

HIV/AIDS Residential Services Discussion for Los Angeles County

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Los Angeles County

Square Miles: 4,086
Population¹: 10.3 Million

Latino/a 47.0%
White 28.9%
Asian/PI 12.6%
African-American 9.0%
Native American 0.3%

Proportion of California
Population²: 29%

Proportion of California AIDS
Cases³: 36%

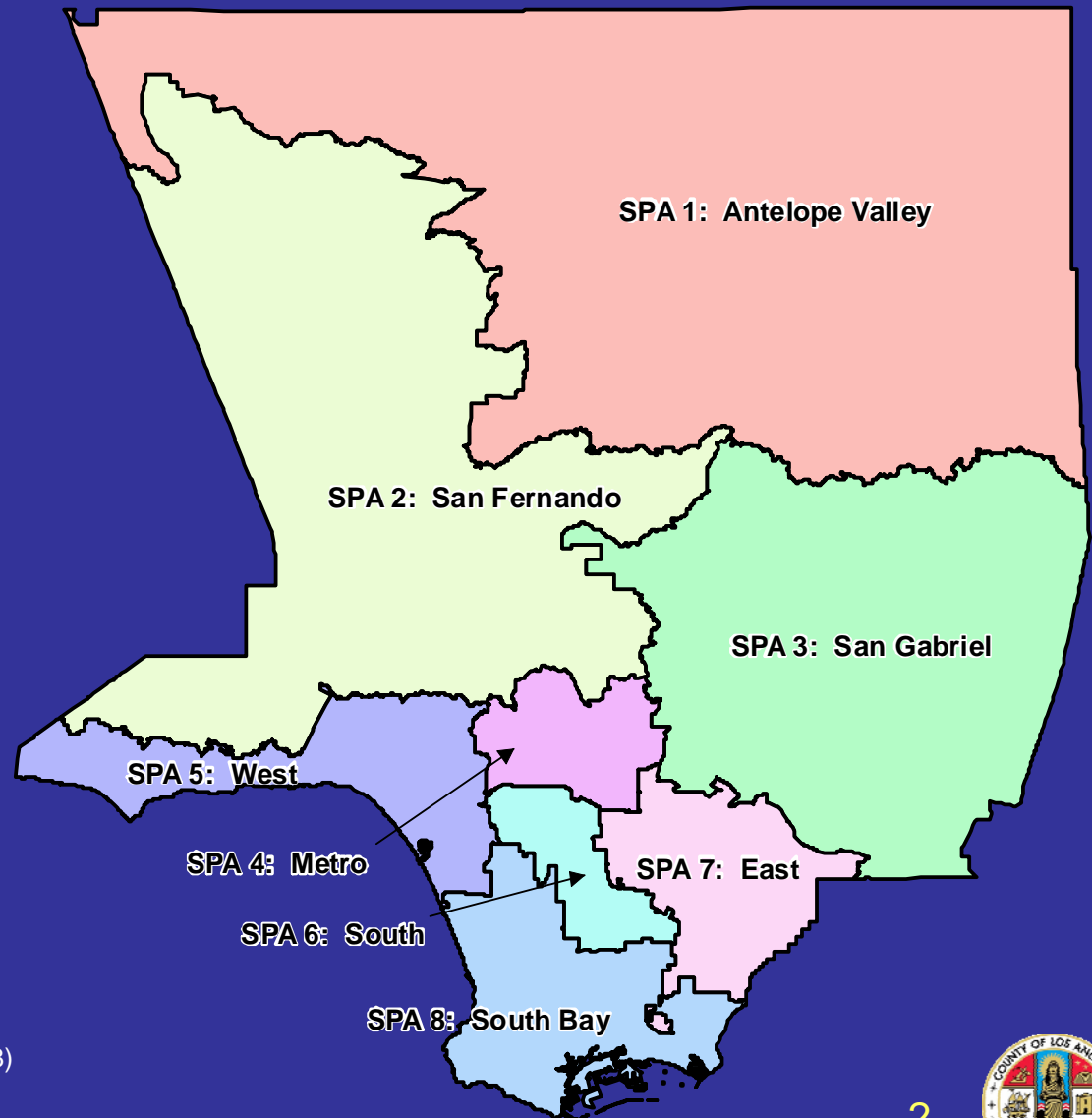
Proportion of U.S. AIDS
Cases³: 5%

Living with HIV/AIDS³:
60,000 (Estimated)

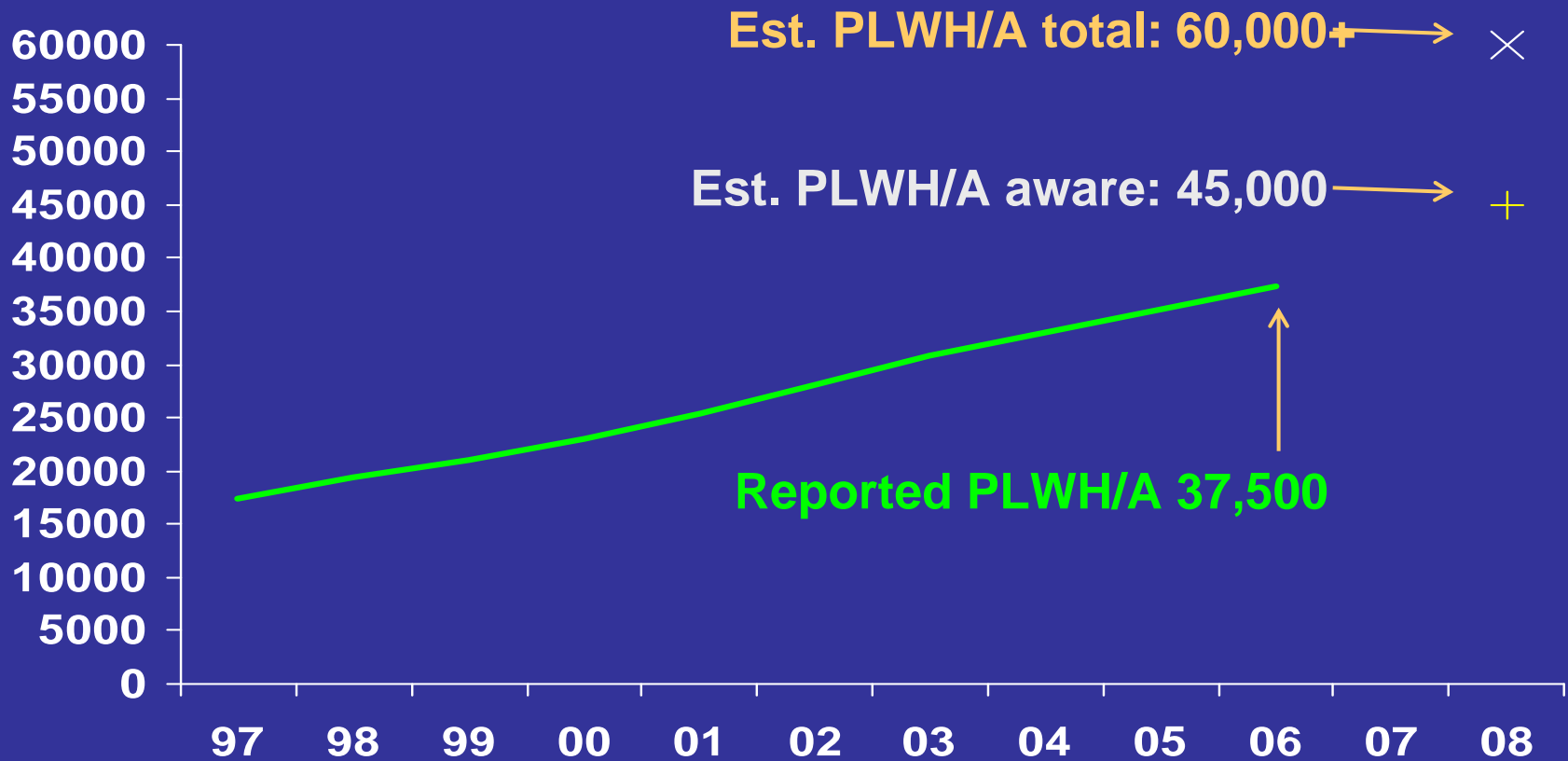
¹United Way, Los Angeles (2008)

