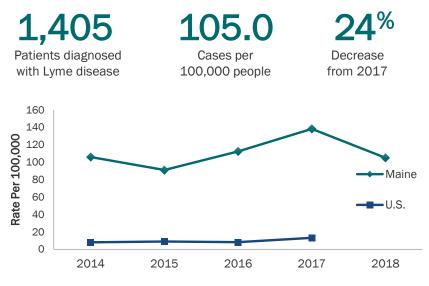
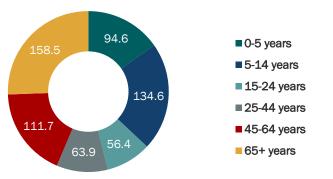


Case Information:



Characteristics:

Infection Rate by Age Group



- Most infections occur during the summer months, peaking in July
- 2% of patients were hospitalized

Symptoms Reported:

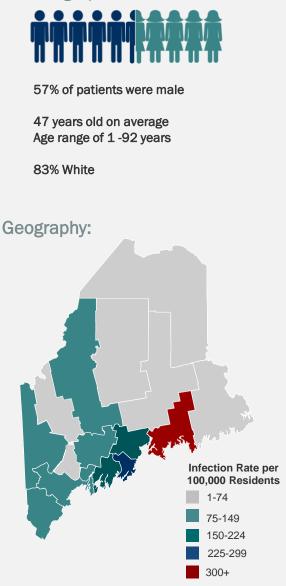


- EM (Bullseye Rash) 46%
- Arthritis 34%
- Neurologic 9%
- Cardiac 0.2%

Lyme Disease

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Demographics:



Prevention:

- Wear light-colored clothing, including longsleeved shirts, long pants, and socks
- Use an EPA-approved repellant
- Avoid wooded and brushy areas with high grass and leaf litter
- Check your clothing and gear for ticks and do a full-body tick check when coming back indoors

For more information visit:

- www.maine.gov/lyme
- www.cdc.gov/lyme

31 People with Lyme were

12 People with Lyme were

co-infected with babesiosis

co-infected with

anaplasmosis