



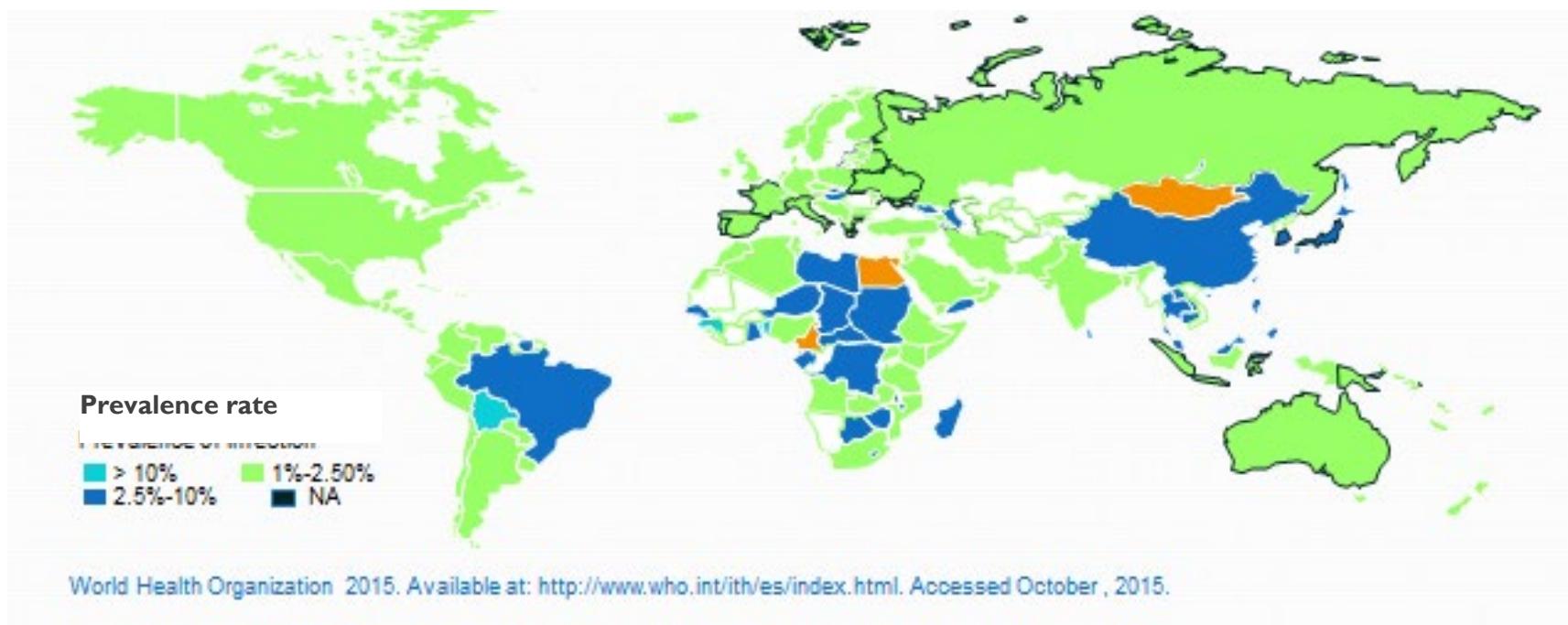
VHPB BALKAN MEETING

CURRENT SITUATION: EPIDEMIOLOGY, BURDEN OF DISEASE, SCREENING & PREVENTION, CASCADE OF CARE



Global HCV-a prevalence

- Estimated prevalence rate of HCV in BiH is 1,5%;



BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

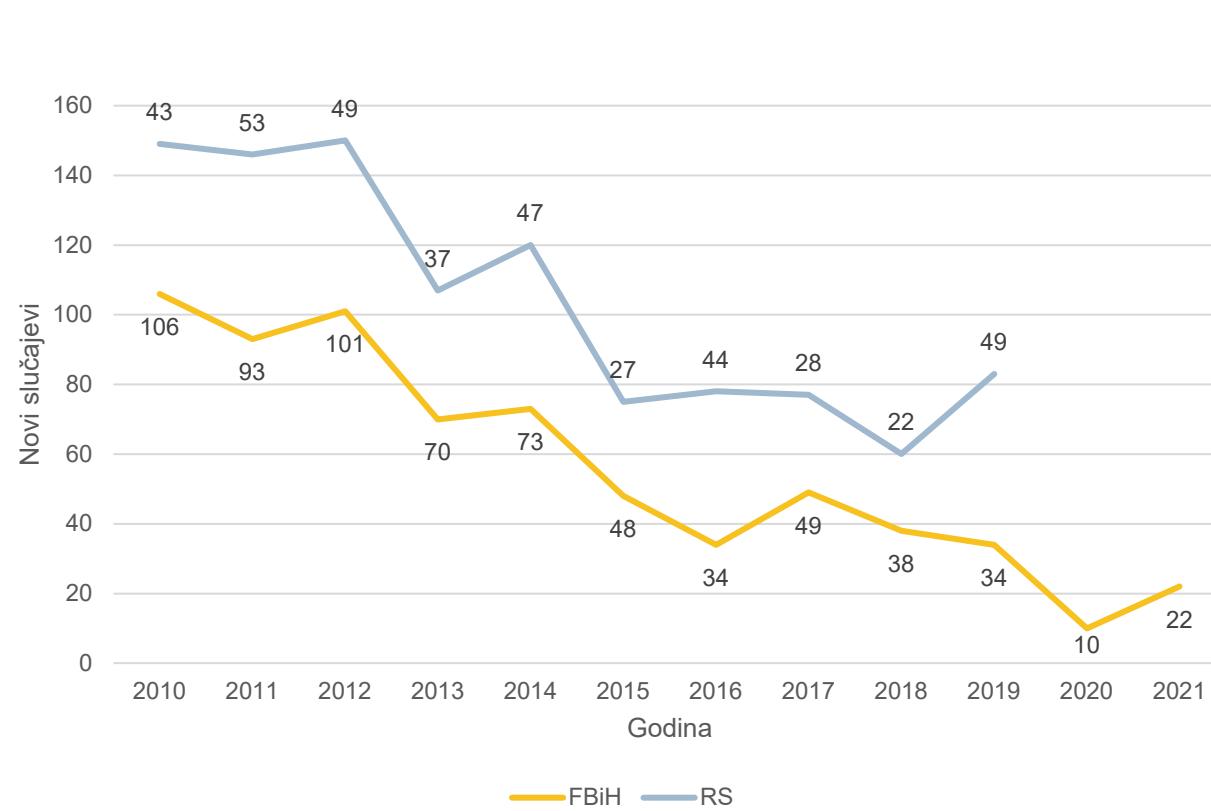
EPIDEMIOLOGY

	HBsAg (2021)	Anti-HCV (2021)
General population	12	13
Blood donors (first time)	4	Majority
Pregnant women	No data	No data
Risk Groups		
PWID	2	
MSM	2	
Prisoners		
Other		
Healthcare workers	0	

	In risk-population (specify)	Prevalence (year)
Anti HAV	I	0
Anti HEV	No data	No data



