



## HIV and HCV Testing and Diagnosis Indicators

Indicator 14: Number of new HIV diagnoses identified	
Description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of individuals identified with a new positive HIV test from testing administered or hosted by CBOs.</li> </ul>
Significance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New diagnoses may be influenced by expanded screening efforts and decreased in incidence due to expanded ART (BCCfE &amp; BCCDC, 2015).</li> </ul>
Data source	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provincial HIV/AIDS surveillance database at BCCDC</li> </ul>
Possible disaggregation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New positive identified by testing administered vs. hosted by CBOs</li> <li>New positives by health authority, gender, age, exposure category</li> </ul>
Limitations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnosis with HIV can occur at varying lengths of time after infection. Therefore this is not a measure of incidence (BCCfE &amp; BCCDC, 2015).</li> </ul>

## References

1. BC Centre for Excellence in HIV/AIDS & BC Centre for Disease Control. (2015). HIV Monitoring Quarterly Report: Technical Report. Retrieved from: <http://www.cfenet.ubc.ca/publications/centre-documents/hiv-monitoring-quarterly-reports-fourth-quarter-2014>

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