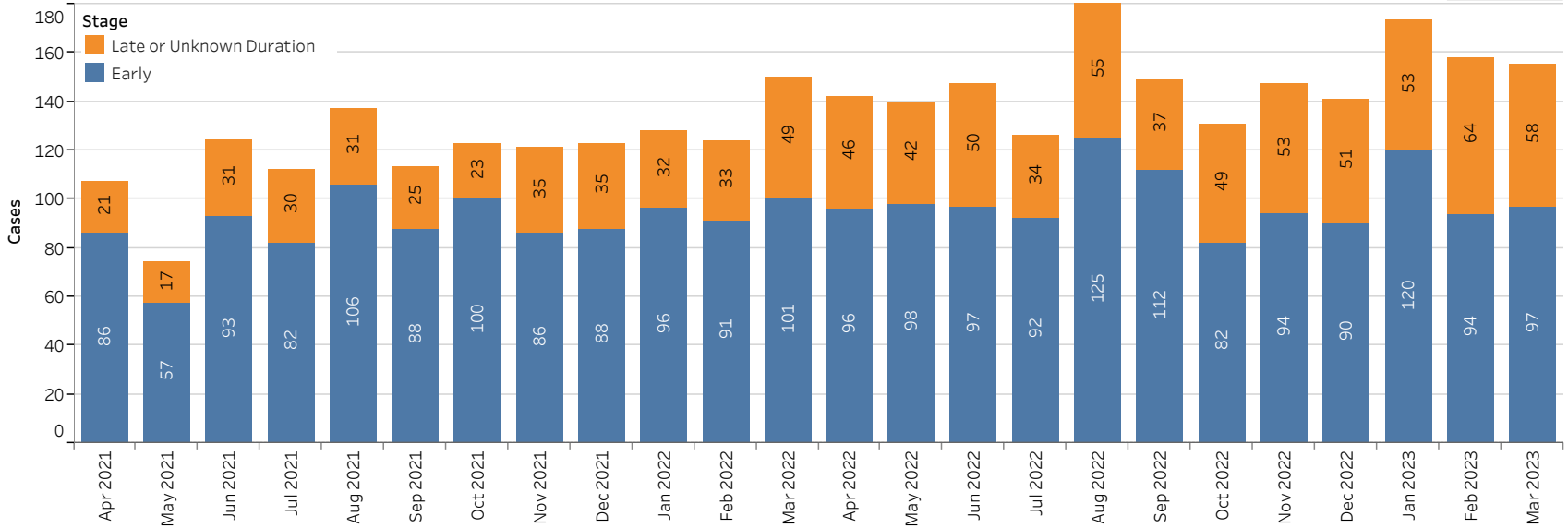


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Recent data are incomplete\*

Syphilis Cases by Stage, King County April 2021-March 2023

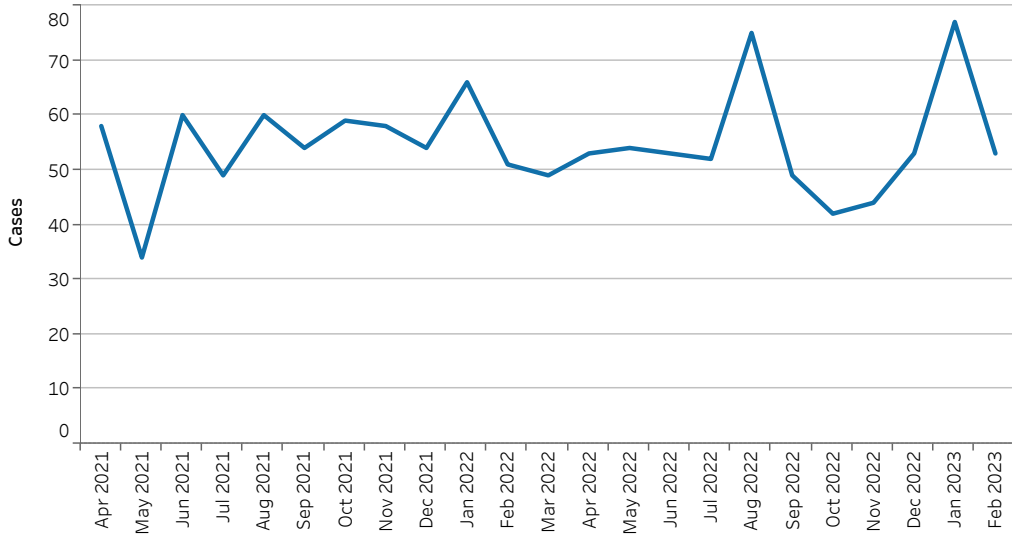


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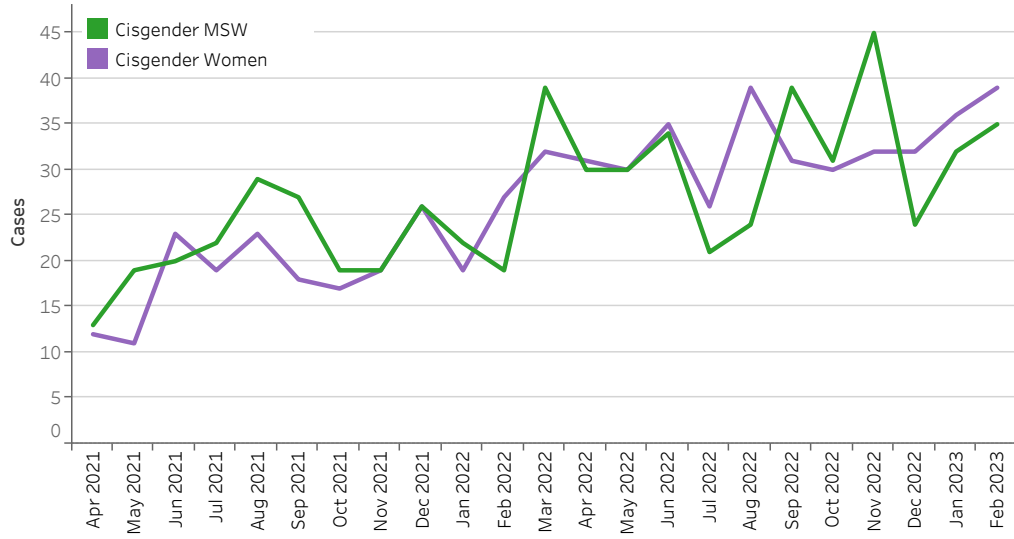
MSM = men who have sex with men  
MSW = men who have sex with women only