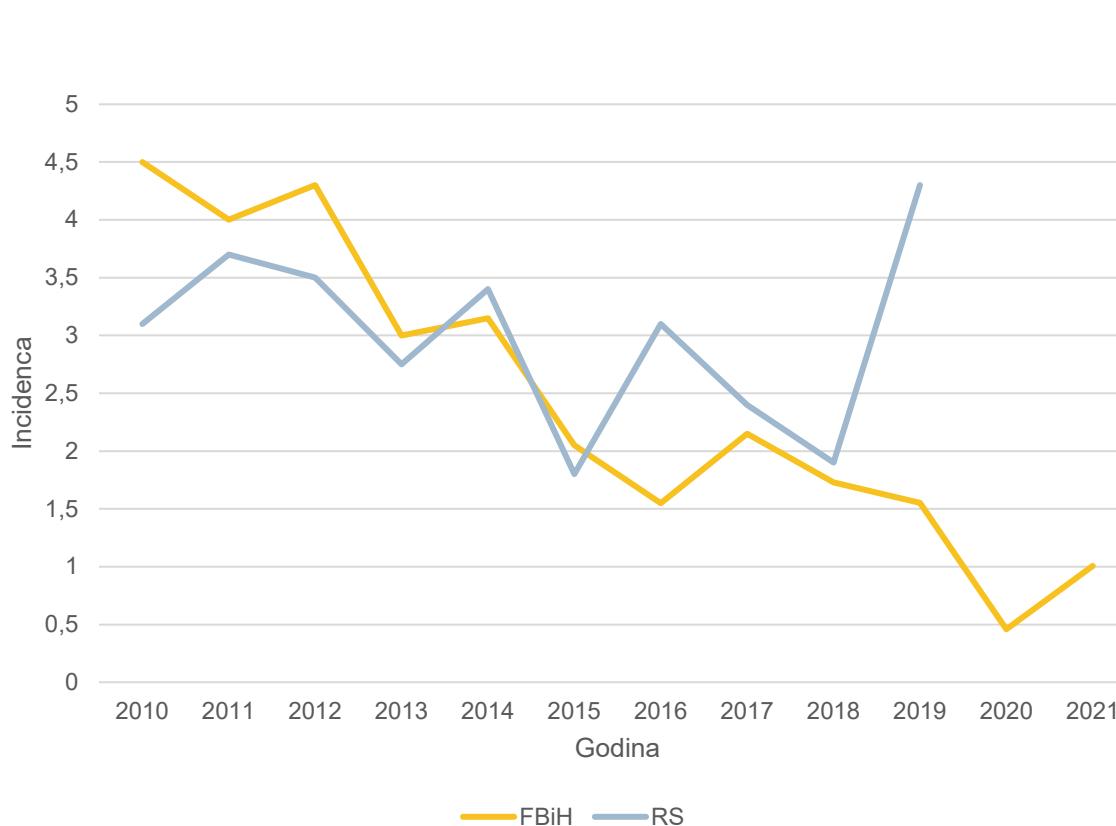
Newly reported HCV cases in FBiH and RS



Sources:
Public health institute of
FBiH, may 2022.
Public health institute of RS

Incidence rate of HCV in FBiH and RS

Period: 2010 – 2021

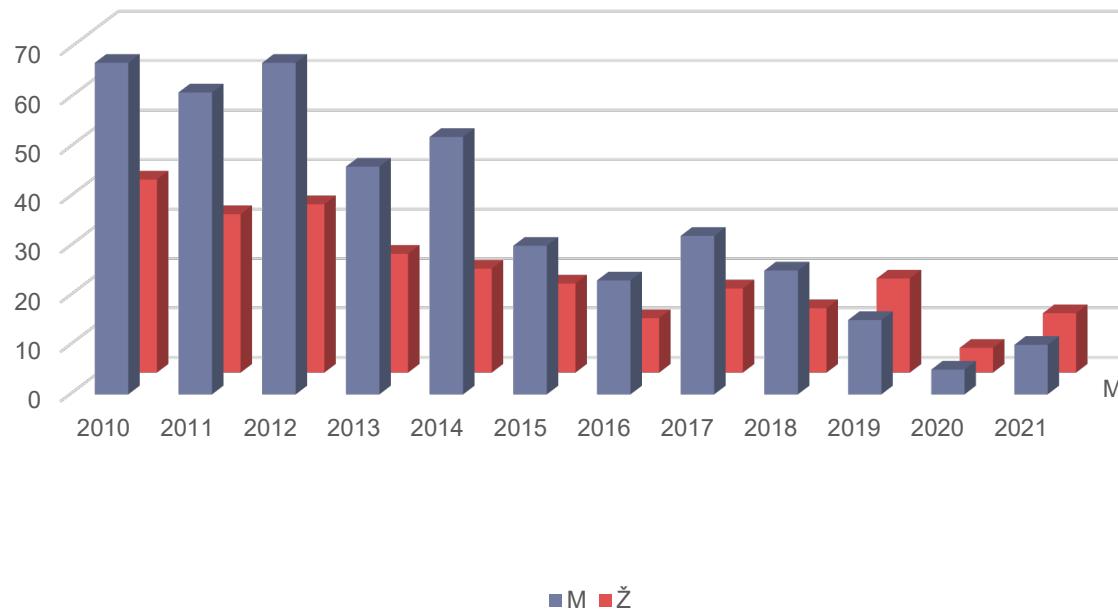


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Sex distribution of HCV infection in FBiH



Period 2010 - 2021.

