

Unmet Needs

The Indiana State Department of Health Staff administered the HIV Services Needs Assessment Survey for 2005 to 520 clients receiving HIV services in Indiana. Most respondents completed the survey in English, though 6 respondents completed a Spanish version. To identify the respondents' geographic location, the survey asked for zip code. Note that 51 respondents did not give their zip code; they are included in the total in the "Missing" row in Table 68.

Table 70: Number of Respondents by Community Planning Region, Indiana 2005

Planning Region	Primary City	Number of Respondents	Percent
1	Gary	57	11.0
2	Elkhart	32	6.2
3	Fort Wayne	58	11.2
4	Lafayette	14	2.7
5	Muncie	48	9.2
6	Indianapolis	142	27.3
7	Evansville/Terre Haute	51	9.8
8	Bloomington	26	5.0
9	Cincinnati Area	13	2.5
10	Louisville Area	28	5.4
Missing		51	9.8
Total		520	100.0

A majority of the respondents are male (419 or 80.6%), the remaining are female (90 or 17.4%) and transgender (7 or 1.3%). Four respondents did not offer their gender. The survey had relatively few respondents indicating their race as Asian (1), "Multi-racial" (14), and "Other" (2). For this reason, they are condensed into "Other Races." Table 69 shows the racial and ethnic distribution of the survey respondents.

Table 71: Number of Survey Respondents by Race and Ethnicity, Indiana 2005

Race	Number of Respondents	Percent
Black	101	19.4
Hispanic	32	6.2
White	369	71.0
Other Races	17	3.3
Missing	1	0.2
Total	520	100.0

A majority (432 or 83.1%) of respondents has been in Care Coordination for more than 12 months; the remaining 15.1% has been in Care Coordination for less than 12 months. See Table 70 for a breakdown.

Table 72: Number of Survey Respondents by Length of Time in Care Coordination Services, Indiana 2005

Length	Number of Respondents	Percent
Less than 3 months	26	5.0
3 to 12 months	51	9.8
More than 12 months	432	83.1
Missing	11	2.1
Total	520	100.0

A majority (57.9%) of respondents earn \$12,000 or less. See Table 71 for a complete breakdown of the annual household income of the respondents.

Table 73: Number of Survey Respondents by Annual Household Income, Indiana 2005

Annual Income	Number of Respondents	Percent
Less than \$6,000	140	26.9
\$6,000 to \$12,000	161	31.0
\$12,001 to \$18,000	83	16.0
\$18,001 to \$24,000	67	12.9
\$24,001 to \$30,000	33	6.3
More than \$30,000	22	4.2
Missing	14	2.7
Total	520	100.0

Most respondents rely upon ISDH Programs (214 or 41.2%) or Medicaid (157 or 30.2%) to pay for their medical expenses. See Figure 77 for a complete breakdown of how respondents pay for their medical expenses.

Figure 77: Number of Survey Respondents by Method of Medical Expense Payments, Indiana 2005

