Women and HIV
Did You Know?

AROUND ONE IN FOUR
PEOPLE WITH HIV
IS A WOMAN

NEW DIAGNOSES

59% Black/African American*
20% White
16% Hispanic/Latina†
4% Other Races/Ethnicities

NOT ALL WOMEN
ARE EQUALLY
AFFECTED BY HIV

HALF OF THE
WOMEN WITH HIV
HAVE ACHIEVED
VIRAL SUPPRESSION‡

For more info, go to www.cdc.gov/hiv

* Black refers to people having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa, including immigrants from the Caribbean, and South and Latin America. African American is a term often used for Americans of African descent with ancestry in North America. Individuals may self-identify as either, both, or choose another identity altogether.
† Hispanics/Latinas can be of any race.
‡ A person with HIV who takes HIV medicine as prescribed and gets and stays virally suppressed or undetectable can stay healthy and has effectively no risk of transmitting HIV to HIV-negative partners through sex.

Based on the latest data available in February 2019.