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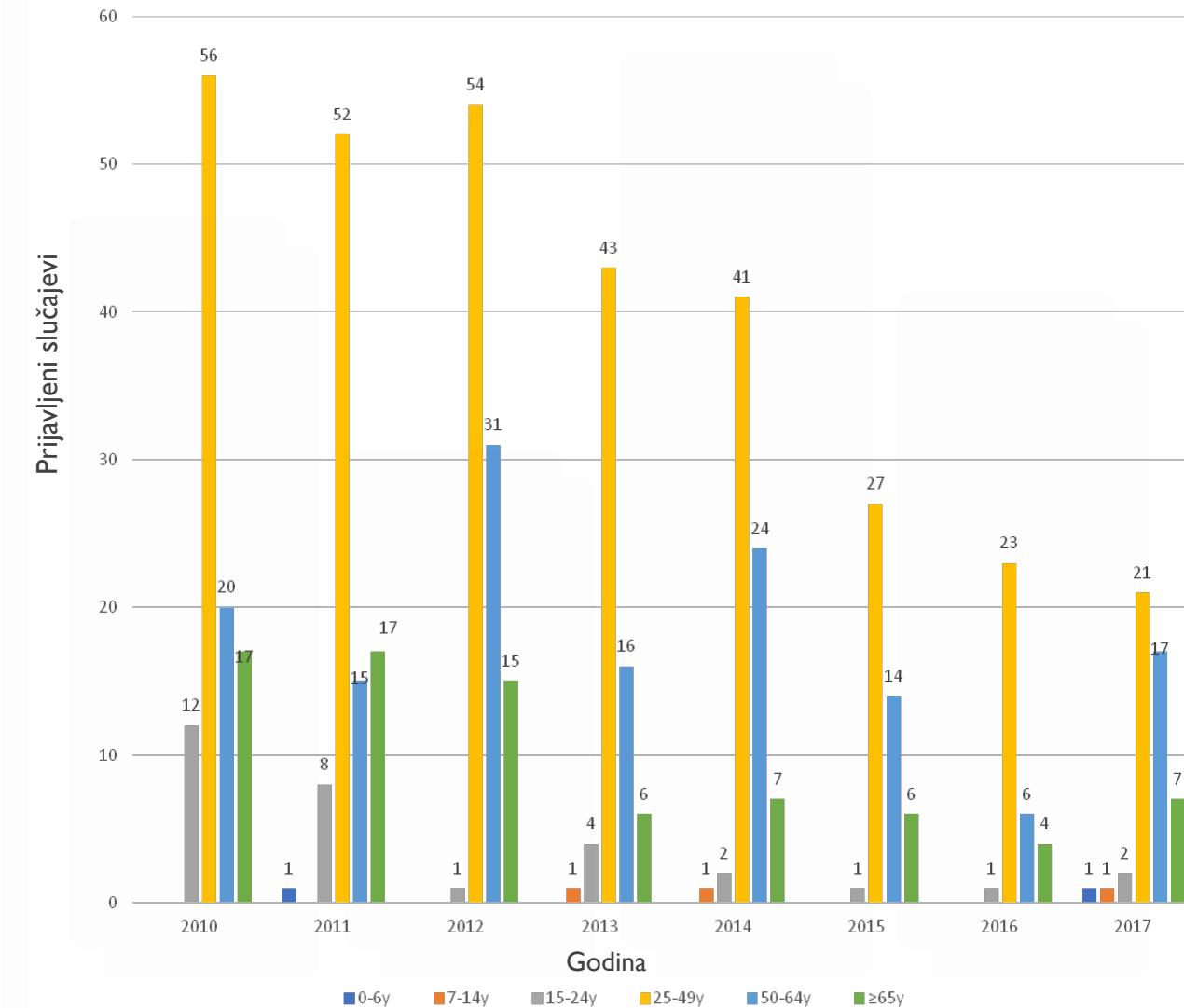
Public health institute of FBiH, may 2022.

Age distribution of HCV infection in FBiH

Period 2010 - 2017

Source:

Public health institute of FBiH, may 2022.



BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA VACCINATION PROGRAM

Hepatitis A	Y/N	population + Schedule	Since/period
Universal	N		
Risk group	N		

Hepatitis B	Y/N	population + Schedule	Since/period
Universal	Y	71,6% of planed kids after three doses Schedule: I dose at birth; II dose on first month, III dose with 6 months of life	2006
Catch-up	Y		
Risk Group	Y		



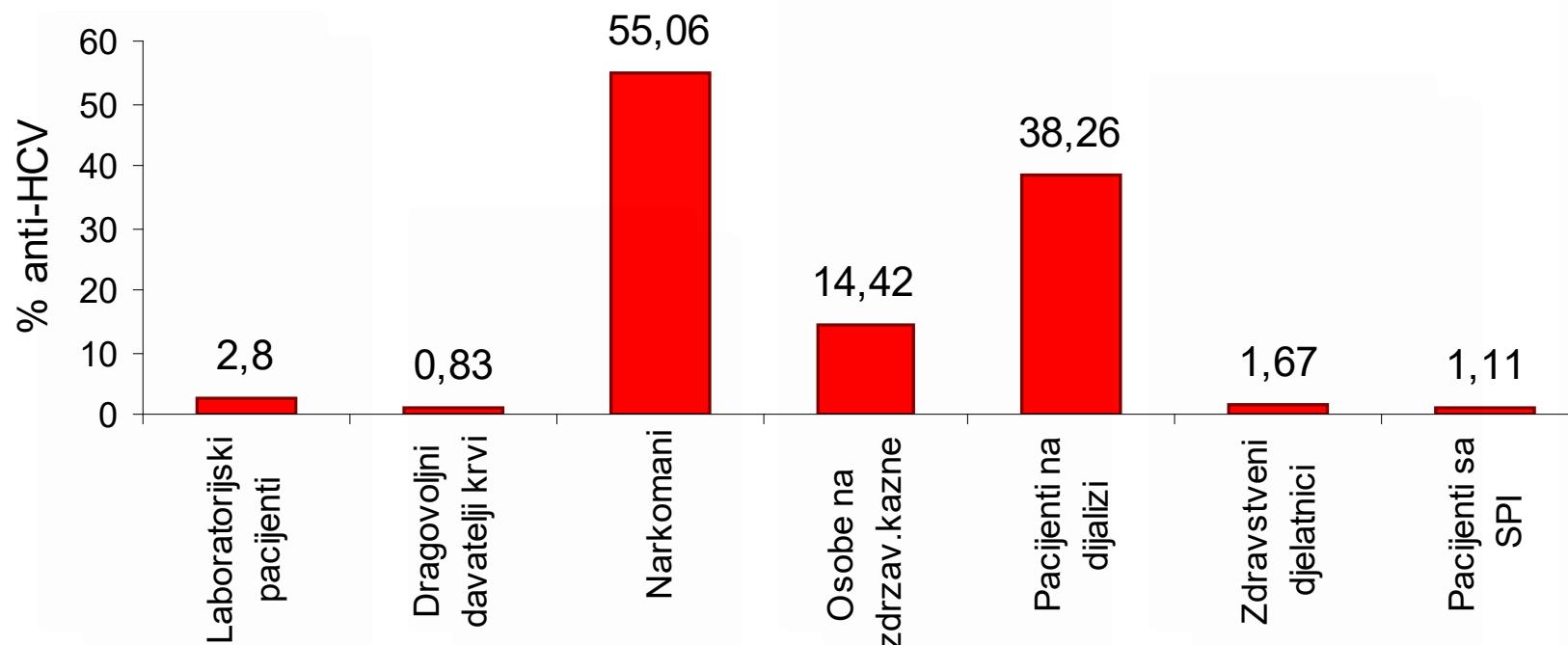
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA SCREENING

Recommended for following groups:	Hep B	Hep C
General population	N	N
Birth cohorts	N	N
Blood and organ donors	Y	Y
Pregnant women	Y	Y
PWID	Y	Y
STI clinic patients	Y/N	Y/N
Haemodialysis patients	Y	Y
Health care workers	Y	Y
Men having sex with men	Y/N	Y/N
Prison population	Y/N	Y/N
Migrants	Y/N	Y/N
Others		

