

NATIONAL BLACK HIV/AIDS AWARENESS DAY

FEBRUARY 7

GET EDUCATED. GET TESTED. GET INVOLVED. GET TREATED

In the U.S...

Black Americans make up almost half of all new HIV diagnoses each year, despite representing only 12% of the US population.

In recent years, HIV rates among black women in the US have declined.

Other Races 55%

New HIV Diagnoses (2016)

Black American 12%

U.S. Population (2016)

Black American

Other Races

88%

In Louisiana...

161 infants were born to HIV-infected mothers and exposed to HIV in 2015; 90% were black.

In 2017, the HIV diagnosis rate for Black Americans is almost five times higher than the HIV diagnosis rate for whites.

Black Americans make up 32% of the state's population; however in 2017...

66%

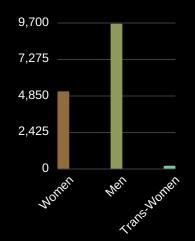
of new HIV diagnoses were black.

70%

of new AIDS diagnoses were black. 68%

of all persons living with HIV were black.

Number of Black Americans Living with HIV (Louisiana, 2017)



In Louisiana **14,932**Black Americans are living with HIV as of December 31, 2017



