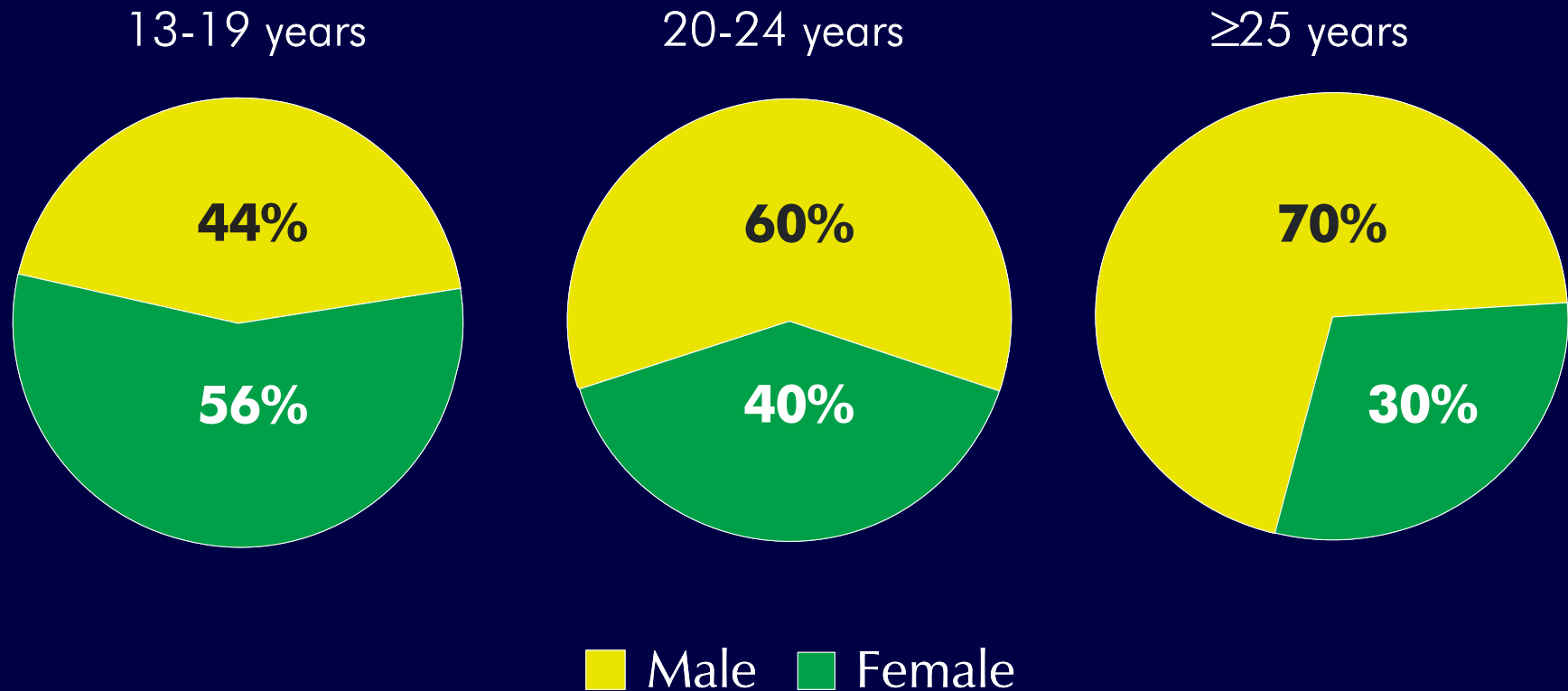


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\*From the areas with confidential HIV case surveillance for adults and adolescents in 2001



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Data from HIV infection case surveillance present a more complete view of the HIV/AIDS epidemic in the United States than data from AIDS surveillance alone. In 2001, 37 areas (including Guam, the Virgin Islands, and some Pacific Islands) conducted name-based confidential HIV infection surveillance of adults and adolescents.

Similar to the ratio seen with AIDS, the ratio of male to female adolescents and young adults with HIV diagnosed increases with age at diagnosis. In 2001, women accounted for 56% of the adolescents aged 13 to 19 years who were reported with HIV, compared with 40% of young adults aged 20 to 24 years and 30% of persons aged 25 and older.

