

INTEGRATED TESTING SERVICES SNAPSHOT

HIV Screening: 2020

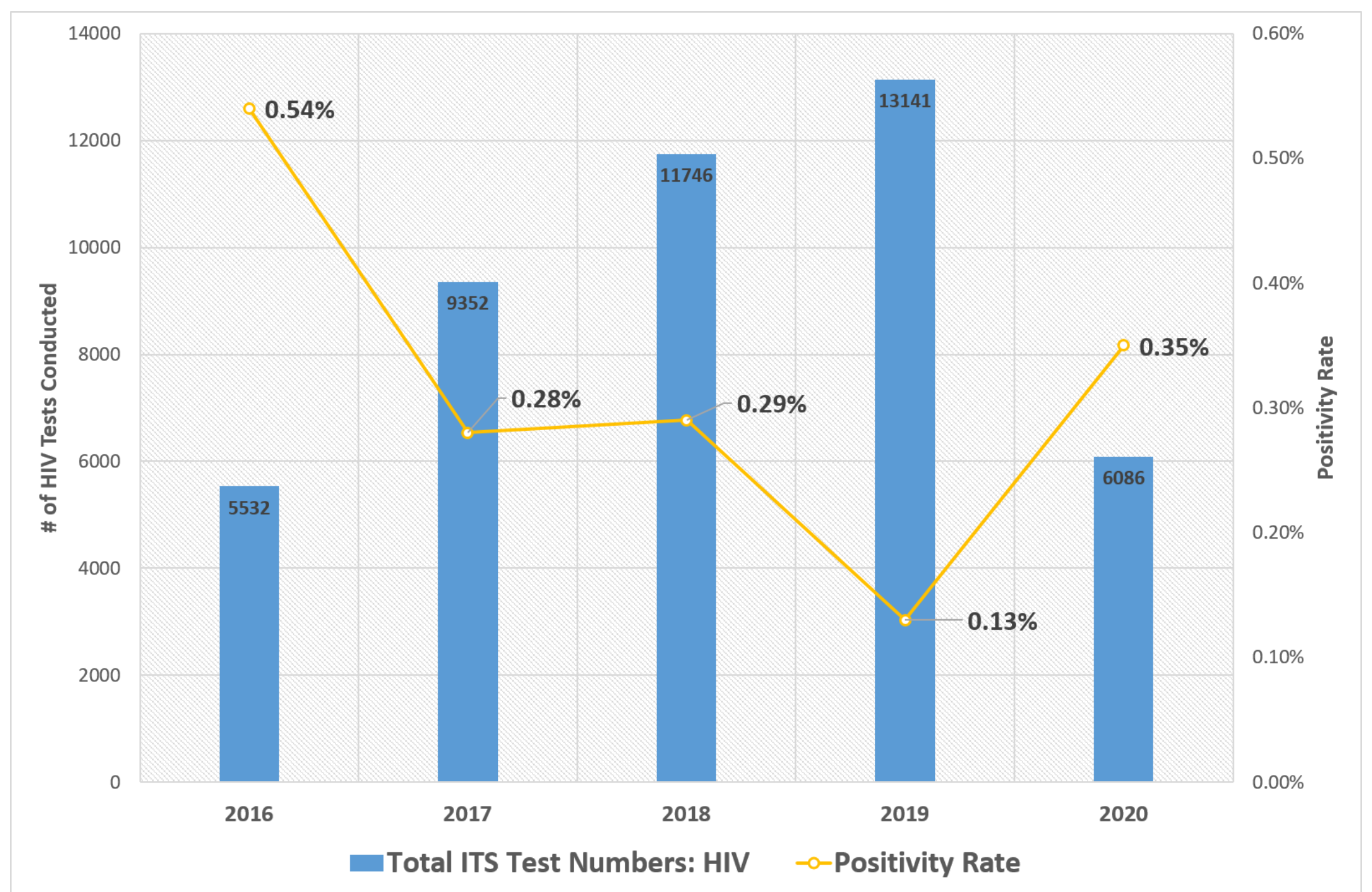
The Integrated Testing Services (ITS) program administered 6,086 HIV tests across 12 participating agencies in 2020.

This represents a decrease of 54% from 2019, and is 44% under the 5-year average of 9,171 tests.

While total testing numbers decreased in 2020 because of complications posed by the pandemic, the number of newly diagnosed people with HIV remained relatively stable, resulting in a significant increase in positivity.