²U.S. Department of Commerce (2008)

³Los Angeles County HIV Epidemiology Program (2008)



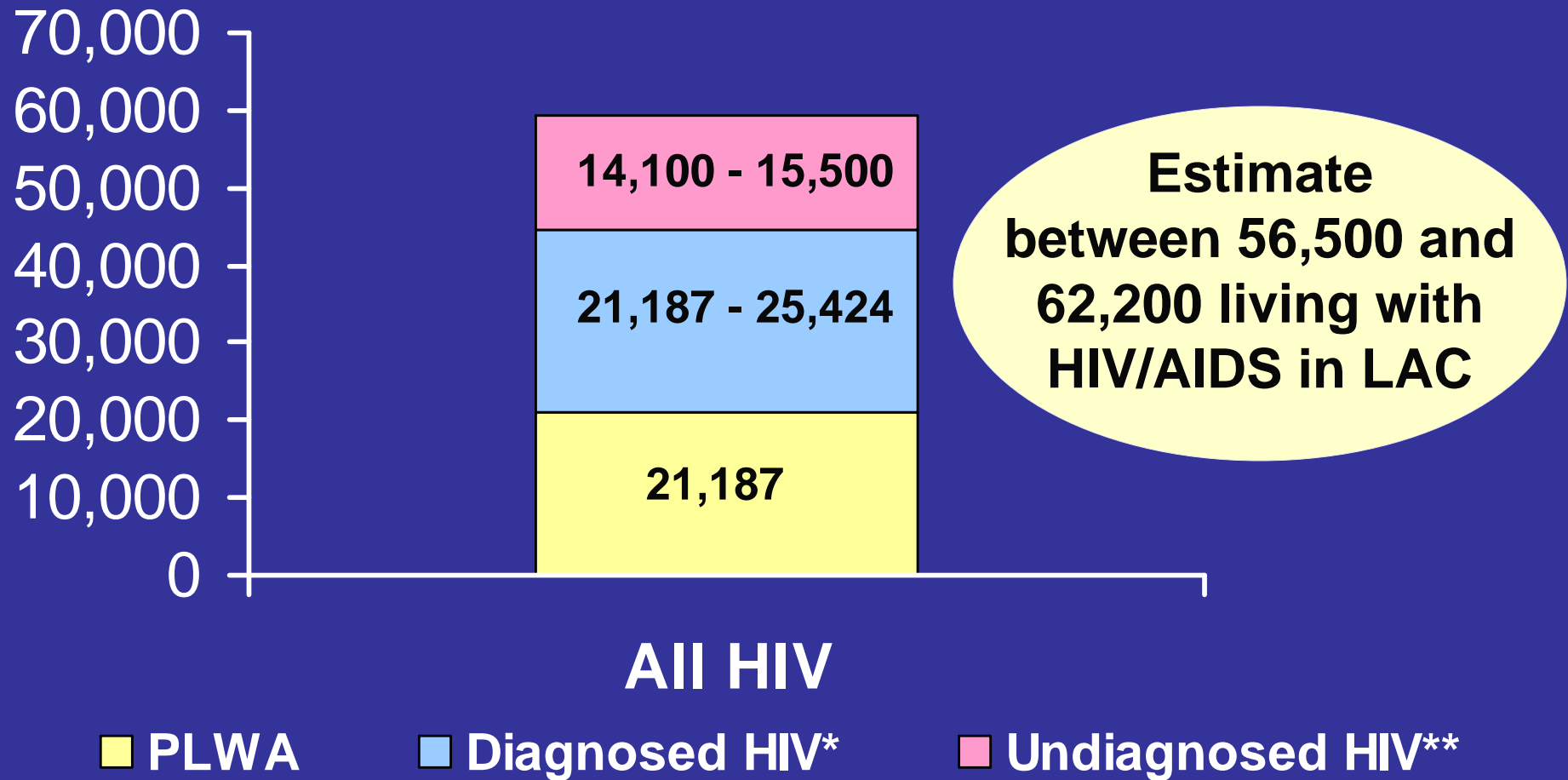
Persons Living with HIV/AIDS Reported by Calendar Year - LAC, 1997 - 2006



Source: HIV/AIDS Surveillance Summary, data as of March 31, 2008.



Estimated Number Living with HIV/AIDS in Los Angeles County as of April 2007



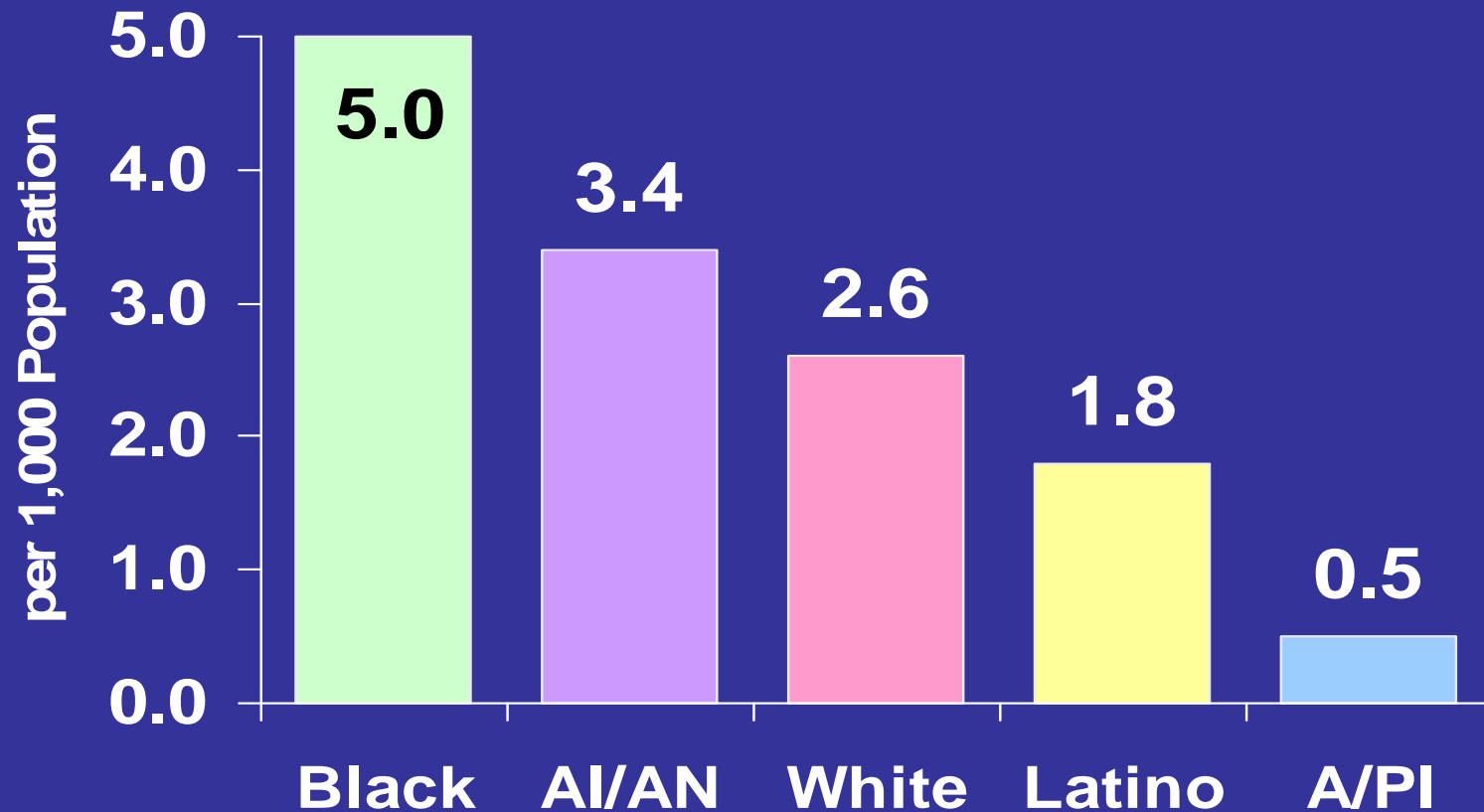
Source: HIV Epidemiology Program, LAC/DPH

