



Bureau of Infectious Disease and Laboratory Sciences

Office of HIV/AIDS and Office of Research and Evaluation

Status Report – National HIV Behavioral Surveillance Study (NHBS)

Reportable Disease: HIV

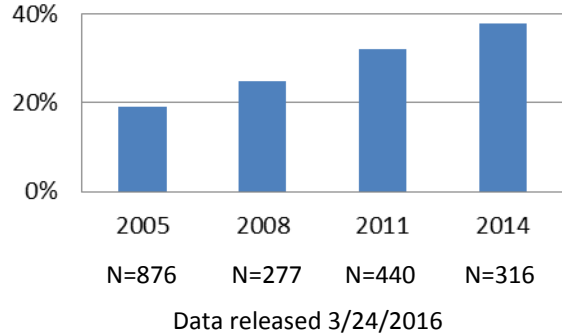
- Of the 1,553 men diagnosed with HIV/AIDS in Massachusetts from 2011-2014, 61% reported MSM as primary risk.
- Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) is medication for HIV-uninfected individuals at high risk for sexually acquired HIV infection to prevent new infection.
- Surveys of men who have sex with men (NHBS and American Men's Internet Survey (AMIS) in Metro Boston indicate:
 - Increased reports of high risk sex.
 - Over half of the men surveyed in 2014 have heard of PrEP and around 50% would be willing to take it.
 - Among men willing to take PrEP, 80% had private insurance.

For more information

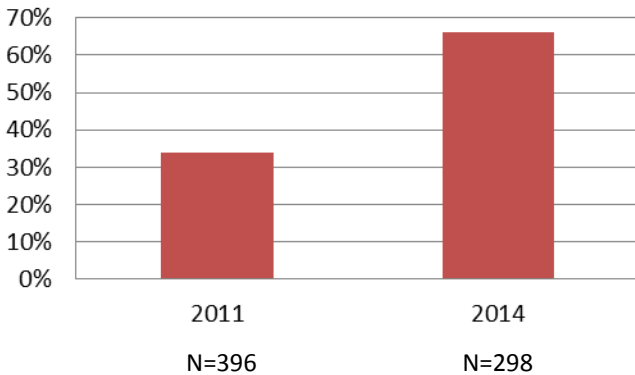
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Percent of Men in NHBS Reporting Anal Sex in the Previous 12 Months Without Using a Condom, by Year

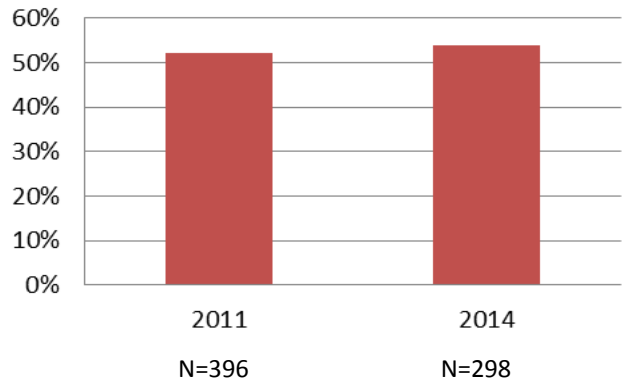


Percentage of Men in NHBS Reporting hearing of anti-HIV (PrEP) Medication, by Year

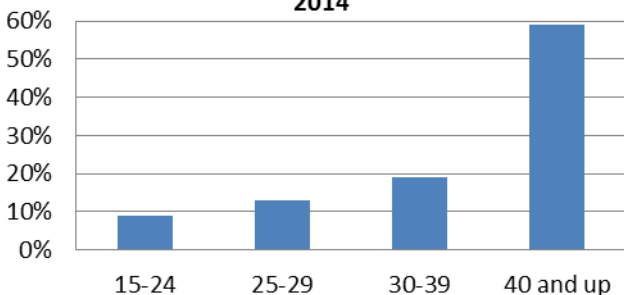


NHBS MSM Data
Released 3/24/2016
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Percentage of Men in NHBS Reporting Willingness to take PrEP, by Year



Percentage of men in AMIS Reporting Having Heard of anti-HIV (PrEP) Medication, by Age, 2014



AMIS Data
Released 12/28/2015

Percentage of Men in AMIS Reporting Willingness to take PrEP, by Insurance Status, 2014