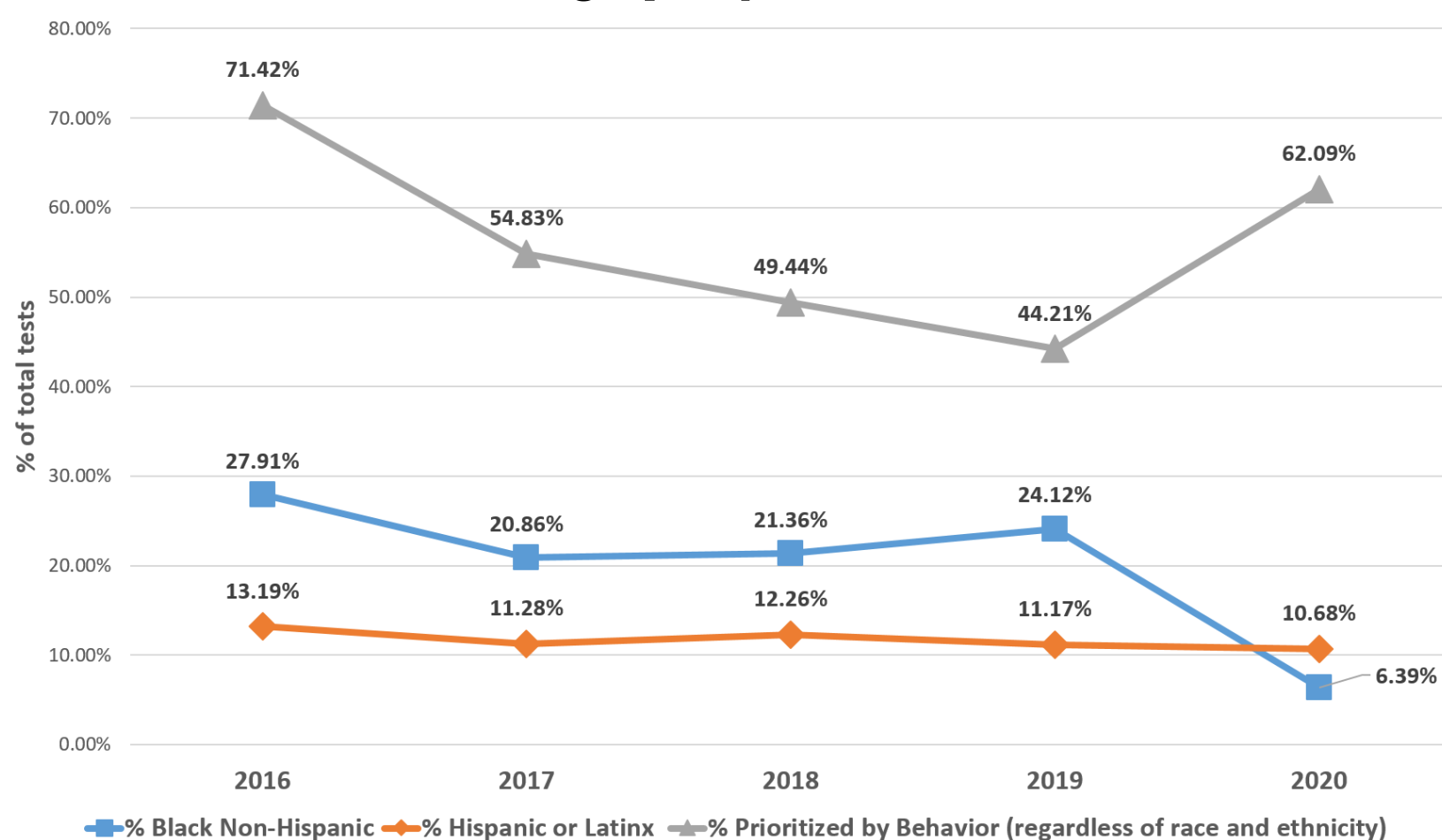
This indicates that the ITS projects across Iowa remained effectively accessible to those most in need during an unprecedented and challenging time.

