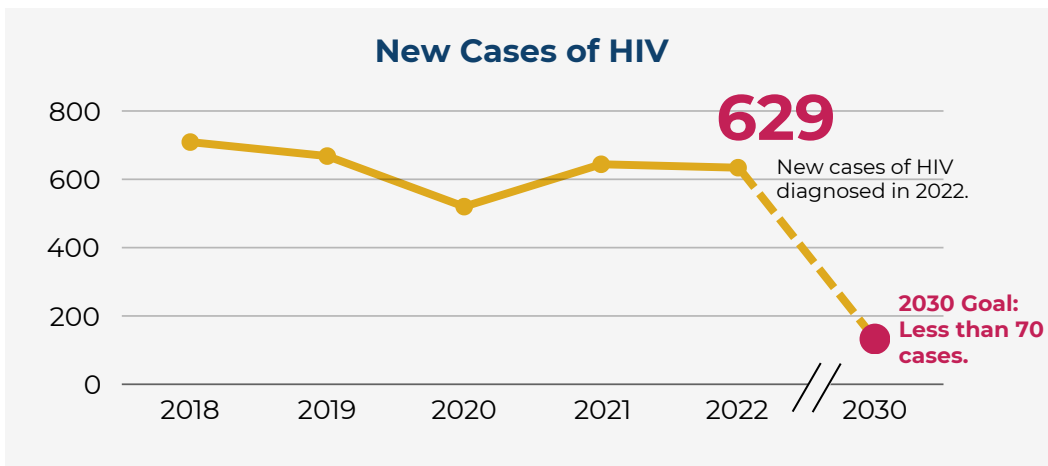


# Ending HIV Together

**Michigan's Equitable Plan** is an effort by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) to **reduce new HIV infections by 90% by 2030** through increased diagnosis, treatment, prevention and coordinated response.



Due to past and current systemic racism in health care, **Black/African American** and **Latino** individuals were disproportionately impacted by new diagnoses—with rates of **eight times** and **four times** greater than white people, respectively, in 2022.



To realize this ambitious vision, MDHHS and its partners are working to achieve the following four goals to reduce new HIV infections:

## Goal One

Increase the number of people tested for HIV and sexually transmitted infections (STIs) statewide.

## Goal Two

Increase retention of people with HIV in ongoing care.

## Goal Three

Increase pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) referrals among eligible people who test negative for HIV.

## Goal Four

Increase capacity and implementation of activities for detecting and responding to HIV networks and outbreaks.

To achieve these goals, we must understand where we are right now and where we have been.

### Goal One

### HIV Testing

29,668 → 32,800

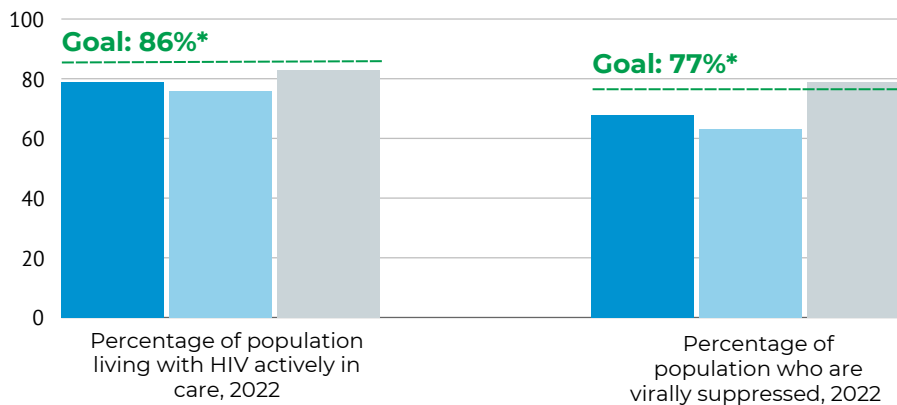
Number of state-funded tests in 2022.

Goal for state-funded tests by 2027.



### Goal Two

### Retention in Care



**Black/African Americans** and **people age 20-35** with HIV are less likely to be retained in care compared to **white, cisgender counterparts**.

However, all persons are impacted by systemic failures such as racism, education, housing, access to quality health care, etc. While eliminating disparities is critical, the goal is to improve care for all.

- Black/African Americans
- People age 20-35
- White, cisgender men

\*Goals reflect five-year targets from the plan baseline (2022).

### Goal Three

### PrEP Referrals

In 2022, **nearly half (46%)** of all individuals who tested negative for HIV on a state-funded test and were eligible for PrEP received a referral.



**Goal: By 2027, 65% of all individuals who are eligible and test negative for HIV receive a PrEP referral.**

### Goal Four

### HIV Network Detection

Respond quickly to potential HIV outbreaks to get prevention and treatment services to people who need them.

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**HIV networks have been identified and responded to since 2021.** The goal is to continue expanding capacity to respond to outbreaks using network detection.



## MDHHS and its partners have engaged in wide-ranging planning efforts leading to Michigan's Equitable Plan:

**2019**

- Ending the HIV Epidemic in Wayne County workgroups convened.



**2021**

- Statewide working group established to lead the creation of the Integrated Prevention and Care Plans.

**2020**

- Community input sessions hosted throughout the Detroit area.
- Forums hosted with medical providers, faith leaders and community organization staff.

**2022**

- Regional forums hosted with providers throughout Michigan.
- *2022–2026 Integrated HIV Prevention and Care Plan and Coordinated Statement of Need* published. This is a required planning document that occurs every five years in HIV programs (including the City of Detroit) that assures community input and data informed activities.

**2021**

- *Ending the HIV Epidemic in Wayne County* plans published.

**2024**



**Launching of Ending HIV Together: Michigan's Equitable Plan**

### Ongoing Contributions and Work

- **Continued engagement** with Michigan HIV/AIDS Advisory Council (MHAC) and Southeast Michigan HIV/AIDS Advisory Council (SEMHAC).
- **Experience and lessons learned** from professionals, policymakers and communities engaged in HIV prevention and treatment.

## Key activities in Michigan's Equitable Plan to reduce new HIV infections by 90% by 2030:

**Goal One: Expand access** to HIV testing through routine testing in emergency departments, mobile testing sites and at-home test kits. Testing strategies also integrate STIs and viral hepatitis.

**Goal Two: Reduce barriers** to care by providing innovative health care solutions, such as offering telehealth for people without transportation and increasing the number of centers offering both HIV/STI testing and care and wraparound services.

**Goal Three: Partner** with providers, health systems, community organizations, pharmacists and others to develop and improve PrEP access and uptake practice.

**Goal Four: Increase** coordination and sharing of best practices from HIV network detection and response efforts across sectors.



To learn more about the full plan, progress, existing resources, upcoming training and community engagement opportunities, visit [Michigan.gov/EndHIV](https://Michigan.gov/EndHIV).