* Estimates based on a range of 1:1 to 1.2:1 ratio of HIV (non-AIDS) to AIDS cases

** Estimates based on CDC's estimate that 25% are unaware of HIV infection (Glynn, 2005)



Persons Living with AIDS in LAC per 1,000 population by Race/Ethnicity



Source: HIV/AIDS Surveillance Summary, data as of December 2007.



AIDS Case Rates by Health District, 2007

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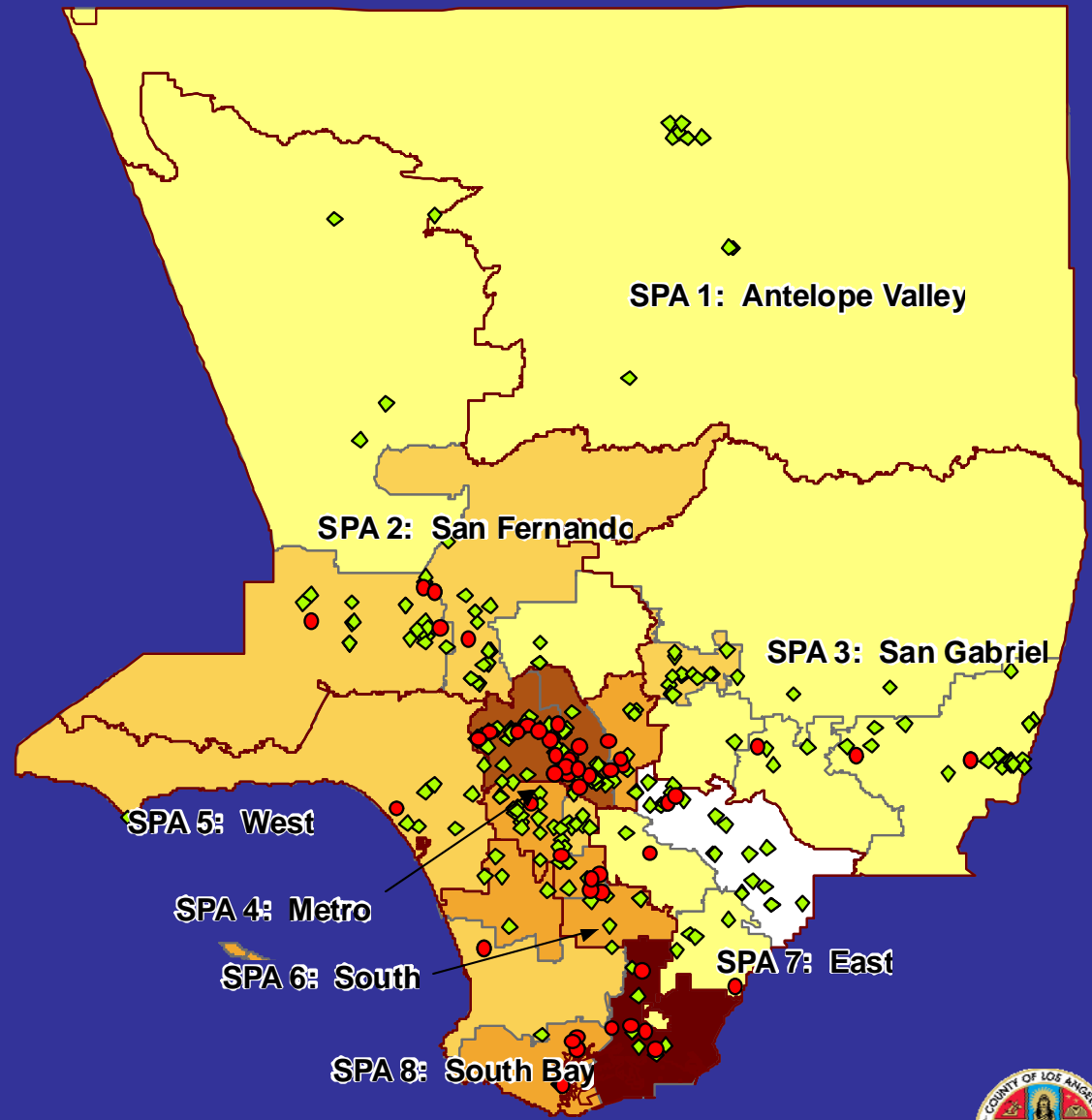
- HCT AGENCY Sites
- ◆ HCT Mobile Sites