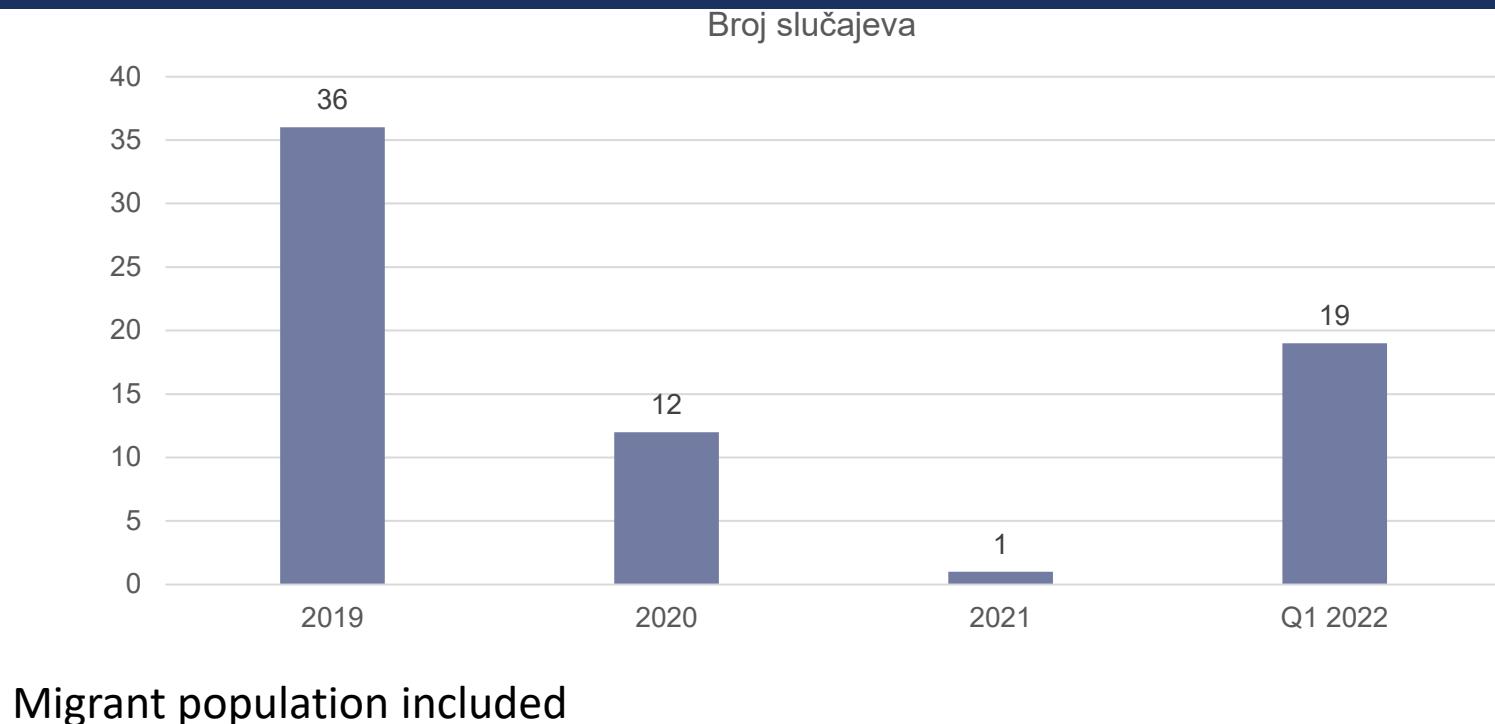


Seroprevalence of HCV

Grafikon 2 : Seroprevalenca HCV infekcije, prema selektiranoj populaciji



NUMBER OF ANTI HCV + IN TRANSFUSION INSTITUTE OF FBIH 2018-Q1 2022



BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

TREATMENT

National guidelines available	Y/N (year)
Hepatitis B	2012
Hepatitis C	2012
Other (specify)	



