

AIDS in Blacks

Of the 992,865 AIDS cases reported to CDC through 2006, blacks accounted for

40% of total

60% of women

59% of heterosexual persons at high risk*

59% of children aged <13 years

Of AIDS cases reported during 2006, 48% were in black adults and adolescents.



* High-risk heterosexual contact with a person known to have, or to be at high risk for, HIV infection.

