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HIV & OLDER ADULTS

THE 'OVER 50' YEAR OLDS ARE THE LARGEST GROWING GROUP

19% of new diagnoses

38% of people accessing HIV services

ROUTINE TESTING ADVISED IN HIGH RISK AREAS:

>2/1000 POPULATION

Public Health England publishes data each year on prevalence in each borough: check yours

OLDER ADULTS AT INCREASED RISK OF LATE DIAGNOSIS AND ADVERSE OUTCOMES

More advanced immunosuppression

Faster progression

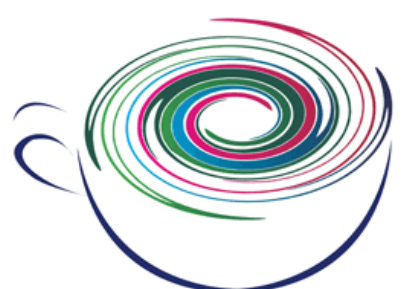
Increased risk for onwards transmission

CO-MORBIDITY AND GERIATRIC SYNDROMES

Inflammation thought to drive increased co-morbidities
Increased rates of age-related syndromes may be due to more intensive surveillance rather than accelerated ageing per se
Those well controlled on treatment have traditional drivers for ageing processes

DRUG DRUG INTERACTIONS ARE COMMON - CHECK THEM

search for 'HIV drug drug interaction checker, liverpool' for a great website that helps you check



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