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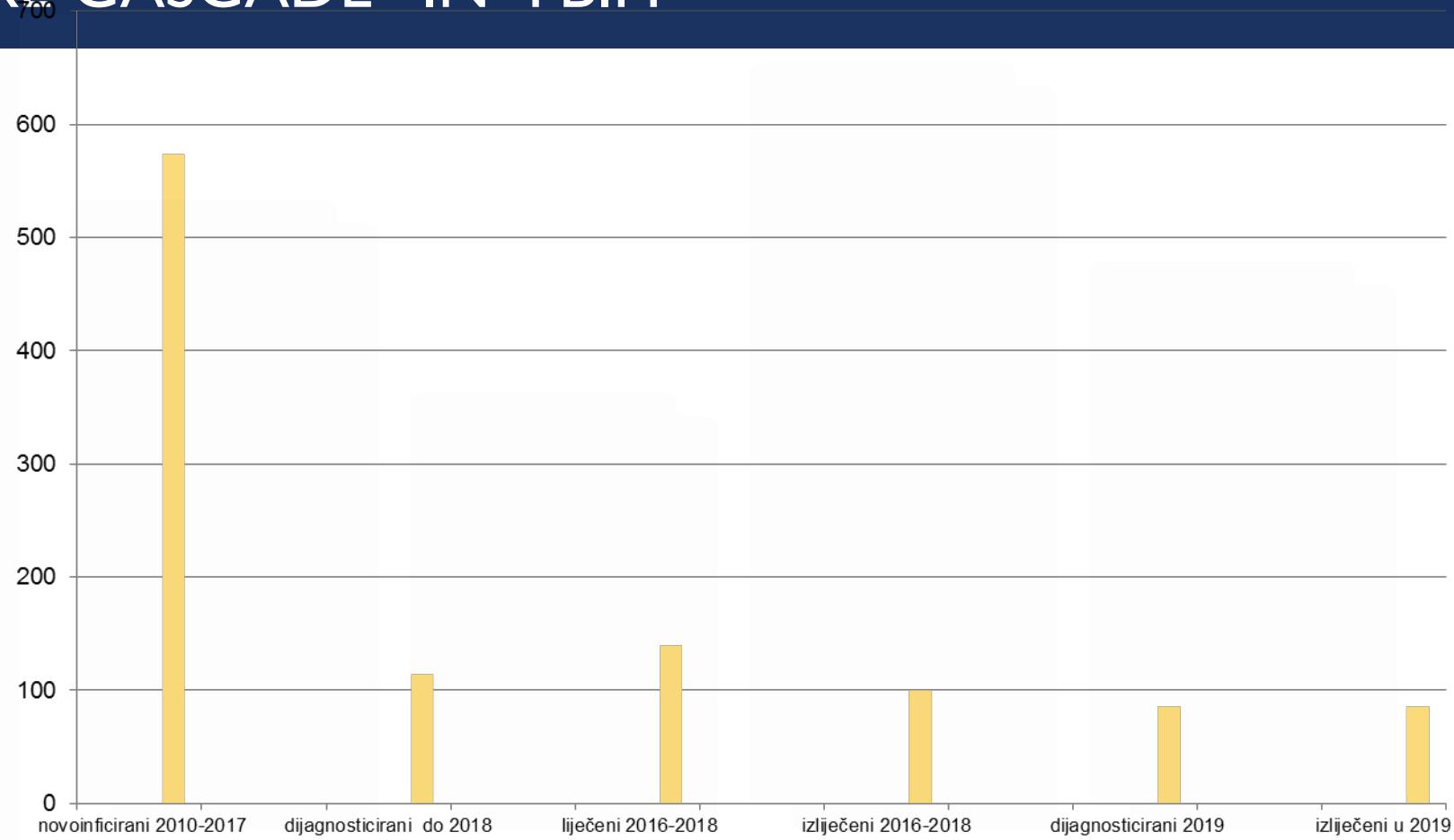
Drugs available for HCV treatment*	Y/N
PegInterferon	N
Ribavirin	Y
Boceprevir	N
Telaprevir	N
Simeprevir	N
Sofosbuvir	Y/N
Daclatasvir	N
Sofosbuvir/Ledipasvir	Y/N
Sofosbuvir/Velpatasvir	Y
Glecaprevir/Pibrentasvir	Y
Sofosbuvir/Velpatasvir/Voxilaprevir	N
Other (specify)	

Drugs available for HBV treatment*	Y/N
Lamivudine	Y
Adefovir	N
Telbivudine	N
Entacavir	Y
TDF	Y
TAF	N

Number of patients treated (cumulative)	
Hep B	Annually 60-80 since 2006
Hep C	Annually app.100-150 since 2016, total 750



„HCV CARE CASCADE“ IN FBiH



Source: Health Insurance Fund FBiH, 2020.