

# HIV-Positive Oregonians Over Age 50

## 2015—2018

- Funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Medical Monitoring Project (MMP) is conducted in 17 states and 6 cities to gather representative data on people living with HIV.
- MMP contributes to Oregon’s effort to 1) evaluate the impact of comprehensive efforts to eliminate new infections and 2) optimize care for people living with HIV by identifying gaps in the health care and services they receive.



## MMP DATA

- MMP gathers data from face-to-face interviews and medical records.
- 387 people over age 50 living with HIV in Oregon participated in MMP in 2015 and 2018.

## CHARACTERISTICS

People over age 50 who reported at least one unmet medical need were more likely than those over 50 without a medical need to be/have:

### Demographics

- No bachelor’s degree
- Homeless
- Unemployed
- Tested positive for HIV after 1996

### Health Behaviors

- Current smoker
- Used injection drugs in the past 12 months

### Health Conditions

- Major depressive symptoms in the past two weeks

People over age 50 who reported at least one unmet social service need were more likely than those over 50 without a medical need to be/have:

### Demographics

- No bachelor’s degree
- Homeless
- Unemployed Health

### Behaviors

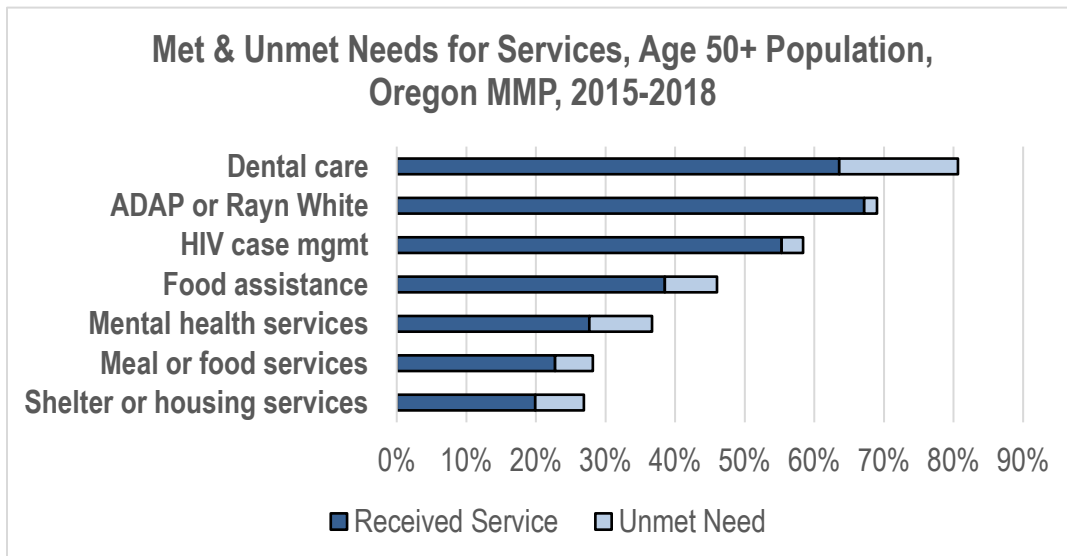
### Health Conditions

- Major depressive symptoms in the past two weeks
- Admitted to the hospital in the past 12 months

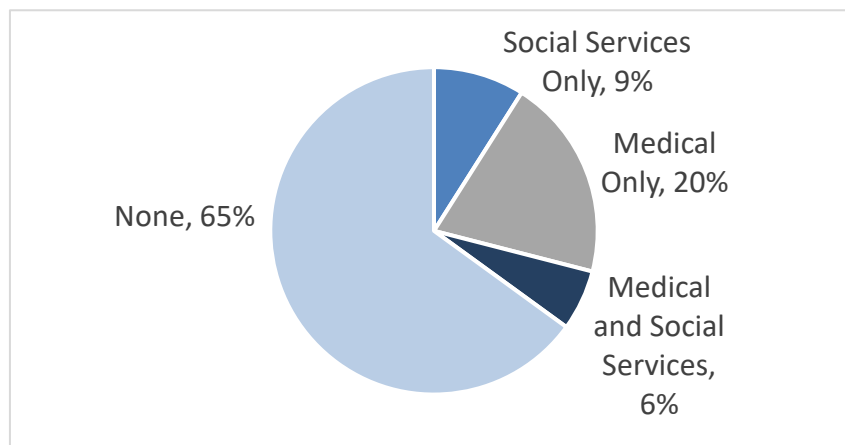
## MET AND UNMET NEEDS

Over age 50 participants were equally as likely as under 50 participants to report needs for ADAP, meal or food services, and shelter or housing services.

Over age 50 participants were less likely than 50 or younger participants to report needs for case management services, dental care, mental health services, and food assistance.



Just over a third of over age 50 participants reported at least one unmet medical or social services need.



## DEMOGRAPHICS

- 86% identify as male
- 55% identify as gay
- 13% as bisexual
- 78% identify as non-Hispanic White
- 71% some college education or higher
- 32% employed or self-employed