





Sexually Transmitted Diseases

The rate per 100,000 for infectious syphilis is well below the state level in all but Duval County. In fact, the Duval County rate has been higher than the state level since 2008 and has been increasing. Levels of syphilis have dropped in Nassau, Putnam and St. Johns Counties. Still, rates in Duval and Putnam Counties lie above the state level. Chlamydia rates have been on the rise in all counties, and the 2010 rates in Duval and Putnam Counties are higher than the state level.

For both new HIV and new AIDS cases, Duval County is the only county in the assessment region that has rates higher than the state of Florida. The HIV/AIDS death rates have fallen or stayed the same in every county of the assessment region.

Source: *Community Health Needs Assessment, 2012*

Chlamydia Incidence Rate per 100,000 Persons

Location	Rate	Status
County : Clay		
2012	381.7	
2014	361.3	
County : Duval		
2012	617.2	
2014	644.0	
County : Nassau		
2012	263.2	
2014	218.8	
County : St. Johns		
2012	215.9	
2014	361.3	

Source: www.nefloridacounts.org

Wolfson Children's Hospital FY13-14 Community Benefit



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The Healthy People 2020 national health targets focus on reducing the rate of transmission of sexually transmitted diseases. The objective is to screen 70.9% women ages 16-20 for Chlamydia infection. For syphilis, the objective is 1.3 new cases among females and 6.7 new cases among males per 100,000 persons.

Programs:

Health education
Strategic Investments

Strategies:

1. Partner with community organizations that serve youth such as JASMYN to provide clinic support for evaluation, education and treatment of STDs.
2. Provide a nurse at The Bridge of Northeast Florida and Youth Crisis Center who coordinates educational sessions for the youth on STDs.

Program Results:

FY13

No results for this reporting period.

FY14

- 39 participants, ages 16-20, in the Tipping the Scale Mentoring program attended four sessions on sexual education
- As a result of this education, youth increased their knowledge and understanding of STD and pregnancy prevention

FY15

- 45 participants, ages 16-18, in the Tipping the Scale Mentoring Program attended 4 sessions on sexual education
- As a result of this education, youth increased their knowledge and understanding of Sexually Transmitted Diseases and pregnancy prevention.

Strategic Investments:

FY13

- The Bridge of Northeast Florida educated youth on sexually transmitted diseases

FY14

- PACE Center for Girls of Jacksonville Straight Talk Health Clinic served 196 girls served; 99% avoided pregnancy, 93% used contraception, 92% remained STI free
- The Bridge of Northeast Florida educated 250 youth on sexually transmitted diseases
- Support was provided to Planned Parenthood of North Florida for youth education

FY15

- PACE screened and educated 186 girls for STDs, 15 received treatment
- Planned Parenthood conducted 976 screenings for chlamydia and gonorrhea and provided treatment for 176 positive tests to women and men under age 25
- Support was provided to JASMYN to provide STD education and other services to youth

- The Bridge of Northeast Florida educated 45 youth on sexually transmitted diseases in partnership with the Florida Department of Health - Duval

Partners:

JASMYN

PACE Center for Girls of Jacksonville

Planned Parenthood of North Florida

The Bridge of Northeast Florida