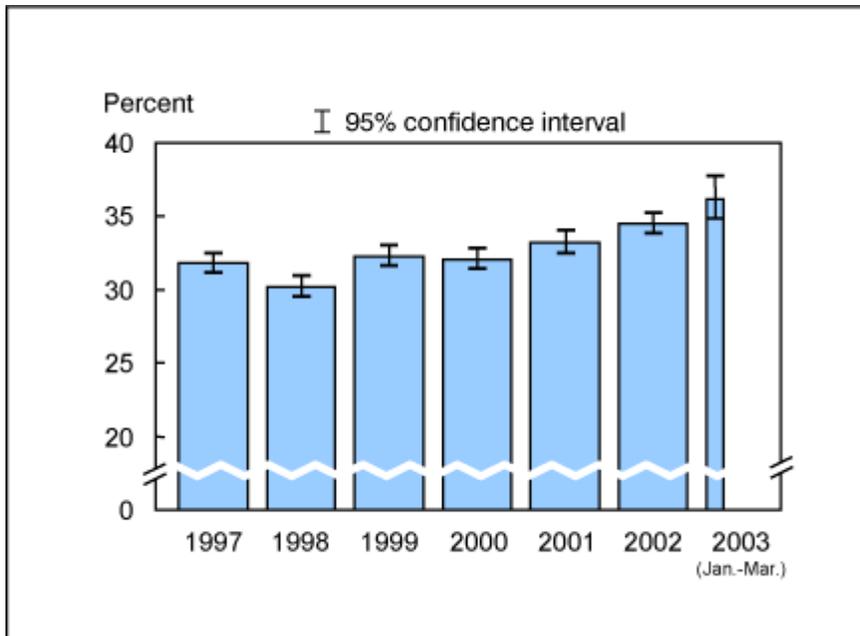


Figure 10.1. Percent of adults aged 18 years and over who had ever been tested for HIV: United States, 1997-2003

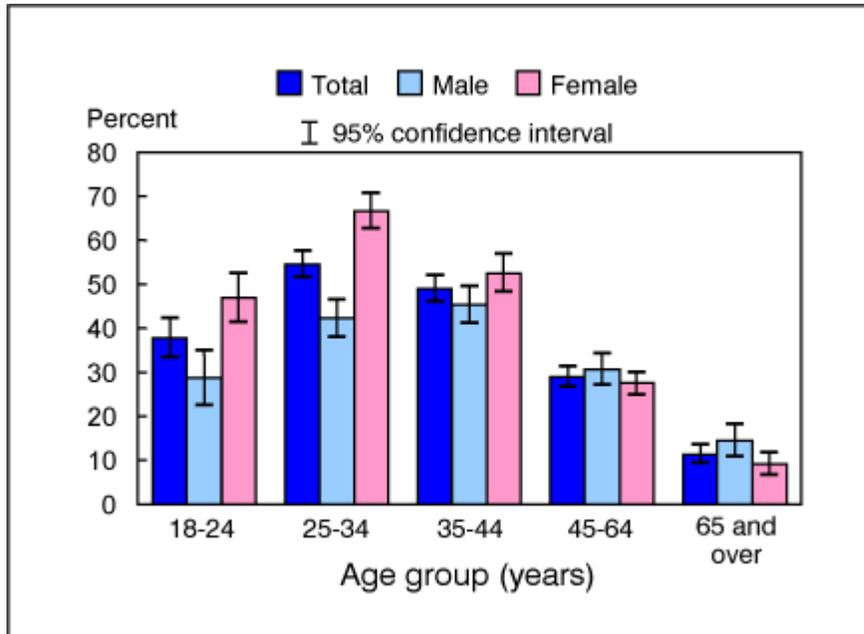


NOTES: The analysis excluded those with unknown human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) test status (about 4% of respondents each year). CI is confidence interval. Beginning with the 2003 data, the National Health Interview Survey transitioned to weights derived from the 2000 census. This Early Release also recalculated the estimates using weights derived from the 2000 census for the 2000-2002 National Health Interview Surveys. See appendix tables in this release for more details.

DATA SOURCE: Sample Adult Core component of the 1997-2003 National Health Interview Surveys. The estimate for 2003 was based on data collected from January through March.

- In early 2003, the percent of U.S. adults who had ever been tested for HIV was 36.2% (95% CI = 34.8%-37.7%), continuing an increase in the estimate of adults who had ever had an HIV test.
- The annual percent of adults who had ever had an HIV test increased from 30.2% in 1998 to 34.5% in 2002.

