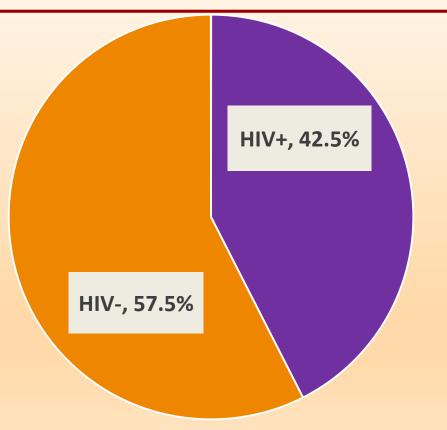
Syphilis Diagnosis in HIV Care

Jeffrey Hitt, M. Ed., Director Infectious Disease Prevention and Health Services Bureau Prevention and Health Promotion Administration

> NCSD Annual Meeting November 17, 2017



Syphilis/HIV Co-infection, Maryland, 2014-2016





Syphilis/HIV Co-infection, Maryland, 2014-2016



Evidence of Missed Opportunities to Dx Syphilis

Late latent syphilis diagnoses in the past 3 years;

HIV+ at least 12 months prior to syphilis diagnosis;

Number of viral load tests in 12 months before syphilis diagnosis

(exclude concurrent or within one week VL/syphilis dx)



Viral Loads Prior to Late Latent Syphilis Diagnosis

1.9 2 1 - 7 Average Median Range



Thank you

Jeffrey Hitt, M. Ed. Director Infectious Disease Prevention and Health Services Bureau Maryland Department of Health Jeffrey.hitt@maryland.gov

