

# **HIV epidemic in Croatia**

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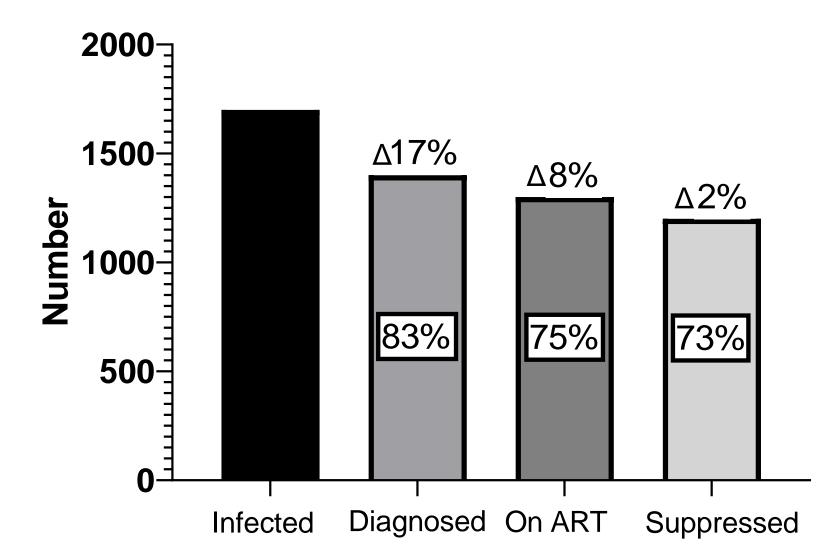
#### **HIV care**

- Croatia has a centralized system of care, all people living with HIV (PLWH) are treated at the University Hospital for Infectious Diseases in Zagreb
- Patients do not need referral from primary care physicians
- The hospital pharmacy dispenses ART for all PLWH and clinicians verify that the patient has the drugs before he/she leaves the hospital
- Patient information has been kept in an electronic database since 1997

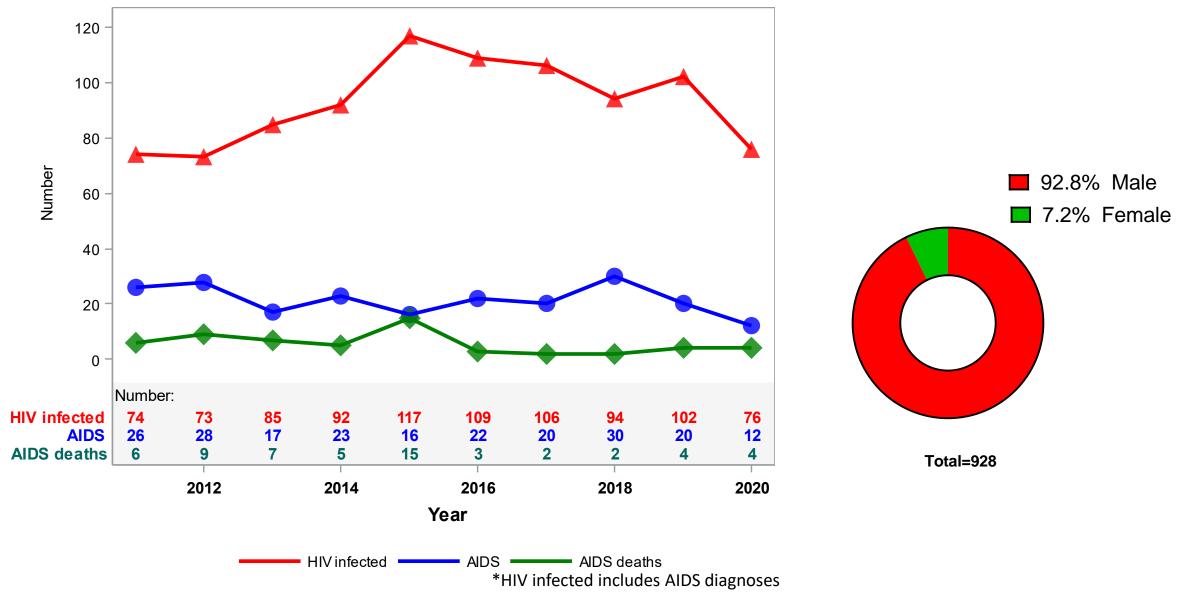
### Croatia 2020 - UNAIDS data

Adults and children living with HIV	1700 [1400 - 2000]
People living with HIV who know their status	1400
Percent of people living with HIV who know their status	83 [69 - >98]
People living with HIV who are on ART	1300
Percent of people living with HIV who are on ART	75 [61 - 89]
People living with HIV who have suppressed viral loads	1200
Percent of people living with HIV who have suppressed viral	
loads	73 [60 - 87]

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## New HIV and AIDS diagnoses by year, AIDS-related deaths and gender distribution in Croatia (2011–2020)



ECDC. HIV/AIDS surveillance in Europe 2021 (2020 data)

## New HIV diagnoses according to mode of transmission by year of diagnosis in Croatia (2011–2020)