Figure 10.2. Percent of adults aged 18 years and over who had ever been tested for HIV, by age group and sex: United States, January-March 2003



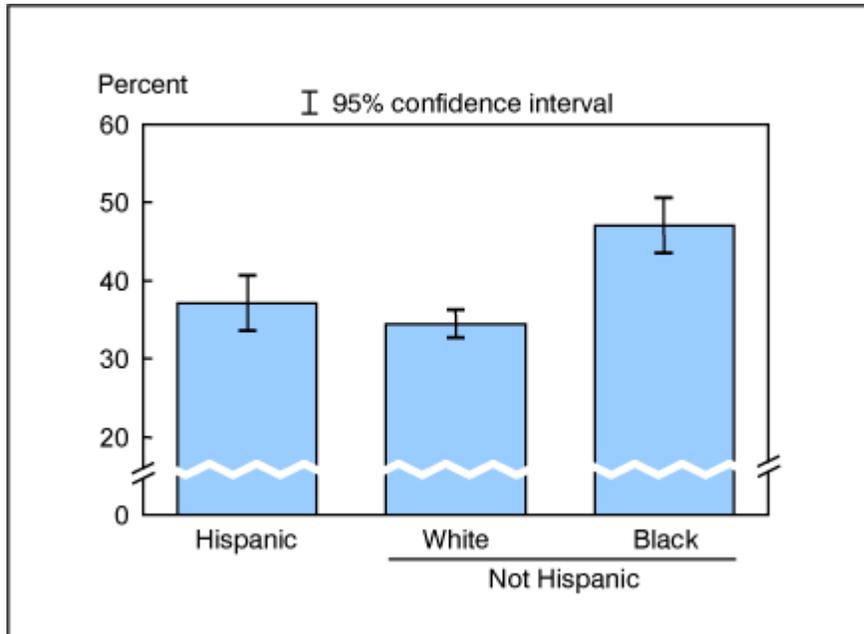
NOTES: The analysis excluded 342 (4.5%) adults with unknown HIV test status. Beginning with the 2003 data, the National Health Interview Survey transitioned to weights derived from the 2000 census. This Early Release also recalculated the estimates using weights derived from the 2000 census for the 2000-2002 National Health Interview Surveys. See appendix tables in this release for more details.

DATA SOURCE: Based on data collected from January-March in the Sample Adult Core component of the 2003 National Health Interview Survey.

- For both sexes combined, the percent of persons who ever had an HIV test was highest among adults aged 25-34 years (54.5%) and lowest among adults aged 65 years and over (11.4%).

- For age groups 18-24 years, 25-34 years, and 35-44 years, women were more likely than men to have ever had an HIV test, whereas for adults aged 65 years and over, women were less likely than men to have ever had an HIV test.

Figure 10.3. Age-sex-adjusted percent of adults aged 18 years and over who had ever been tested for HIV, by race/ethnicity: United States, January-March 2003



NOTES: The analysis excluded 342 (4.5%) adults with unknown HIV test status. Estimates are age-sex-adjusted to the year 2000 projected U.S. standard population using five age groups: 18-24 years, 25-34 years, 35-44 years, 45-64 years, and 65 years and over.

DATA SOURCE: Based on data collected from January-March in the Sample Adult Core component of the 2003 National Health Interview Survey.

- The age-sex-adjusted percents of persons who ever had an HIV test were 37.1% for Hispanic persons, 34.4% for non-Hispanic white persons, and 47.0% for non-Hispanic black persons.
- Of the three race/ethnic groups, non-Hispanic black persons were most likely to have ever had an HIV test.

Data tables for figures 10.1-10.3:

Data table for figure 10.1. Percent of adults aged 18 years and over who had ever been tested for HIV: United States, 1997-2003

Year	Percent	95% confidence interval
1997	31.8	31.1-32.5
1998	30.2	29.5-30.9
1999	32.3	31.6-33.0
2000	32.1	31.4-32.8
2001	33.2	32.5-34.0
2002	34.5	33.8-35.2
2003 (January-March)	36.2	34.8-37.7

Data table for figure 10.2. Percent of adults aged 18 years and over who had ever been tested for HIV, by age group and sex: United States, January-March 2003

Age and sex	Percent	95% confidence interval
18-24 years		
Total	37.8	33.4-42.3
Men	28.6	22.4-34.8
Women	46.9	41.3-52.5
25-34 years		
Total	54.5	51.5-57.5
Men	42.3	38.1-46.5
Women	66.7	62.7-70.7
35-44 years		
Total	49.0	46.0-51.9
Men	45.3	41.1-49.5
Women	52.5	48.2-56.8
45-64 years		
Total	29.0	26.7-31.4
Men	30.7	27.2-34.2
Women	27.5	24.8-30.1
65 years and over		
Total	11.4	9.3-13.6
Men	14.5	10.9-18.2
Women	9.2	6.7-11.7



Data table for figure 10.3. Age- sex- adjusted percent of adults aged 18 years and over who had ever been tested for HIV, by race/ethnicity: United States, January-March 2003

Race/ethnicity	Percent¹	95% confidence interval
Hispanic or Latino	37.1	33.6-40.6
Not Hispanic or Latino		
White, single race	34.4	32.7-36.2
Black, single race	47.0	43.5-50.5

¹Estimates are age- sex-adjusted to the year 2000 projected U.S. standard population using five age groups: 18-24 years, 25-34 years, 35-44 years, 45-64 years, and 65 years and over.