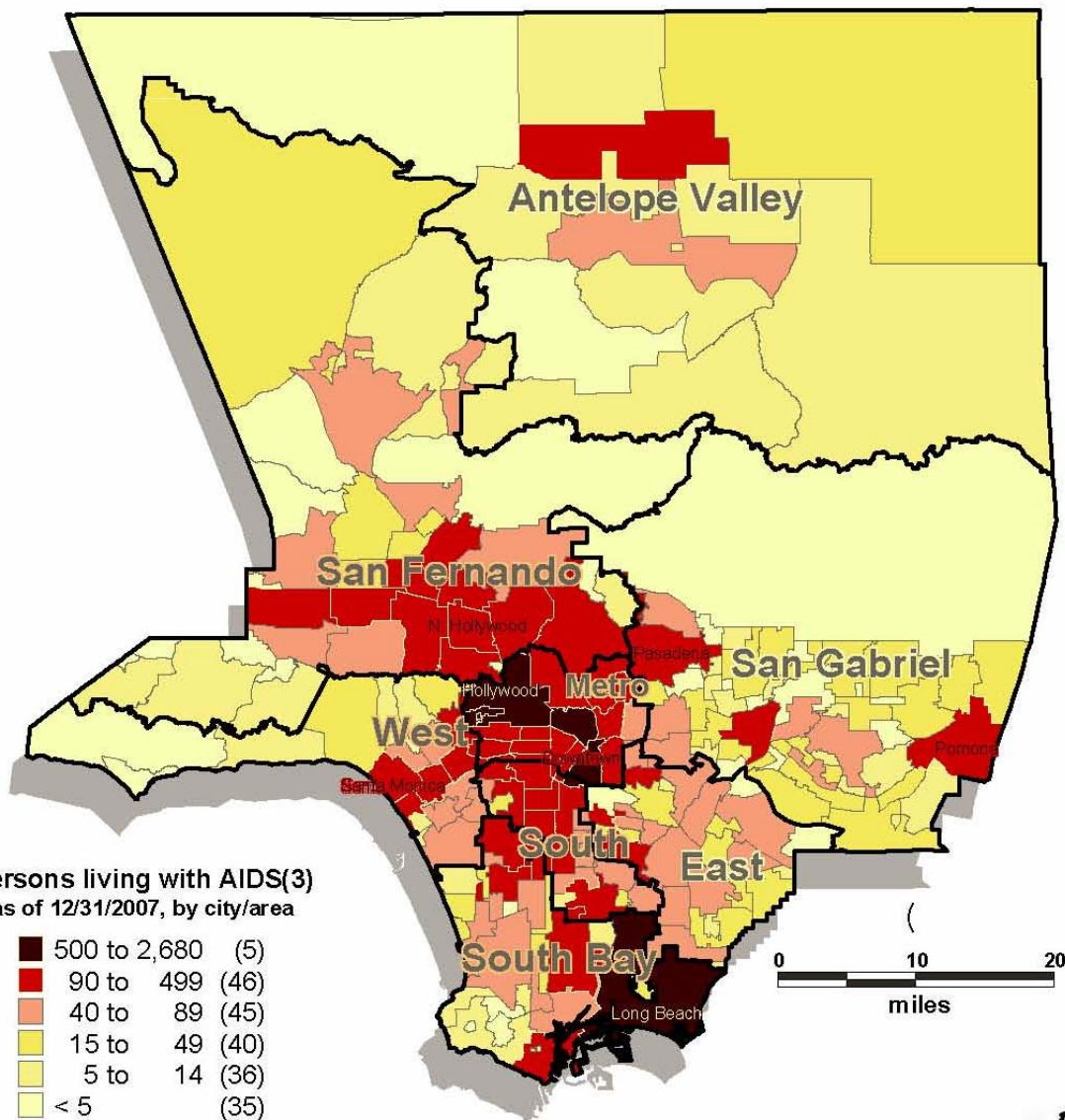
Health Districts

2007 AIDS Case Rates*

- 1 - 2
- 3 - 5
- 6 - 9
- 10 - 21
- 22 - 30

Service Planning Area

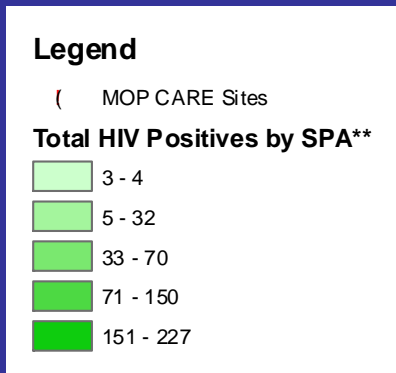




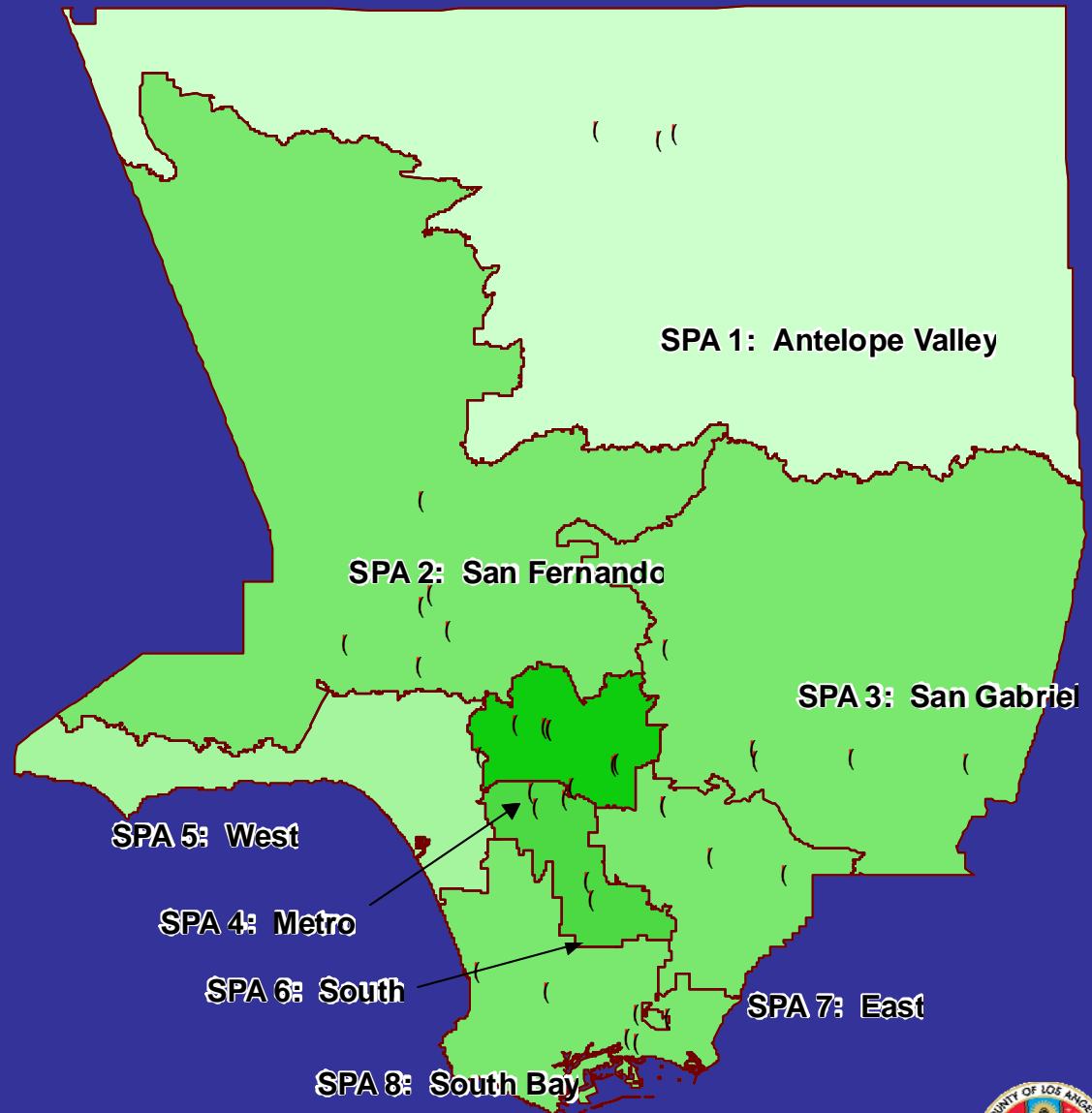
1. Data are provisional due to reporting delay for newly diagnosed cases and death reports.
2. Los Angeles City is broken down into "areas" or geographical units. The map does not reflect the actual boundaries of the cities/areas. Instead, the cities/areas are aggregated from the associated census tracts based on centroids.
3. Does not include 1,503 persons (7%) who had no specific address at time of the AIDS diagnosis.



