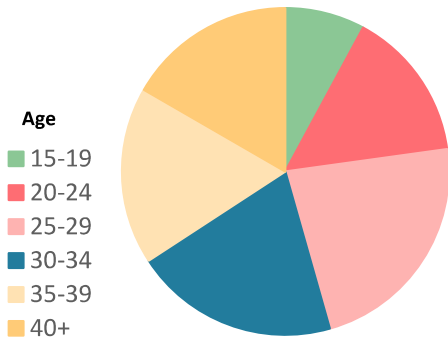
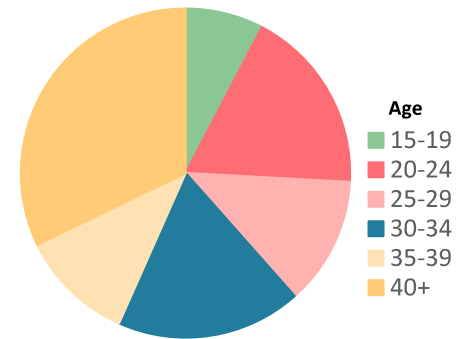


# At-A-Glance:

## A Summary of Primary & Secondary Syphilis in Fresno County (2021)

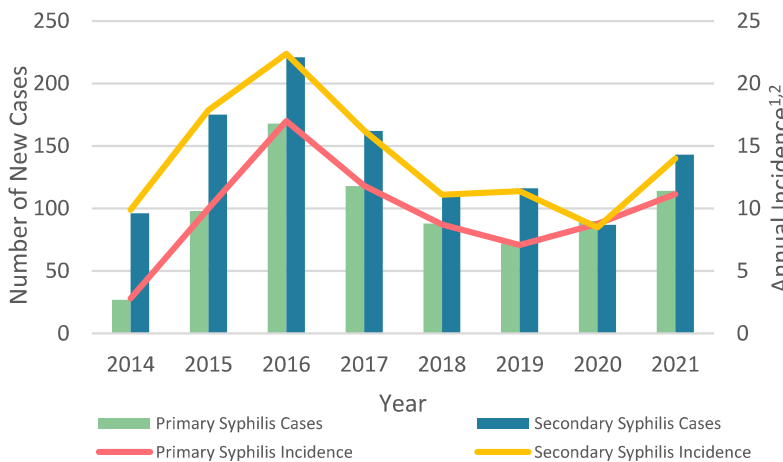


**Figure 1. Primary Syphilis Cases by Age (Fresno County, 2021).** The largest percent of cases of primary syphilis were found in ages 30-34.



**Figure 2. Secondary Syphilis Cases by Age (Fresno County, 2021).** The largest percent of cases of secondary syphilis were found in ages 40 and older.

**Figure 3. Fresno County's Primary and Secondary Syphilis Infection Trends by Year (2014-2021).** Primary & secondary syphilis had a steady increase in incidence from 2014-2016. Primary syphilis had a decline in cases from 2016-2019, with secondary syphilis cases continuing to decline into 2020. Both primary and secondary syphilis cases had increased in incidence by 2021.



**Table 1. Fresno County Primary and Secondary Syphilis Infection Incidence by Race (2021).** Hispanics have the largest number of new cases, in both primary and secondary syphilis. However, Blacks/African Americans have the highest incidence in both disease categories.

Race/Ethnicity:	Incidence <sup>1</sup> (N) <sup>2</sup>	
	Primary Syphilis	Secondary Syphilis
American Indian/ Alaska Native	--	--
Asian/Pacific Islander	--	--
Black/African American	32 (16)	28 (14)
Hispanic <sup>3</sup>	11 (60)	12 (65)
White	9 (27)	15 (47)

**Note:** Race/Ethnicity was not specified for 3.37% of primary syphilis and 3.49% of secondary syphilis cases in the 2021 year. Rates were calculated using the California Department of Finance population estimates.

<sup>1</sup> Incidence is calculated per 100,000 persons

<sup>2</sup> N represents the total cases in that category

<sup>3</sup> Hispanic or Latino may include people from any race (i.e. American Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian/Pacific Islander, Black, White, and multi-racial)

<sup>1</sup>Incidence is calculated per 100,000 persons

<sup>2</sup>Incidence was calculated using CA Department of Finance population data

**Figure 4. Fresno County's Incident Cases of Primary and Secondary Syphilis by Gender (2021).** Males had a higher incidence of primary, secondary & early non-primary non-secondary syphilis, when compared to females.

**Note:** Those who identify as transgender, were collapsed into the gender with which they identify.

