

Caring for Rhode Island

Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program

A lifesaving and cost-effective health care success

The Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program maintains access to highly effective HIV care and treatment for individuals without other sources of care and serves more than half of people with HIV in care in the United States. Sustained access to HIV care and treatment saves lives and lowers health care costs. With access to comprehensive services, people with HIV stay healthy and do not transmit HIV.

Ryan White Program clinics not only save lives but also reduce costs. A study from the University of Alabama at Birmingham showed that people treated in the later stages of HIV required 2.6 times more health care spending than those with early treatment.



Number of persons living with HIV, 2022

5 116 331 638 1,019

FY 24 Ryan White Program funding for Rhode Island

- Part B: \$6,438,757
- Part C: \$1,148,439
- Part D: \$651,022
- Total: \$8,238,218

2,900

People living with HIV in Rhode Island in 2023

95.2% of Ryan White clients are virally suppressed.