Medical Outpatient Providers and Routine HIV Testing



**OAPP-funded sites



Source: HCT Data 2007, Casewatch Tear 17, Planning & Research Division, Clinical Services Division



OAPP Contracted Services: Clinical Services Division

- Ambulatory/Outpatient Medical Services
- AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)
- Complementary Therapy
- Counseling and Testing
- Early Intervention Program (EIP)
- Medical Nutrition Therapy
- Medical Specialty
- Oral Health Care
- Therapeutic Monitoring Program (TMP)
- Treatment Education



OAPP Contracted Services: Clinical Enhancement Services Division

- Adult Residential Facilities
- Case Management, Psychosocial
- Case Management, Transitional
- Family Case Management
- Home-Based Case Management
- Integrated Case Management
- Language Services
- Legal Services
- Mental Health, Psychotherapy
- Mental Health, Psychiatry
- Nursing Facility Services



OAPP Contracted Services: Clinical Enhancement Services Division (cont.)

- Nutrition Support Services
- Psychosocial Support, Peer Support
- Residential Housing – Emergency & Transitional
- Residential Care Facilities for the Chronically Ill
- Residential Hospice
- Substance Abuse Day Treatment
- Substance Abuse Residential Detoxification
- Substance Abuse Residential Rehabilitation
- Substance Abuse Transitional Housing
- Training Services
- Transportation



Los Angeles Coordinated HIV Needs Assessment of HIV+ Individuals (LACHNA)

- Collaborated effort between HIV Prevention Planning Committee, Commission on HIV, and OAPP
- Comprehensive needs assessment that will assist in strategic planning and allocating resources for LA County

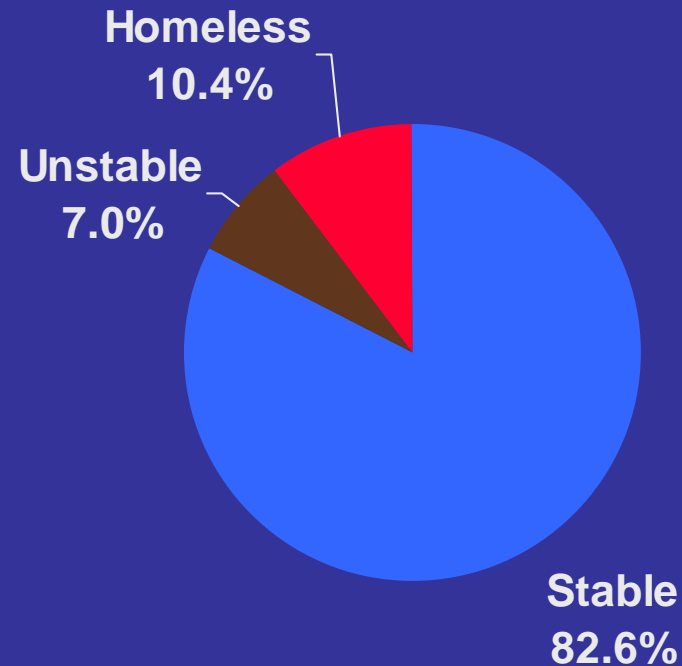


Living Situation

- Current Living Status
- Unstable and Currently Homeless
- Chronically Homeless
- Currently Homeless and Chronically Homeless



Current Living Status (N=575)



Note: Stable was defined as own or rent house/condo/apartment, live with family/friend (pay rent), SRO w/lease.

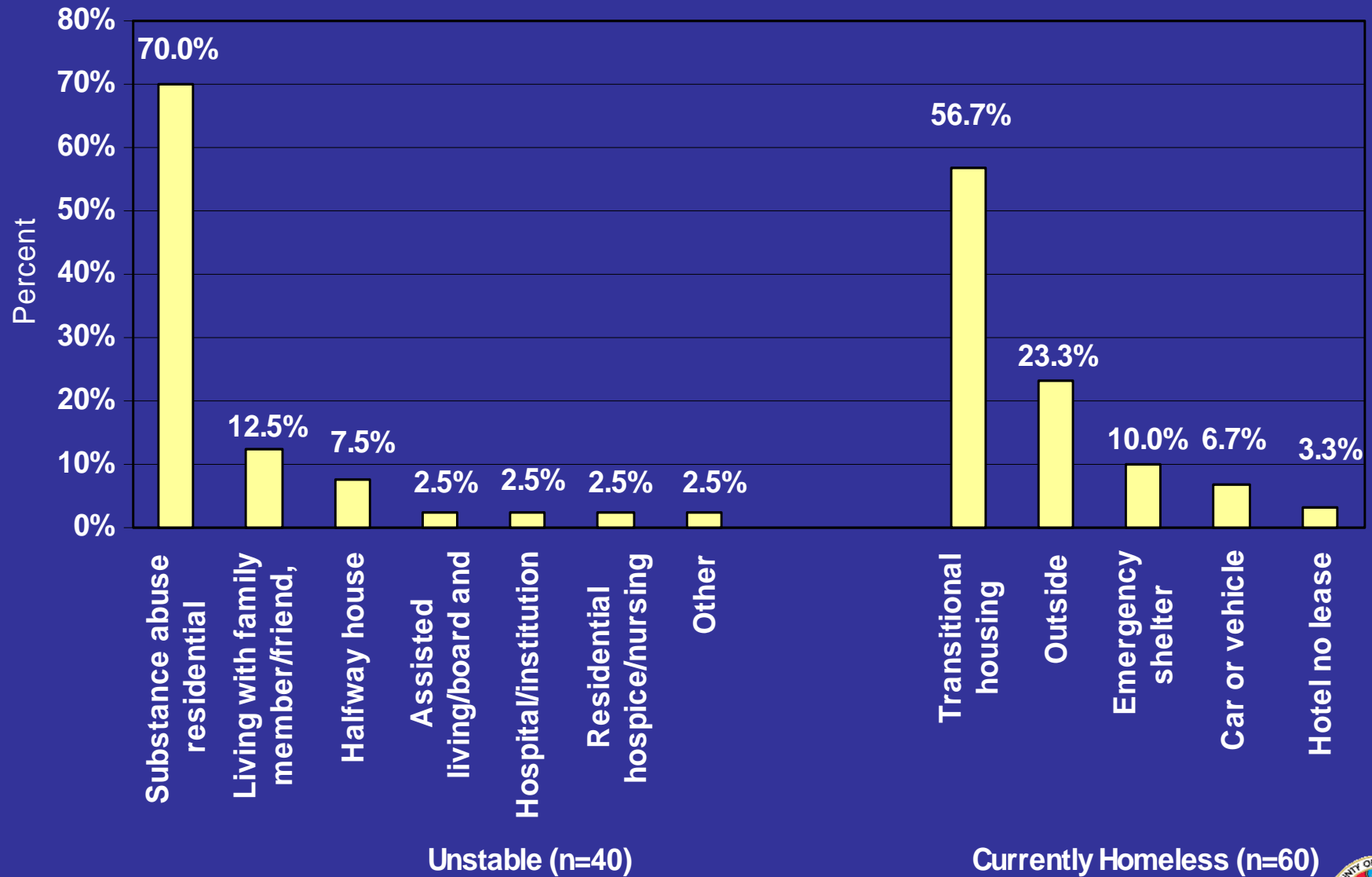
Unstable was defined as halfway house, substance abuse residential program, assisted living/board and care facility, live with family/friend (not paying rent), hospital/institution, residential hospice/nursing facility, and other.

