

National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention



HIV Mortality 2018



HIV Mortality Slides

- An analysis of trends in rates and distributions of deaths in the United States, focusing on deaths with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection as the underlying cause (including stage 3 [acquired immunodeficiency syndrome, AIDS]).
- Data were compiled from death certificates from all 50 states and the District of Columbia by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) for the years 1987–2018.
- For more information, see the NCHS Web site: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/deaths.htm



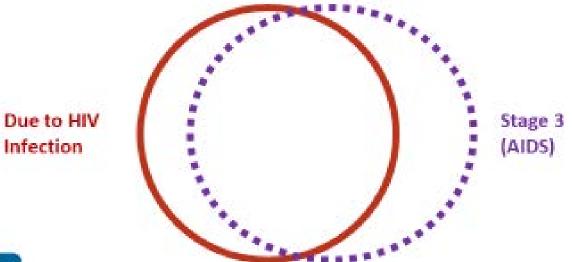


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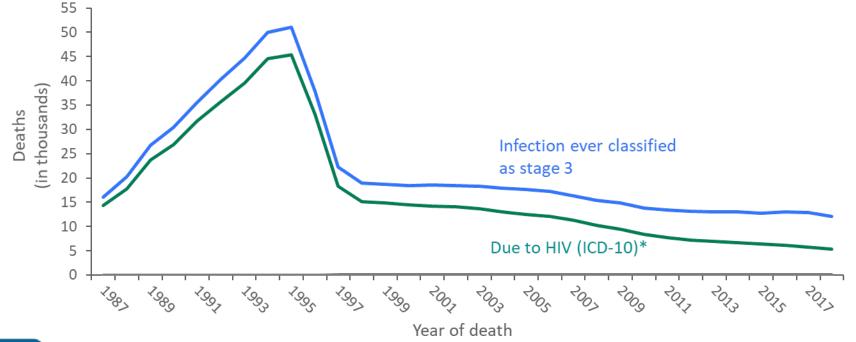
deaths of persons with infection

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Comparison of Deaths among persons with HIV Ever Classified as Stage 3 (AIDS) in National HIV Surveillance System and Deaths Reported in Death Certificates in which HIV was the Underlying Cause of Death, 1987–2018—United States

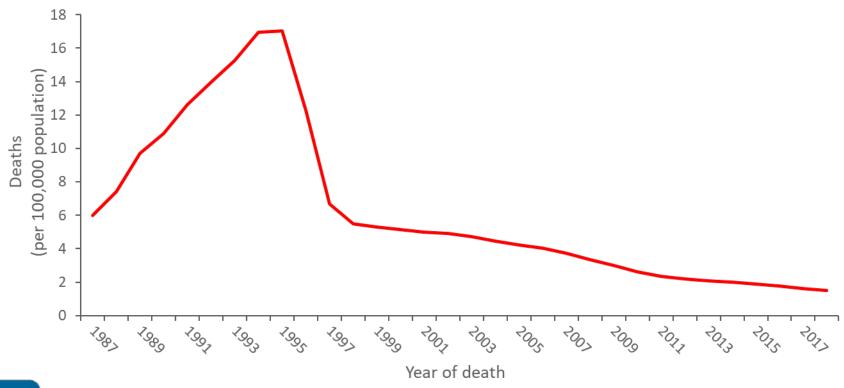




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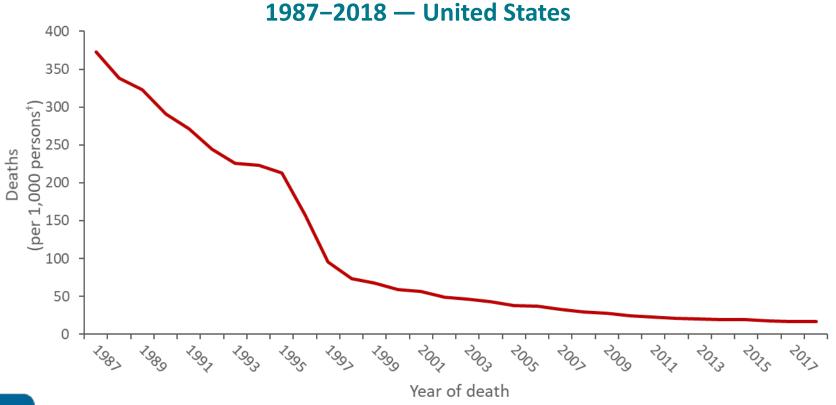
Trends in Annual Age-Adjusted* Rates of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, 1987–2018—United States





