

## Healthy People 2010 Operational Definition

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### 13-2. Reduce the number of new AIDS cases among adolescent and adult men who have sex with men.

<b>National Data Source</b>	HIV/AIDS Reporting System, CDC, NCHHSTP.
<b>State Data Source</b>	State HIV/AIDS Surveillance Programs.
<b>Healthy People 2000 Objective</b>	18.2a (HIV infection).
<b>Changes since the 2000 Publication</b>	Revised baseline (see Comments). Revised target (see Comments).
<b>Measure</b>	Number of cases.
<b>Baseline (Year)</b>	16,365 (1998)
<b>Target</b>	12,274
<b>Target-Setting Method</b>	25 percent improvement.  For a discussion of target-setting methods, see Part A, section 4.
<b>Numerator</b>	Number of AIDS cases among males 13 years and older who report having sex with males after 1977 and preceding the first positive HIV antibody test or AIDS diagnosis.
<b>Denominator</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Population Targeted</b>	U.S. resident population.
<b>Questions Used To Obtain the National Baseline Data</b>	CDC Adult HIV/AIDS Confidential Case Report, Form 50.42A, Rev. 7/93.
<b>Expected Periodicity</b>	Annual.
<b>Comments</b>	<p>The AIDS case definition used by the HIV/AIDS Surveillance System for an AIDS case is provided by the CDC.<sup>1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7</sup> Data are adjusted for reporting delay.</p> <p>Case counts by date of diagnosis by exposure category have not been redistributed to adjust for cases with risk not reported or identified.</p> <p>The original baseline of 17,847 cases was revised</p>

due to reporting delays. The target was proportionally adjusted from 13,385 cases to 12,274 cases to reflect the revised baseline using the original target-setting method.

This objective is adapted from Healthy People 2000 objective 18.2a. Objective 18.2a monitored the rate of total cases of HIV infection in men aged 15 years and older who have sex with men per 100,000 men aged 15 years and older who have sex with men (i.e., the prevalence rate). Objective 13-2 tracks the number of new cases of AIDS in men aged 13 years and older who have sex with men (i.e., the incidence).

See Part C for a description of the HIV/AIDS Surveillance System and Appendix A for focus area contact information.

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