Homeless was defined as living in a car or other vehicle, an abandoned or vacant building, outside on the street, park, beach or underpass, in transitional housing, in an emergency shelter or mission, or in a hotel without a lease.

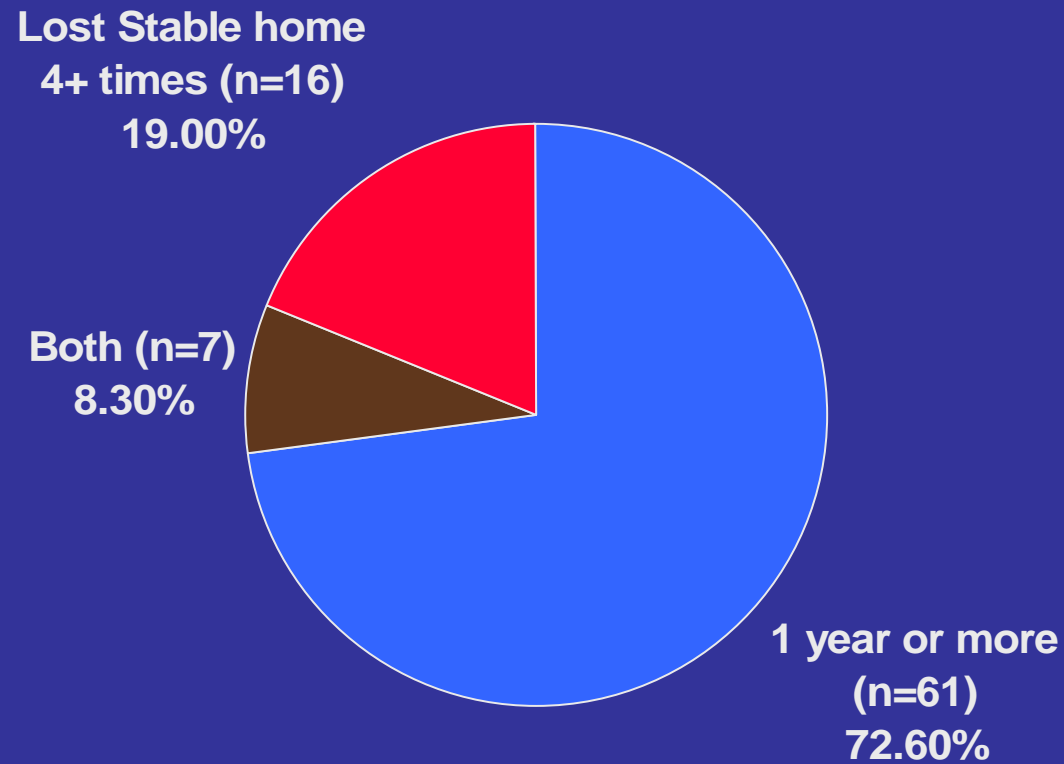
Data Source: 2007 LACHNA



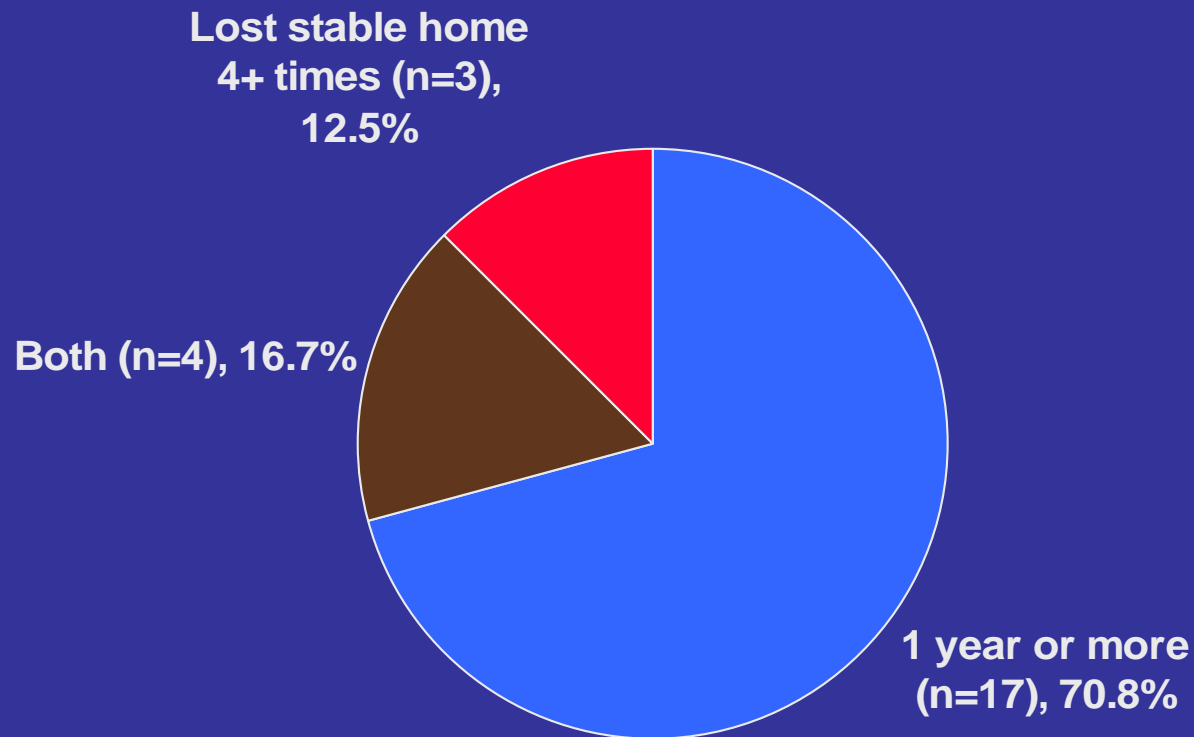
Unstable and Currently Homeless



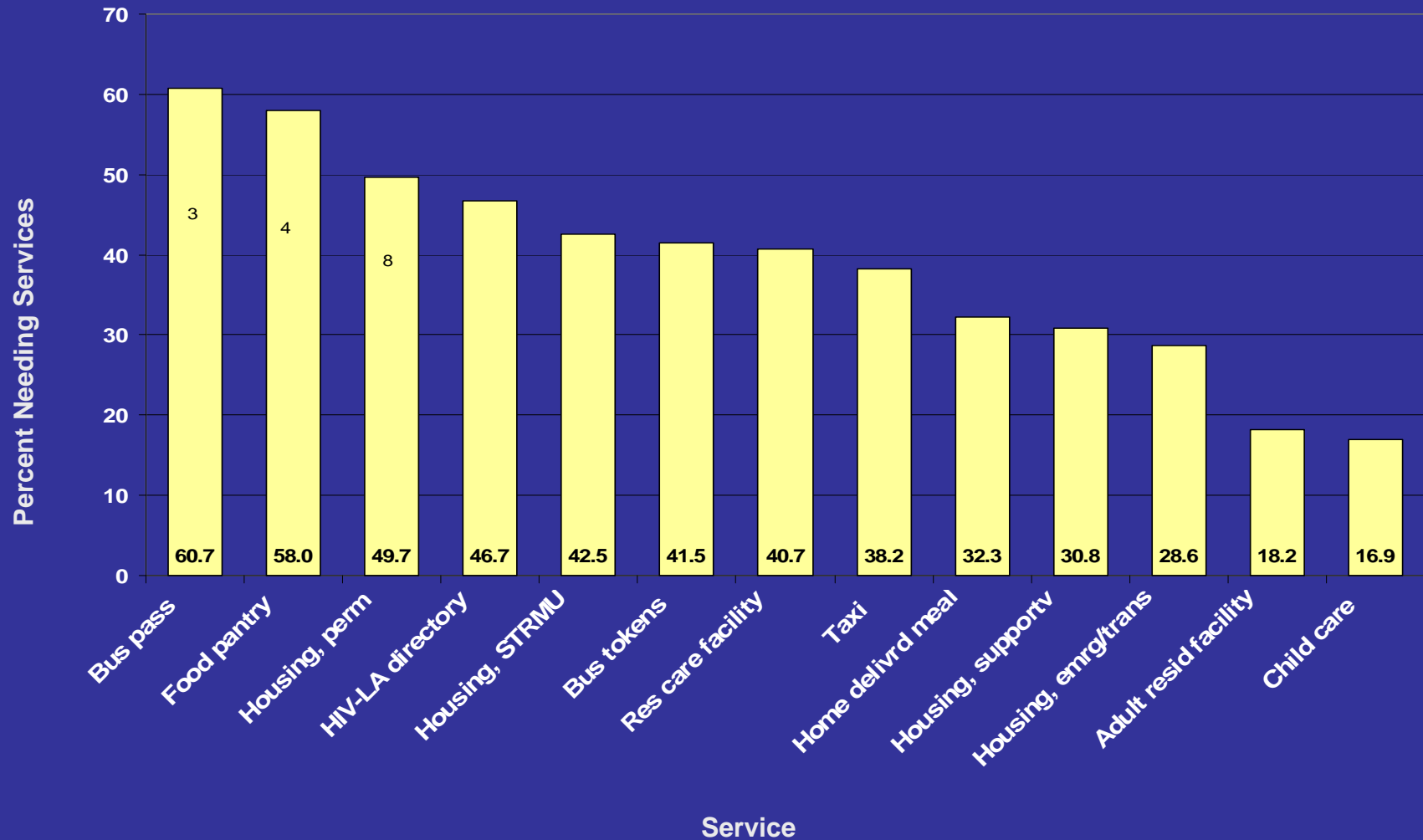
All Chronically Homeless (n=84)



Currently Homeless and Chronically Homeless (n=24)



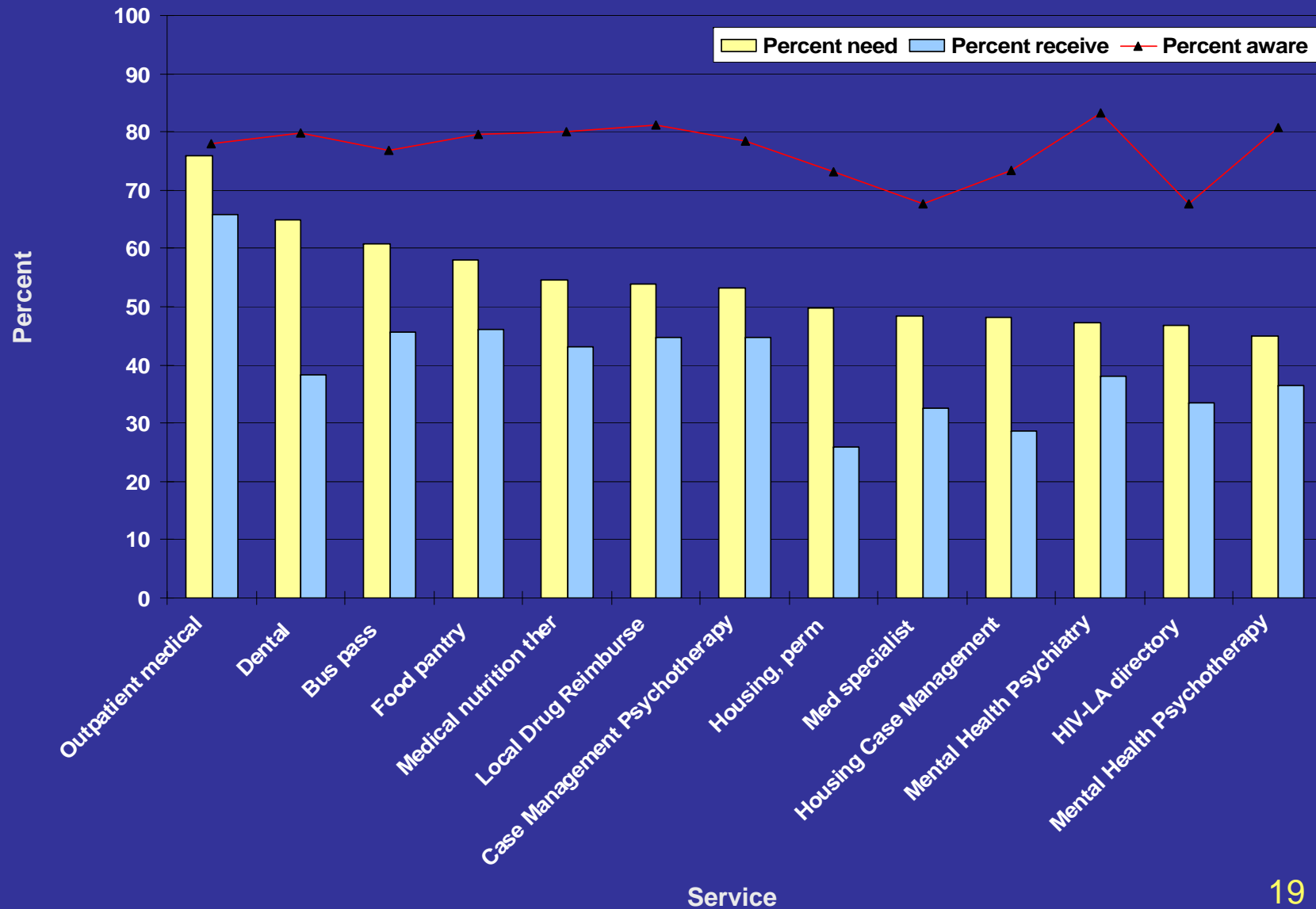
Expressed Need for Services



Numbers on tops of bars refer to absolute rankings for top 10



Percent Aware of, Needing, Receiving Most Needed Services



Service Needs by Race/Ethnicity

Services needed	Rankings				
	Overall	White	Afr Am	Latino	Other
Outpatient medical care for HIV/AIDS	1	2	1	1	1
Dental care	2	3	2	2	2
Bus passes to go to HIV/AIDS services	3	5	3	5	5
Food pantry or food bank	4	4	4	7	7
Medical nutrition therapy	5	14	5	6	4
Assistance paying for HIV/AIDS meds	6	7	8	4	16
Case management: psychotherapy	7	10	12	3	8
HOPWA/Section 8/other housing services	8	8	7	13	3
Medical care by a specialist	9	21	9	8	10
Housing case management	10	6	6	15	6