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rends in Annual Age-Adjusted* Rates† of Death among Persons with Diagnosed HIV Infection Ever Classified as Stage 3 (AIDS)



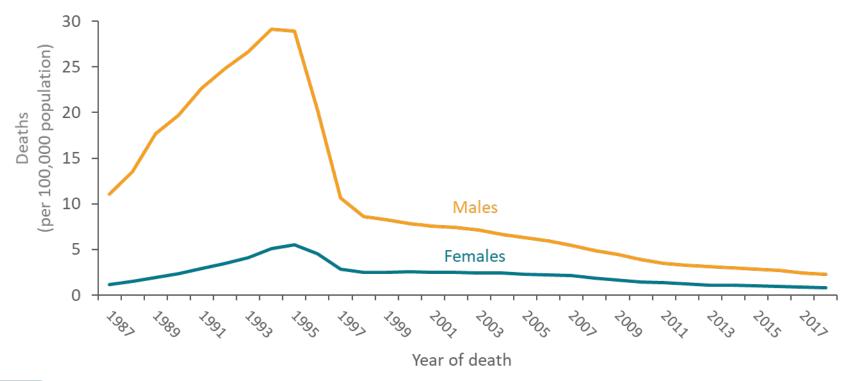
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[†]Per 1,000 persons with diagnosed HIV infection ever classified as stage 3 (AIDS).



Trends in annual Age-Adjusted* Rate of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, by Sex, 1987–2018 — United States



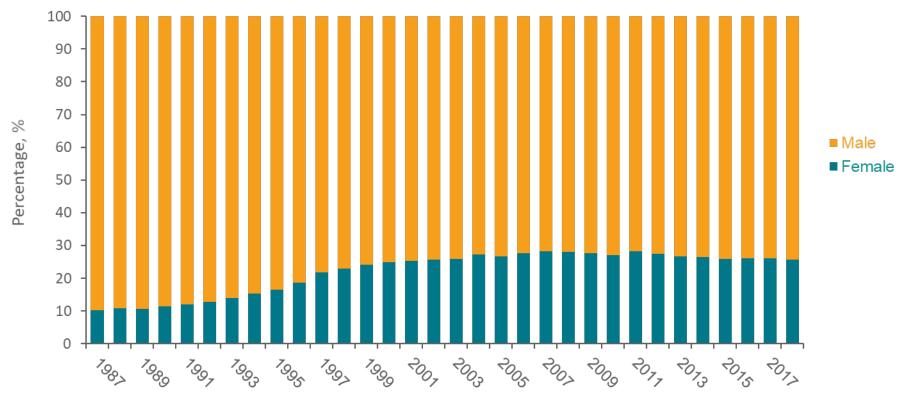


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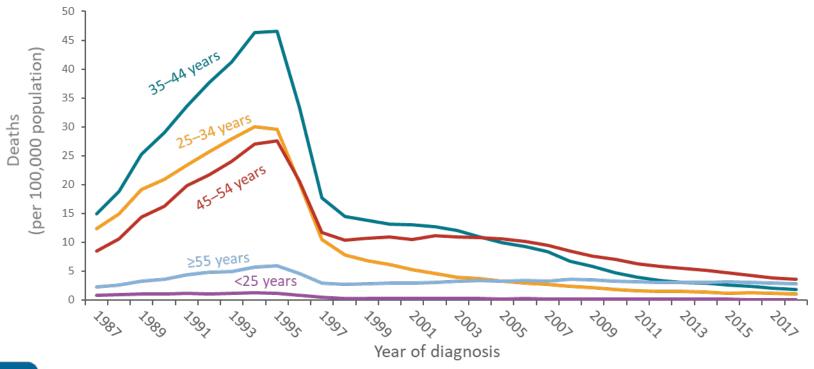




