

Area 11A

Service Needs of People Living with HIV/AIDS in Florida: Results from the 2016 Florida Needs Assessment for People Living with HIV/AIDS in Service Area 11A

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Table 1. Respondent characteristics (Sample size=247)

Characteristic	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Gender		
Male	61.2	150
Female	38.4	94
Transgender (Male to Female)	0.4	1
Transgender (Female to Male)	0.0	0
Other	0.0	0
Sexual Orientation		
Heterosexual	61.2	142
MSM	26.7	62
Bisexual	11.6	27
Lesbian	0.4	1
Ethnicity		
Non-Hispanic	34.3	104
Hispanic	48.8	73
Haitian	16.9	36
Race		
Black or African American	53.9	126
White/Caucasian	34.6	81
Mixed/more than one race	10.7	25
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0.9	2
Asian	0.0	0
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0	0
Other	0.0	0
Age		
Younger than 30	6.6	14
30-39	11.4	24
40-49	25.1	53
50-59	40.3	85
60 and older	16.6	35
Education		
Less than high school graduate	19.9	47
High school diploma/GED	36.4	86
Some college	25.4	60
Completed college	13.6	32
Post graduate	4.7	11
Annual Income		
No income (\$0.00)	18.4	45
Under \$6,000	20.5	50
\$6,000-\$11,999	20.1	49
\$12,000-\$21,999	20.1	51
\$22,000-\$31,999	13.1	32
\$32,000-\$41,999	4.9	12
\$42,000 or more	2.0	5

Table 2. Distribution of respondents, by gender and race

	Male		Female	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent	Sample (N)
White	41.6	59	22.2	20
Black	45.1	64	68.9	62
Mixed	12.0	17	8.9	8
Other	1.4	2	0.0	0

Table 3. Distribution of respondents, by gender and sexual orientation

	Male		Female		Other	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Heterosexual	42.1	59	91.0	81	100.0	1
Lesbian	-	-	1.1	1	0.0	0
Bisexual	14.3	20	7.9	7	0.0	0
MSM	43.6	61	-	-	0.0	0

Table 4. Access and utilization of HIV-related services in Florida, 2016

Service	Received service (%)	Received service but hard to get (%)	Needed service but unable to get (%)	Did not need service (%)
Outpatient Medical Care	91.4	4.1	1.6	2.9
Case Management	92.2	5.7	0.4	1.6
Medications	91.3	5.8	1.2	1.7
Dental/Oral Health	74.3	12.0	5.3	8.4
Health Insurance	58.4	7.4	4.8	29.4
Mental Health Service	47.5	4.2	1.7	46.6
Substance Abuse Treatment	23.6	1.7	0.4	74.3
Nutritional Counseling	35.0	2.2	8.9	54.0
Early Intervention Services	60.9	2.5	4.2	32.4
Home Health Care	20.2	0.9	1.3	77.6
Hospice Services	12.8	0.0	1.3	85.8
Food Bank or Food Vouchers	30.1	3.9	9.6	56.3
Transportation	50.7	4.3	4.8	40.3
Outreach	26.3	1.3	2.7	69.6
Health Education/Risk Reduction	65.0	0.9	4.7	29.5
Treatment Adherence	78.7	0.9	0.9	19.6
Legal Support	41.2	2.2	9.2	47.4
Rehabilitation	23.0	1.8	2.7	72.5
Peer Mentoring	50.4	3.4	3.0	43.1
Housing	21.8	5.0	20.0	53.2
Other	16.1	2.4	12.5	69.1

Table 5. Proportion of respondents with and without service gaps

	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
No service gaps	63.4	156
One service gap	17.1	42
More than one service gap	19.5	48

Table 6. Proportion of respondents with and without service gaps, by gender

	Male		Female		Other	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
No service gaps	66.4	99	60.6	57	0.0	0
One service gap	14.1	21	20.2	19	100.0	1
More than one service gap	19.5	29	19.2	18	0.0	0

Table 7. Proportion of respondents with and without service gaps, by race

	White		Black		Mixed		Other	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
No service gaps	72.5	58	57.1	72	64.0	16	100.0	2
One service gap	8.8	7	22.2	28	20.0	5	0.0	0
More than one service gap	18.8	15	20.6	26	16.0	4	0.0	0

Table 8. Barriers to HIV-related services in Florida, 2016

Barriers	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Services were not available in my county	4.9	12
I did not know where to get services	10.9	27
I could not get an appointment	5.7	14
I could not get transportation	6.5	16
I could not get someone to watch my children	1.2	3
I could not pay for services	6.5	16
I did not want people to know that I have HIV	8.9	22
I could not get time off work	3.2	8
I had a bad experience with the staff	6.1	15
Services were not in my language	2.0	5
I did not qualify for services	8.1	20
Other	8.5	21

Note: Percentages will not add up to 100% since respondents could mark more than one answer.

Table 9. Percent of respondents receiving care in and outside their county of residence

	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Same County	97.3	219
Mixed	1.3	3
Different County	1.3	3

Note: Same County=Received care in same county where they live, Mixed=Received care in same county where they live and in another county, and Different County=Received care in a different county than where they live.

Table 10. Percent of respondents receiving care in and outside their county of residence, by gender

	Male		Female	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Same	96.4	133	98.8	84
Mixed	2.2	3	0.0	0
Different	1.5	2	1.2	1

Note: Same County=Received care in same county where they live, Mixed=Received care in same county where they live and in another county, and Different County=Received care in a different county than where they live.

Table 11. Percent of respondents receiving care in and outside their county of residence, by race

	White		Black		Mixed		Other	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Same	97.3	72	96.5	110	100.0	23	100.0	2
Mixed	0.0	0	2.6	3	0.0	0	0.0	0
Different	2.7	2	0.9	1	0.0	0	0.0	0

Note: Same County=Received care in same county where they live, Mixed=Received care in same county where they live and in another county, and Different County=Received care in a different county than where they live.

Table 12. Reasons for getting care outside county of residence

Reasons	Mixed		Different	
	Percent (%)	Sample (N)	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Services are not available in my county	0.0	0	0.0	0
I am not satisfied with services provided in my county	0.0	0	0.0	0
I do not want people to know that I have HIV	0.0	0	0.0	0
I get care at a clinic that is closer to where I live or work	0.0	0	0.0	0
Other	33.3	1	33.3	1

Note: Percentages will not add up to 100% since respondents could mark more than one answer.

Table 13. Most frequent counties with respondents seeking care outside the county

County	Percent (%)	Sample (N)
Gadsden	7.1	36
Orange	5.7	29
Martin	5.5	28
Lake	4.1	21
Santa Rosa	3.9	20
Seminole	3.3	17

Figure 1. Distribution of survey responses, by Service Area

