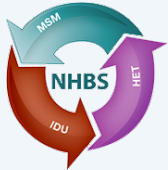


HIV Infection Risk, Prevention, and Testing Behaviors Among Men Who Have Sex with Men

Denver • CO



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In **Denver**, **433** sexually active gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men (MSM) were interviewed

Overall, about **1 in 10** were **living with HIV**

Among HIV-negative MSM, PrEP awareness was high, but usage was low

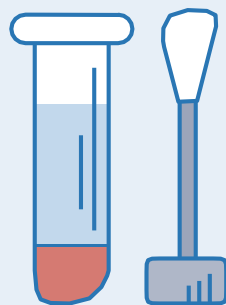
Overall **PrEP Awareness** was **81%** | Overall **PrEP Use** was **34%**

Pre-exposure prophylaxis (or PrEP) is a pill that, taken daily, **can protect someone from getting HIV.**



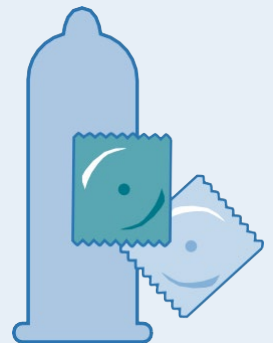
72%

of **MSM** were tested for HIV in the past 12 months



8 in 10

MSM had anal sex **without a condom** with another man in the past 12 months



NHBS collects data to guide HIV prevention efforts at local and national levels by characterizing and monitoring HIV risk behaviors and use of testing and other prevention services among people at highest risk for HIV infection.

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