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Trends in Annual Rates of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, by Age Group, 1987–2018 — United States

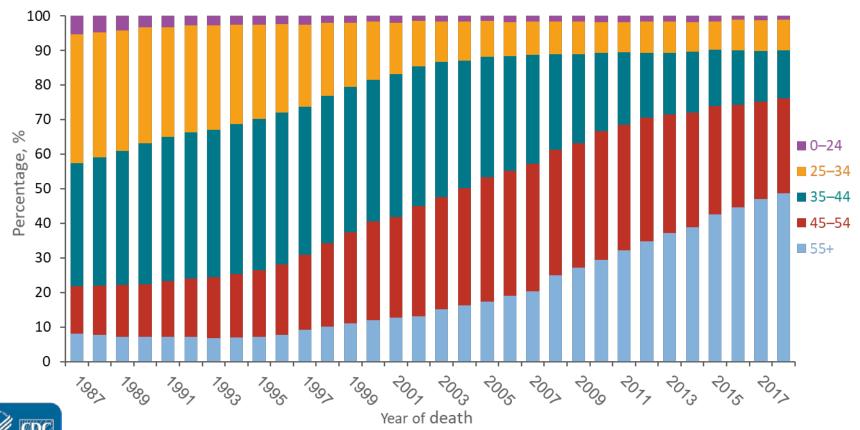


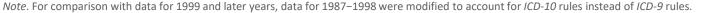


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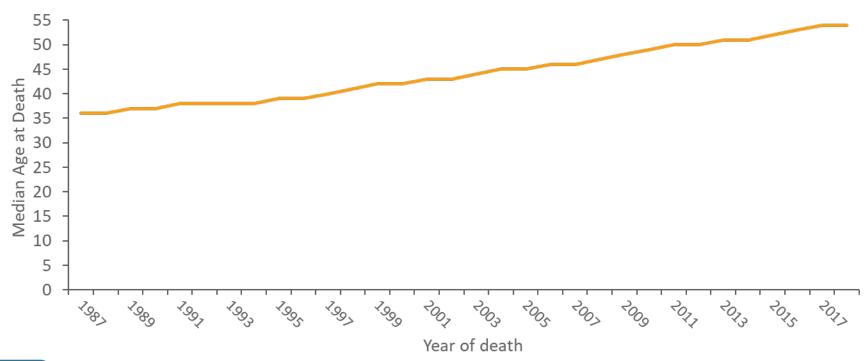
Trends in the Percentage Distribution of Deaths with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, by Age Group, 1987–2018—United States







Median Age at Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause 1987–2018—United States

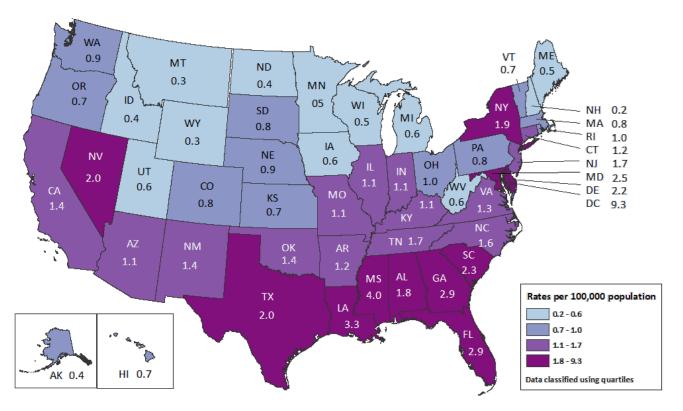




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Age-Adjusted* Rates† of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause in the General Population, by State, 2018—United States



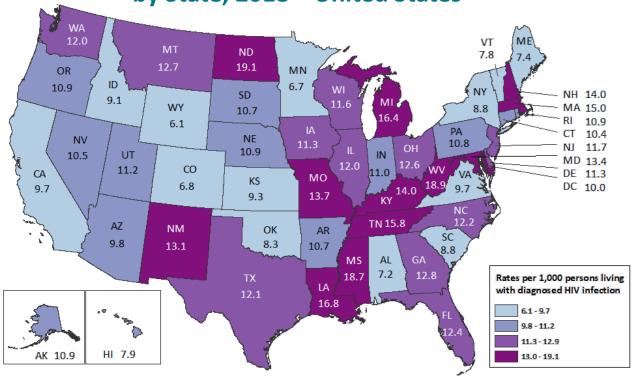


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Age-Adjusted* Rates[†] of Death among Persons with HIV Infection by State, 2018—United States



