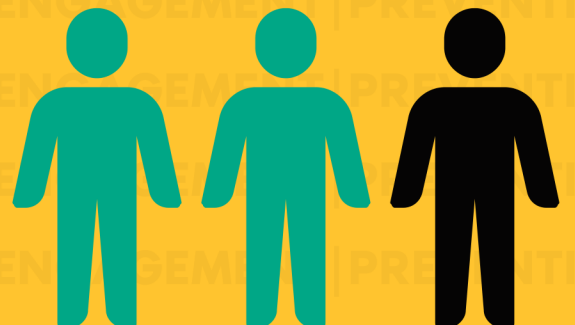
LOUISIANA'S OVERALL **BLACK** POPULATION IS **32%**

Among persons in Louisiana living with

HIV
in 2022

2 in 3 were black, 70% were male, over half were over

45 YEARS OLD.



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