

Table 6.72

State prisoners known to be positive for the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)

By sex, region, and State, 1995

Region and State	Male HIV cases		Female HIV cases	
	Number	Percent of total custody population ^a	Number	Percent of total custody population ^a
Total	20,690	2.3%	2,182	4.0%
Northeast	11,080	7.5	1,182	14.7
Connecticut	627	4.6	128	13.4
Maine	4	0.3	0	X
Massachusetts	340	3.5	69	10.5
New Hampshire	17	0.9	14	11.4
New Jersey	748	3.4	99	9.8
New York	8,678	13.4	822	22.7
Pennsylvania	561	1.8	29	2.0
Rhode Island	105	3.9	21	14.5
Vermont	0	X	0	X
Midwest	1,553	0.9	114	1.2
Illinois	528	1.5	55	2.5
Iowa	18	0.3	2	0.5
Kansas	24	0.4	0	X
Michigan	364	0.9	15	0.8
Minnesota	41	0.9	5	2.5
Missouri	164	0.9	9	0.8
Nebraska	19	0.7	0	X
North Dakota	1	0.2	1	2.7
Ohio	324	0.8	22	0.8
South Dakota	3	0.2	0	X
Wisconsin	67	0.6	5	1.0
South	6,598	1.8	740	3.2
Alabama	209	1.1	13	1.0
Arkansas	79	1.0	4	0.7
Florida	1,971	3.3	222	6.1
Georgia	747	2.3	81	4.0
Kentucky	40	0.4	1	0.2
Louisiana	299	1.8	15	2.4
Maryland	665	3.3	59	5.5
Mississippi	136	1.4	2	0.3
North Carolina	437	1.7	89	5.3
Oklahoma	105	0.8	10	0.8
Tennessee	118	0.9	2	0.5
Texas	1,648	1.4	242	3.0
Virginia	134	0.6	0	X
West Virginia	10	0.4	0	X
West	1,459	0.7	146	1.0
Alaska	5	0.2	0	X
Arizona	128	0.6	12	0.8
California	957	0.8	85	0.9
Colorado	87	1.0	6	0.8
Hawaii	12	0.5	0	X
Idaho	11	0.4	0	X
Montana	4	0.3	0	X
Nevada	93	1.3	24	4.6
New Mexico	23	0.6	1	0.3
Oregon	25	0.3	4	0.9
Utah	29	0.8	2	0.9
Washington	81	0.7	11	1.4
Wyoming	4	0.3	1	1.1

Note: See Note, table 6.71. Indiana and the District of Columbia did not report HIV/AIDS data for 1995; Delaware and South Carolina did not report HIV/AIDS data by sex for 1995. Sex of prisoners was not reported for 502 HIV cases.

^aPercent calculations for State totals and regional totals exclude prisoners in jurisdictions that did not report data on HIV/AIDS or the sex of prisoners.

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