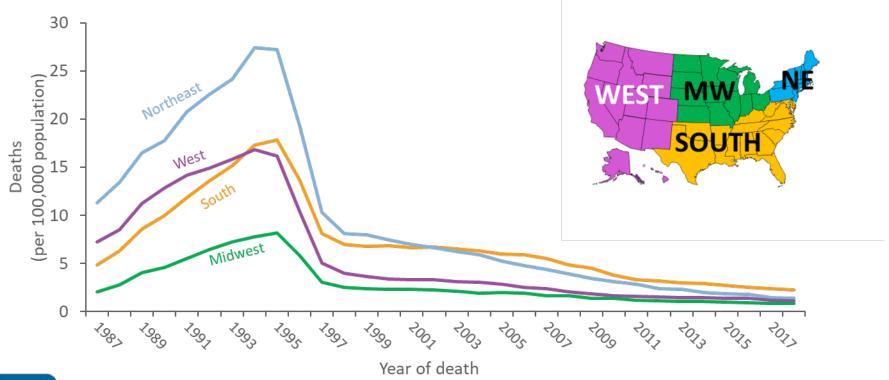


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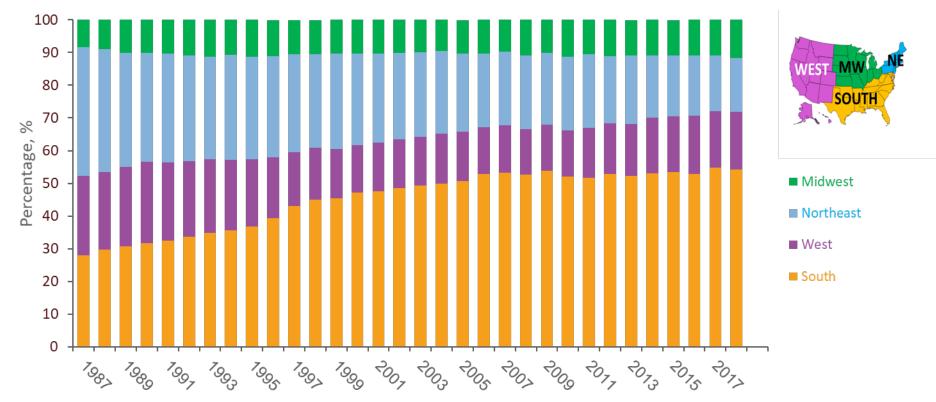


Trends in Age-Adjusted* Annual Rates of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, by Geographic Region, 1987–2018—United States





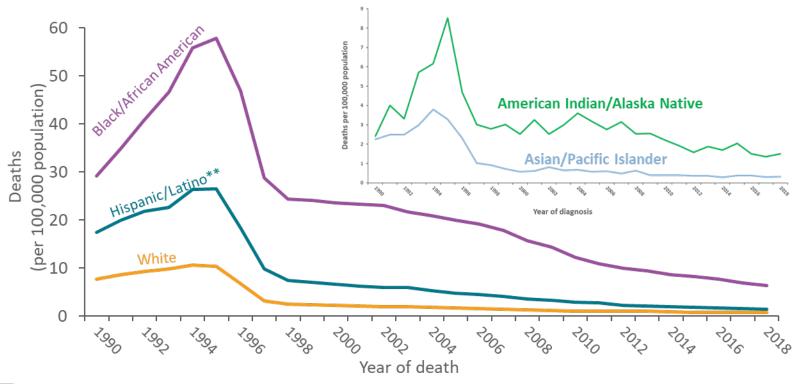
Trends in the Percentage Distribution of Deaths with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, by Geographic Region, 1987–2018—United States







Trends in Age-Adjusted* Annual Rates of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause, by Race/Ethnicity, 1990–2018—United States