ITS HIV Testing and Positivity 2016 - 2020

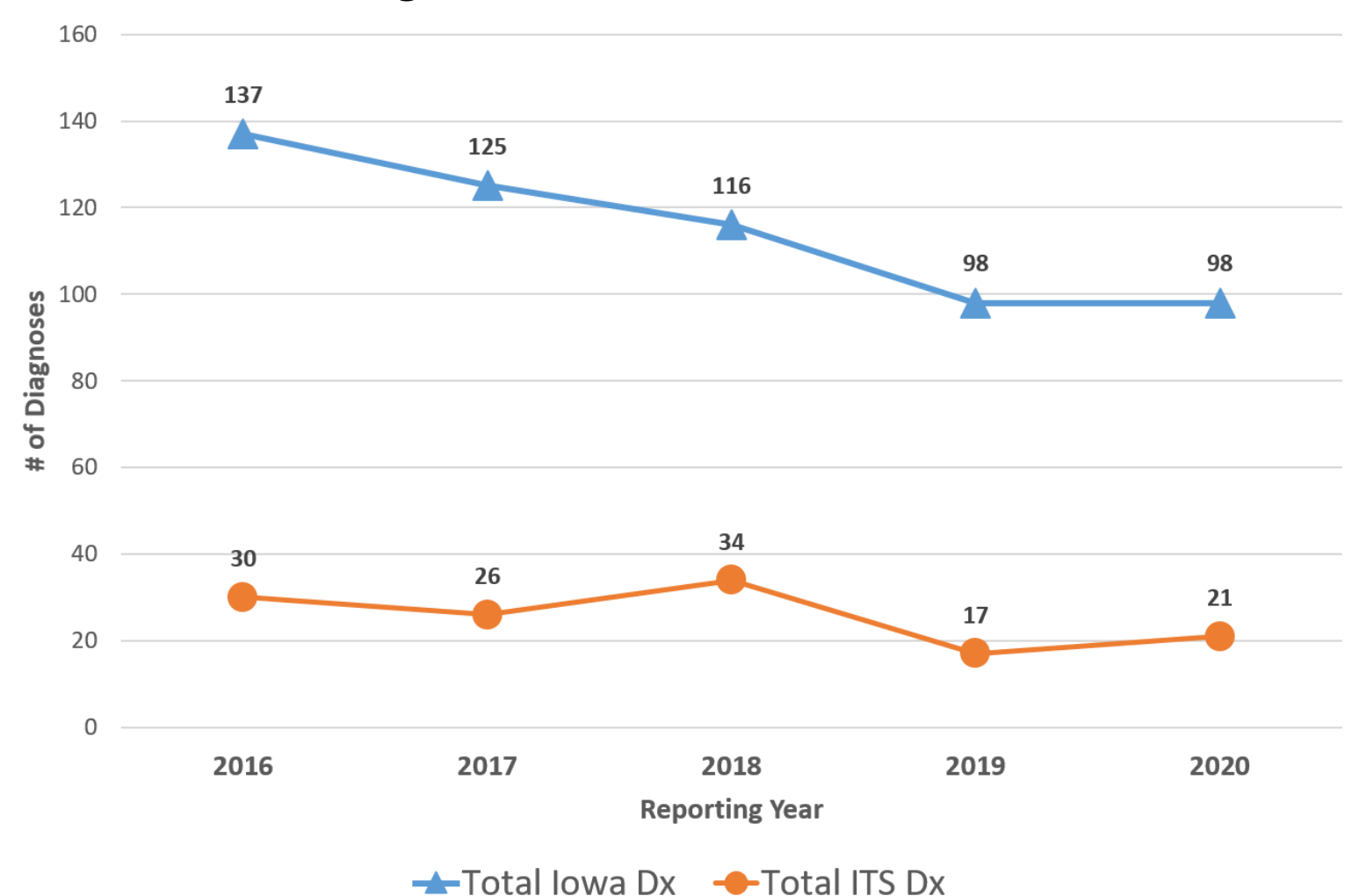


*Data are not de-duplicated. Numbers represent tests and not unique individuals.

ITS HIV Testing by Population 2016 -2020



ITS HIV Diagnosis vs State Totals 2016 -2020



Over the five-year period presented here, the percentage of total tests administered to populations prioritized by behavior has decreased from 71% in 2016 to 62% in 2020. This decline is due to previous program requirements that restricted service delivery to disproportionately impacted and other prioritized populations. These restrictions were eliminated in 2017. **The percentage of total tests administered to individuals who reported Hispanic/Latinx ethnicity (regardless of race) was stable at 11% in 2020 (compared to 11% in 2019 and a 5-year average of 12%). During the same time period, the percentage of total tests administered to individuals who identified as Black or African American (non-Hispanic) experienced a dramatic decline, with just 6% of all HIV tests being administered to this population in 2020 compared to 24% in 2019 and a five-year average of 20%.** The proportion of newly diagnosed individuals living with HIV in Iowa identified through ITS program activities also remained relatively stable at 21% of diagnoses in 2020 (as compared to 17% in 2019 and a five-year average of 22%).

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