Early syphilis includes primary, secondary, and early non-primary, non-secondary stages.

Early syphilis cases among cisgender men who have sex with men (MSM), King County April 2021-February 2023\*\*



Syphilis (all stages) cases among cisgender men who have sex with women (MSW) and cisgender women, King County April 2021-February 2023\*\*



\*\*Due to incomplete reporting cases for the most recent month are not shown by gender and gender of sex partners.

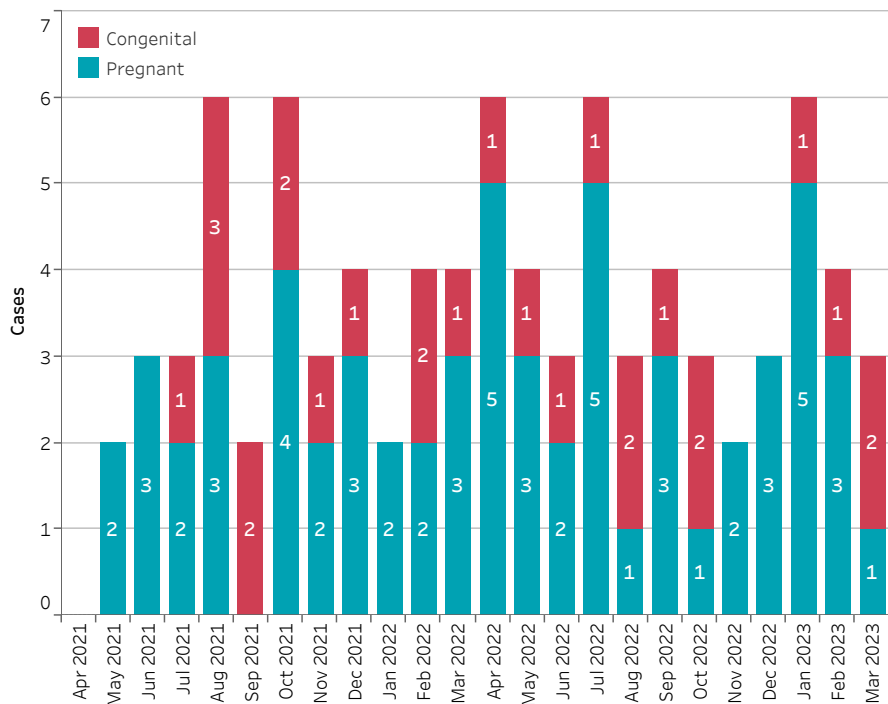
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### Syphilis (all stages) cases by gender and gender of sex partners and year of diagnosis

Cases diagnosed January-March

	2022	2023
Cisgender MSM	201	220
Cisgender MSW	80	102
Cisgender Women	78	117
Cisgender Men, Unknown Gender of Sex Partners	31	38
Transgender, non-binary, or genderqueer	12	9

### Pregnant and congenital syphilis cases, King County April 2021-March 2023



9 syphilis cases were **pregnant** at the time of diagnosis and **4 congenital** cases have been diagnosed in 2023.

### Syphilis (all stages) cases interviewed for partner services among cisgender men who have sex with men (MSM), cisgender men who have sex with women (MSW), cisgender women, Seattle and South King County April 2021-March 2023\*

Characteristics	Region							
	Seattle				South King County			
	MSM		MSW and Women		MSM		MSW and Women	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total Interviewed	142	100%	235	100%	84	100%	317	100%
Homeless (past 3 months)	11	8%	90	38%	10	12%	72	23%
Injection Drug Use (past year)	4	3%	17	7%	1	1%	14	4%
Methamphetamine Use (past year)	19	13%	71	30%	8	10%	74	23%
Exchange Sex (past year)	4	3%	16	7%	5	6%	8	3%
No Risk Identified**	121	85%	116	49%	69	82%	211	67%
Race/ethnicity								
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	1%	8	3%	0	0%	6	2%
Asian	10	7%	15	6%	4	5%	14	4%
Black	16	11%	71	30%	14	17%	83	26%
Hispanic/Latinx	33	23%	46	20%	26	31%	84	26%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	2	1%	3	1%	1	1%	6	2%
White	64	45%	69	29%	31	37%	83	26%
Multiracial	5	4%	10	4%	2	2%	18	6%
Other/Unknown	11	8%	13	6%	6	7%	23	7%
Age								
10-14	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%
15-19	1	1%	4	2%	4	5%	11	3%
20-24	19	13%	20	9%	13	15%	43	14%
25-29	29	20%	36	15%	15	18%	56	18%
30-34	28	20%	40	17%	22	26%	57	18%
35-44	36	25%	74	31%	16	19%	87	27%
45-54	18	13%	32	14%	8	10%	32	10%
>=55	11	8%	29	12%	6	7%	29	9%

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\*\*No reported homelessness, injection drug use, methamphetamine use, or exchange sex.