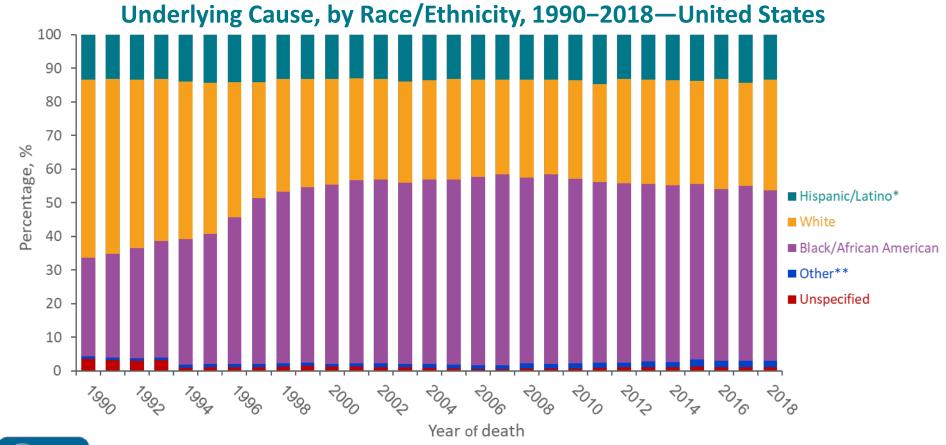
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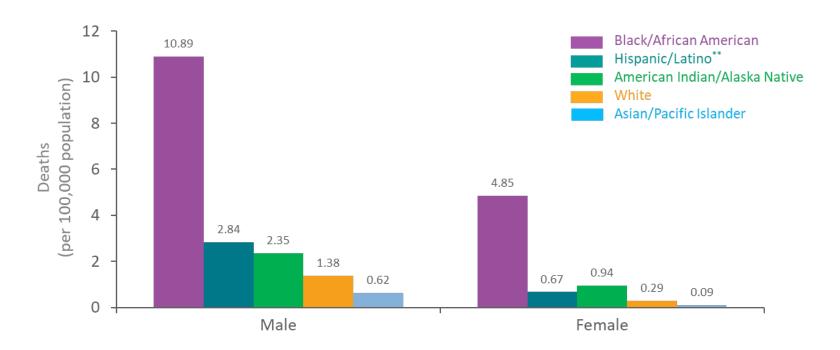


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Age-Adjusted* Average Annual Rate of Death with HIV Infection as the Underlying Cause by Sex and Race/Ethnicity, 2014–2018 — United States

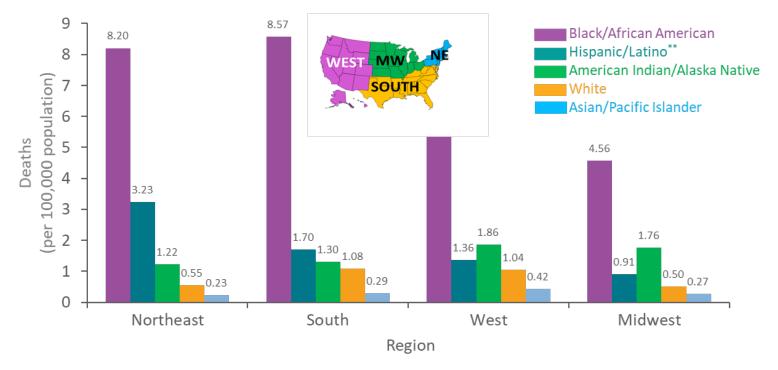




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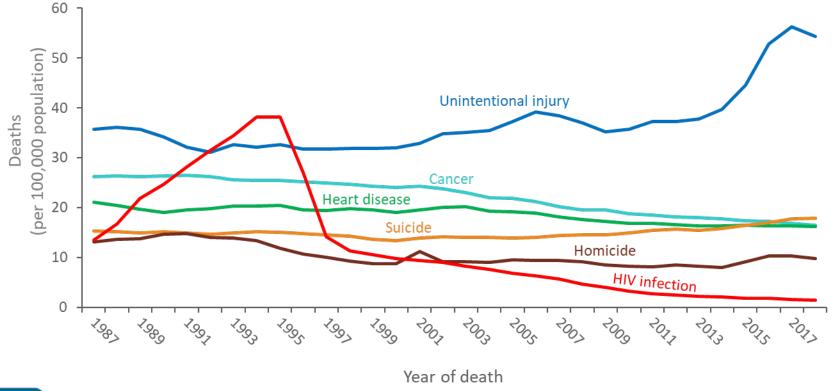