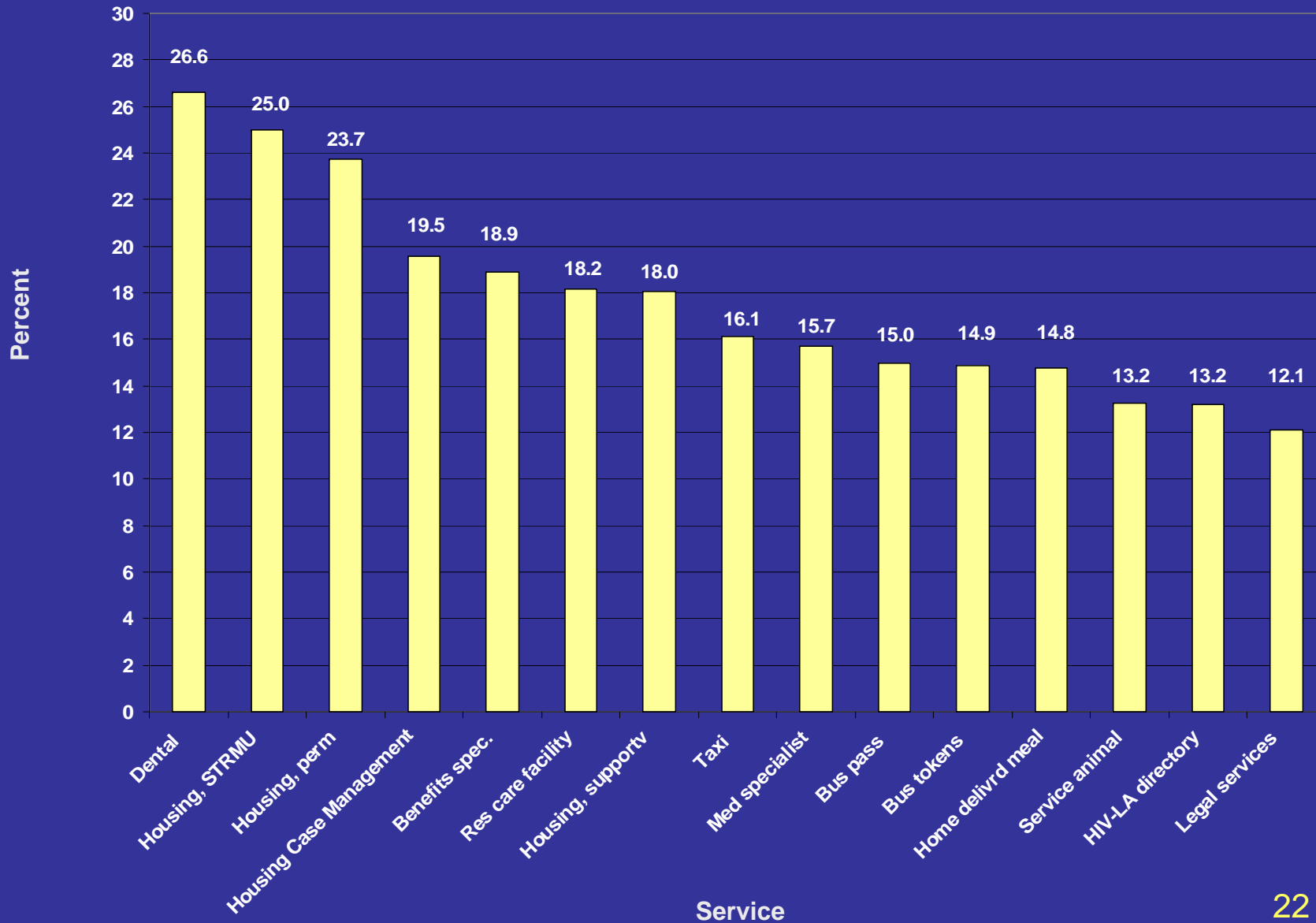


Service Needs by Race/Ethnicity (cont.)

Services needed	Rankings				
	Overall	White	Afr Am	Latino	Other
Mental health care: psychiatrist	11	15	10	9	17
HIV LA Directory of HIV/AIDS services	12	12	13	10	12
Mental health care: psychologist/social worker	13	13	17	12	11
Benefits specialist	14	11	18	14	15
Non-Section 8 programs to help with rent	15	9	16	16	13



Top 15 Gaps between Need and Received



OAPP Contracts Six Residential Services

- Residential Emergency Housing (REH)
- Residential Transitional Housing (RTH)
- Adult Residential Facilities (ARF)
- Residential Care Facilities for the Chronically Ill (RCFCI)
- Residential Hospice (RH)
- Nursing Facility Services (NFS)



Eligibility Requirements

- HIV/AIDS Diagnosis
- LA County Resident
- Income at or <300% Federal Poverty Level
- Tuberculosis clearance
- Homeless (REH,RTH only)
- Certification from a physician requiring residential services (ARF, RCFCI, NFS only)
- Medical prognosis of 6 months or less (RH only)



Residential Services Overview

	Term Limits	Bed Days	Bed Capacity	Annual Allocation
ARF	6 mos. Recert.	8,108	26	\$1,047,049
REH	4 weeks	6,390	1,118	\$271,711
RTH	4 mos.	7,461	836	\$210,347
RCFCI	6 mos. Recert.	33,028	165	\$4,868,185
RH	Indeterminate	234	16	\$70,200
NFS	Indeterminate	1,477		\$531,720



OAPP Residential Providers

- JWCH Institute, Inc.
- LA Family Housing Corporation
- Palms Residential Care Facility
- PATH (People Assisting the Homeless)
- Project New Hope
- Serra Ancillary Care Corporation
- Tarzana Treatment Centers
- The Salvation Army
- Wells House Hospice



HOPWA Providers: Emergency & Transitional Housing

- Covenant House
- Friends Research Institute, Inc.
- Joint Efforts, Inc.
- **JWCH Institute, Inc.**
- Lamp Community
- **PATH**
- **Palms Residential Care Facility**
- **Project New Hope**
- **Serra Project**
- SRO Housing Corp.
- So. CA Alcohol & Drug Programs, Inc.
- Substance Abuse Foundation of Long Beach
- **Tarzana Treatment Centers**



HOPWA Providers: Housing Case Management

- Aid for AIDS
- **AIDS Project L.A.**
- **AIDS Service Center**
- **Bienestar Human Services**
- **Common Ground**
- **Foothill AIDS Project**
- LA Family Housing Corporation
- **Minority AIDS Project**
- Palms Residential Care Facility
- SRO Housing
- Skid Row Housing Trust
- **Tarzana Treatment Centers**

Note: OAPP agencies provide Psychosocial Case Management and are not specific to Housing.



HOPWA Providers: Supportive Services

- Lamp Community
- **Palms Residential Care Facility**
- **Project New Hope**
- **Serra Project**
- SRO Housing Corporation
- Skid Row Housing Trust
- West Hollywood Community Housing Corp.

Note: Supportive services include coordination and referrals for substance abuse and mental health services.



HOPWA Providers: Other Supportive Services

- **Aid for AIDS**
- **AIDS Project Los Angeles**
- **Catalyst Foundation**
- **HIV & AIDS Legal Services Alliance (HALSA)**
- **Pets Are Wonderful Support (PAWS/LA)**
- **Project Angel Food**

Note: Supportive services include food delivery, legal, and emotional support services.



Recommendations

- Joint Planning Efforts
- Joint Needs Assessment
- Aligning Eligibility Requirements
- Maximizing System Capacity
- Integrated Data Collection
- Elimination of Duplication of Services
- Assess Impact of New Federal Rulings
- HOPWA Representation at the LA County Commission on HIV Meetings
- OAPP Seat on the LACHAC Board



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