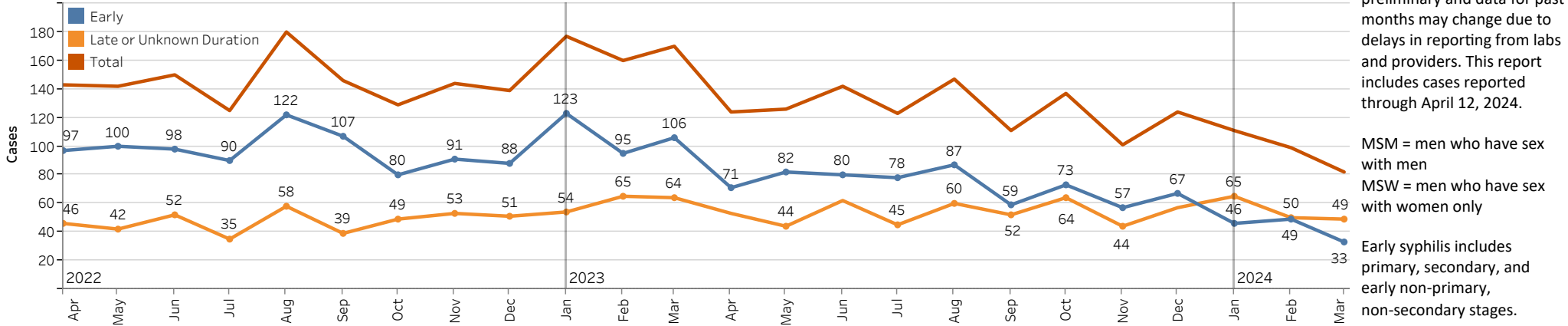
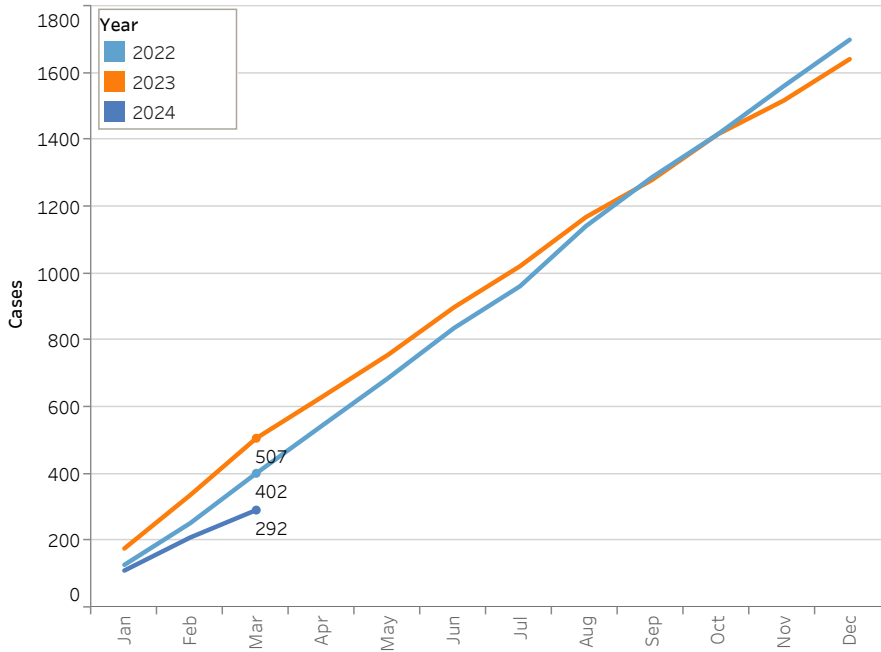


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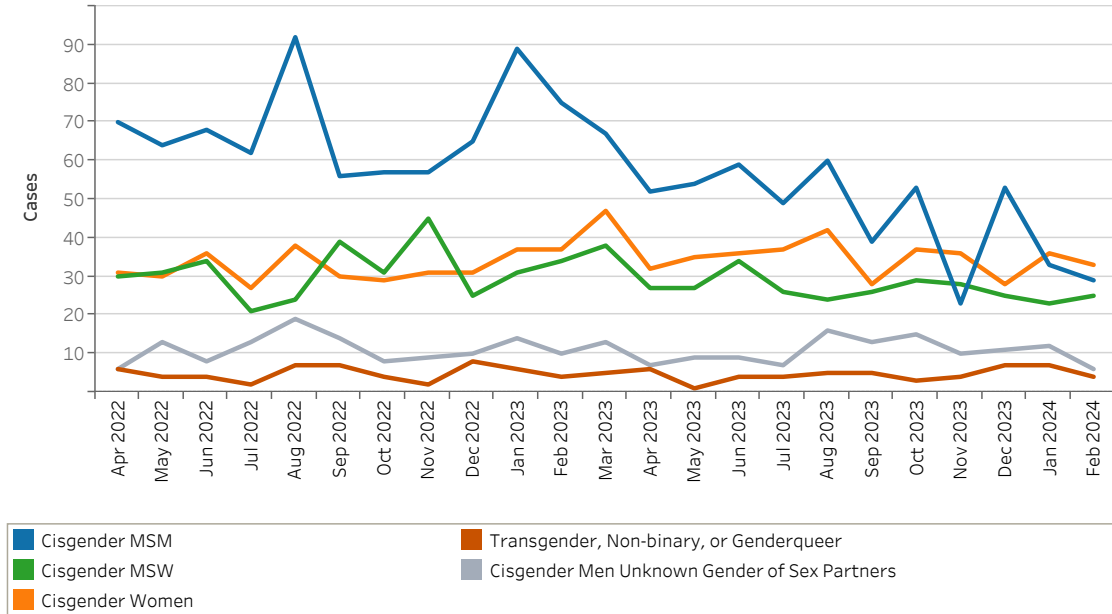
**Syphilis Cases by Stage, King County April 2022-March 2024**