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Trends in Annual Rates of Death with HIV as the Underlying Cause versus the top 5 Leading Causes among Persons Aged 25–44 Years, 1987–2018 — United States

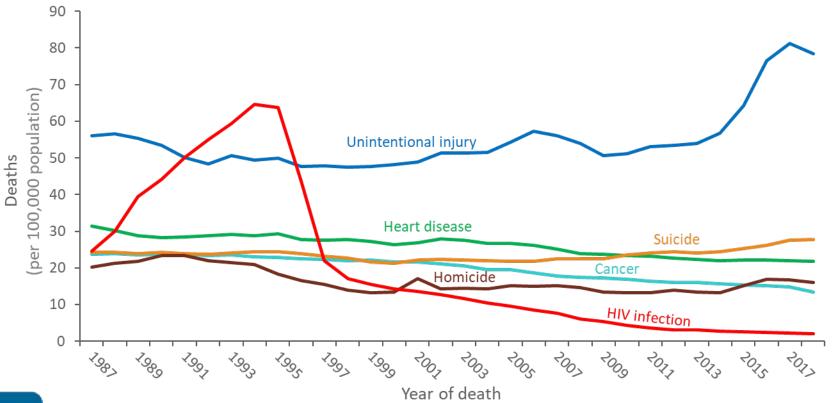




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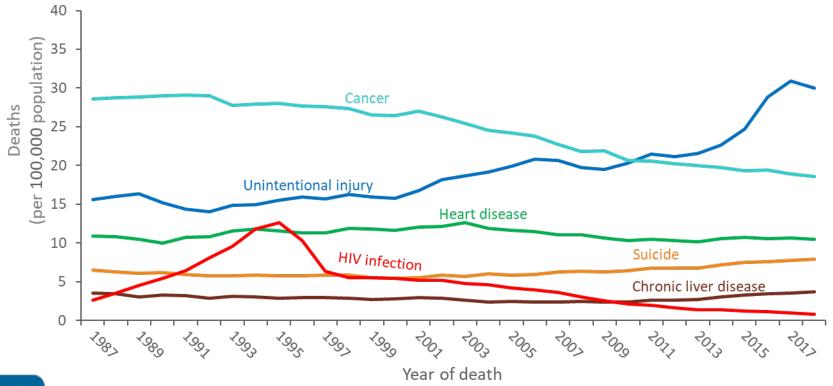
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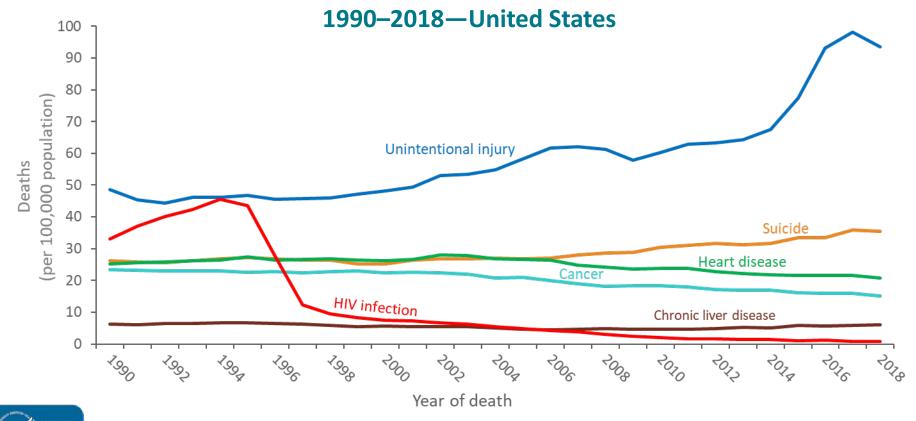
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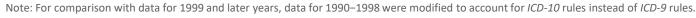






