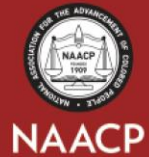




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## HIV in Jacksonville

### HIV Landscape

According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), there are more than 103,696 people living with an HIV diagnosis in Florida. Below is a snapshot of the epidemic in Jacksonville:

- People living with HIV in Jacksonville (2014): 6,553
- New HIV diagnoses in Florida (2015): 4,849
- New HIV diagnoses in Jacksonville (2015): 309
- 65% of people living with an HIV diagnosis in Jacksonville in 2014 were men, 35% were women
- 64% of people living with an HIV diagnosis in Jacksonville in 2014 were black, 6% Hispanic/Latino, and 27% white
- In 2014, 63.1% of Jacksonville-area HIV cases in men were from male-to-male sexual contact, 6.8% were from injection drug use, and 6.3% were from injection drug use and male to male sexual contact
- In 2014, 83.3% of Jacksonville-area HIV cases in women were from heterosexual contact, and 12.9% were from injection drug use

**Rates of Black & White Persons Living with an HIV Diagnosis, by County, Jacksonville, FL, 2015**



### The Importance of HIV Testing

The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) estimates that more than 1.1 million people in the United States are living with HIV, yet nearly 1 in 7 people living with HIV are unaware of their status. In the United States, the Black community bears the greatest burden of the HIV epidemic, more than any other racial or ethnic group. While African Americans represent just 12% of the total population, they account for 41% of all people living with HIV and 44% of all new infections.

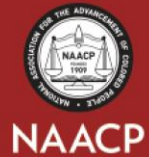
Experts recommend voluntary, opt-out routine HIV screening in health-care settings for all adults, and repeat screening at least annually for those at high risk. Pregnant women and newborns whose mother's HIV status is unknown should also be tested.

The U.S. Preventive Services Task Force gives a "Grade A" recommendation for HIV testing for everyone 15 to 65 years old. Younger adolescents and older adults with increased risk should also be tested. This is in line with the 2006 CDC HIV testing recommendations, and is a positive step forward in making HIV screening a routine medical practice. For more information, visit [www.TheBlackChurchandHIV.org](http://www.TheBlackChurchandHIV.org).





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## Jacksonville Testing Sites

The following list of HIV testing sites is at <http://AIDSVu.org/Testing>.

### **River Region Human Services Incorporated**

610 Julia St  
Jacksonville, FL 32204  
904-301-1147

### **Sulzbacher Center Medical Clinic**

611 E Adams St  
Jacksonville, FL 32202  
904-394-1356

### **Florida Department of Health in Duval County**

515 W 6th St  
Jacksonville, FL 32206  
904-253-1000

### **APEL Health Services Center Incorporated**

1225 W Beaver St  
Jacksonville, FL 32204  
904-353-2514

### **UF CARES**

655 W 8th St  
Jacksonville, FL 32209  
904-244-2120

### **UF Health Jacksonville**

655 W Eighth St  
Jacksonville, FL 32209  
904-383-1037

### **River Region Human Services Incorporated**

382 Park St  
Jacksonville, FL 32204  
904-899-6300

### **Jacksonville Area Sexual Minority Youth Network**

Incorporated  
923 Peninsular Pl  
Jacksonville, FL 32204  
904-389-3857

### **Gateway Community Services Incorporated**

555 Stockton Street  
Jacksonville, FL 32204  
904-387-4661

### **AIDS Healthcare Foundation**

2 Shircliff Way  
Jacksonville, FL 32204  
904-381-9651

### **Florida Department of Health in Duval County**

5300 N Pearl St  
Jacksonville, FL 32208  
904-353-2130

### **Agape/South Jacksonville Health Center**

1736 University Blvd S  
Jacksonville, FL 32216  
904-253-1100

### **Planned Parenthood of South East and North Florida Incorporated**

5978 Powers Ave  
Jacksonville, FL 32217  
904-399-2800

### **Florida Department of Health in Duval County**

5150-9 Timuquana Rd  
Jacksonville, FL 32210  
904-253-1000

### **Florida Department of Health in Duval County**

2344 Third St S  
Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250  
904-253-2555

### **Bear Run Clinic**

3229 Bear Run Blvd  
Orange Park, FL 32065  
904-272-3177

### **Florida Department of Health in Nassau County**

45377 Mickler St  
Callahan, FL 32011  
904-530-6800