**Cumulative Syphilis (all stages) Cases by Month and Year, King County 2022-2024**



**Syphilis (all stages) Cases by Gender and Gender of Sex Partners, King County April 2022-February 2024\*\***



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

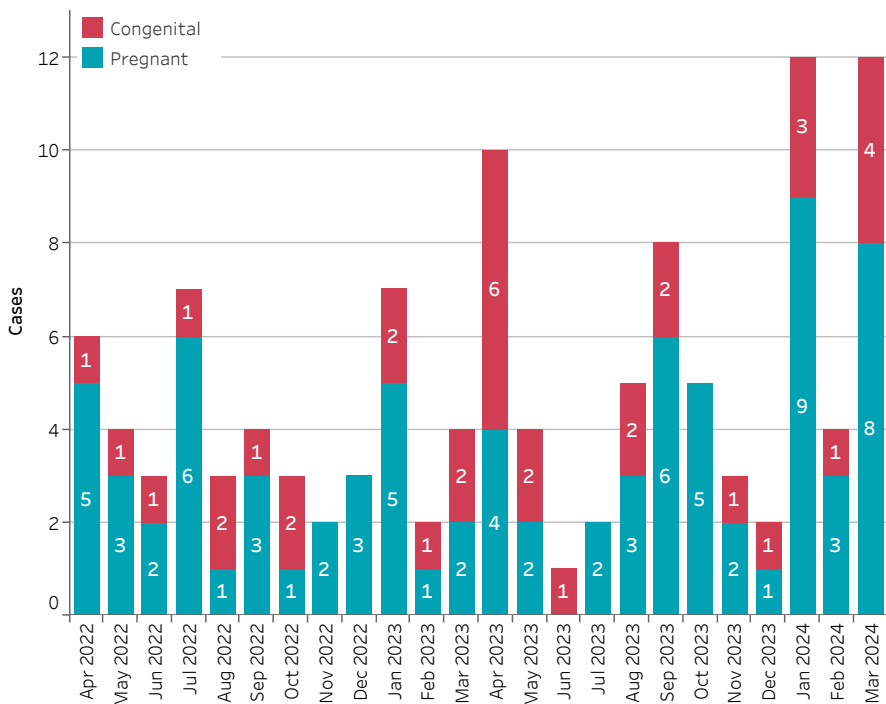
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### Syphilis (all stages) cases by gender and gender of sex partners and year of diagnosis

Cases diagnosed in January-March

	2023	2024
Cisgender MSM	231	84
Cisgender MSW	103	72
Cisgender Women	121	94
Cisgender Men Unknown Gender of Sex Partners	37	25
Transgender, Non-binary, or Genderqueer	15	15

### Pregnant and congenital syphilis cases, King County April 2022-March 2024



**20** syphilis cases were **pregnant** at the time of diagnosis and **8 congenital** cases have been diagnosed in 2024.

### Syphilis (all stages) cases by race/ethnicity, age, and risk 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 2022-March 2024<sup>1</sup>

Characteristics	Region							
	Seattle				South King County			
	MSM		MSW and Women		MSM		MSW and Women	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Total Cases</b>	808	100%	579	100%	343	100%	669	100%
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>								
American Indian/Alaska Native	10	1%	19	3%	6	2%	22	3%
Asian	71	9%	26	4%	23	7%	35	5%
Black	83	10%	164	28%	52	15%	146	22%
Hispanic/Latinx	162	20%	81	14%	102	30%	145	22%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	5	1%	7	1%	6	2%	12	2%
White	354	44%	219	38%	104	30%	211	32%
Multiracial	23	3%	24	4%	8	2%	35	5%
Other/Unknown	100	12%	39	7%	42	12%	63	9%
<b>Age</b>								
10-14	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	2	0%
15-19	5	1%	8	1%	10	3%	29	4%
20-24	50	6%	34	6%	35	10%	77	12%
25-29	118	15%	76	13%	46	13%	97	14%
30-34	177	22%	99	17%	62	18%	121	18%
35-44	231	29%	178	31%	93	27%	173	26%
45-54	137	17%	100	17%	58	17%	95	14%
>=55	90	11%	84	15%	38	11%	75	11%
<b>Total Interviewed</b>	92	11%	252	44%	55	16%	351	52%
<b>Risk factors among interviewed cases<sup>2</sup></b>								
Homeless (past 3 months)	8	9%	91	36%	6	11%	63	18%
Injection Drug Use (past year)	4	4%	18	7%	1	2%	15	4%
Methamphetamine Use (past year)	11	12%	73	29%	6	11%	72	21%
Opioids Use (past year) <sup>3</sup>	1	1%	55	22%	2	4%	41	12%
Substance Use (past year) <sup>4</sup>	12	13%	82	33%	6	11%	77	22%
Exchange Sex (past year)	2	2%	8	3%	3	5%	4	1%
No Risk Identified	77	84%	122	48%	44	80%	253	72%

<sup>1</sup>Note: All data are preliminary and data for past months may change due to delays in reporting from labs and providers. This report includes cases reported through April 12, 2024.

<sup>2</sup>Risk factors are limited to cases interviewed by Public Health staff. Percentages shown are among interviewed cases. No risk identified includes cases with no reported homelessness, injection drug use, methamphetamine use, opioid use, or exchange sex.

<sup>3</sup>Opioids not used as directed by a doctor. Includes fentanyl use.

<sup>4</sup>Substance use includes any injection drug, methamphetamine, or opioid use.