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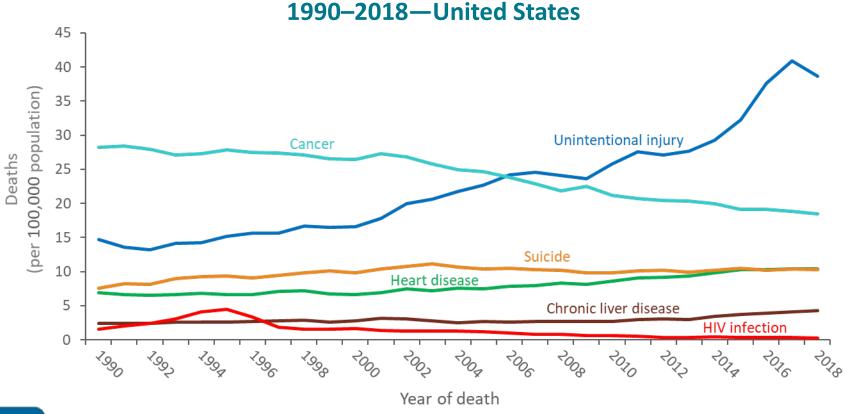




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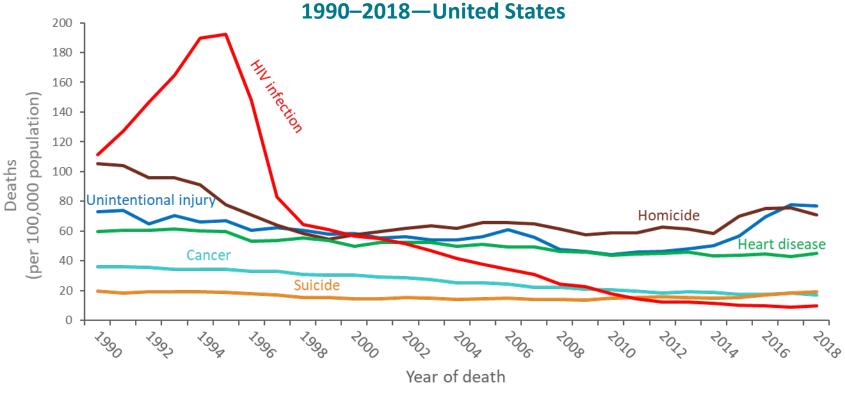


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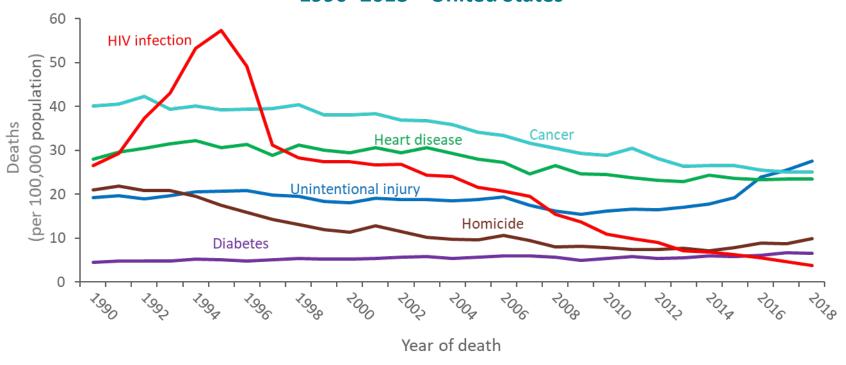


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Trends in Annual Rates of Death due to HIV as the Underlying Cause versus the top 5 Leading Causes among Black/African American* Women Aged 25–44 Years 1990–2018—United States





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Conclusions

- After rapidly increasing since the 1980s, the annual rate of death due to HIV infection peaked in 1994 or 1995 (depending on the demographic group), decreased rapidly through 1997, and continued to decrease much more slowly thereafter.
- Persons dying of HIV infection increasingly consist of:
 - women (26% in 2018)
 - blacks/African Americans (51% in 2018)
 - residents of the South (54% in 2018)
 - persons 45 years of age or older (76% in 2018) (71% in 2013).
- HIV infection continues to remain among the 10 leading causes of death among persons aged
 25 to 44 years, particularly among blacks/African Americans.

