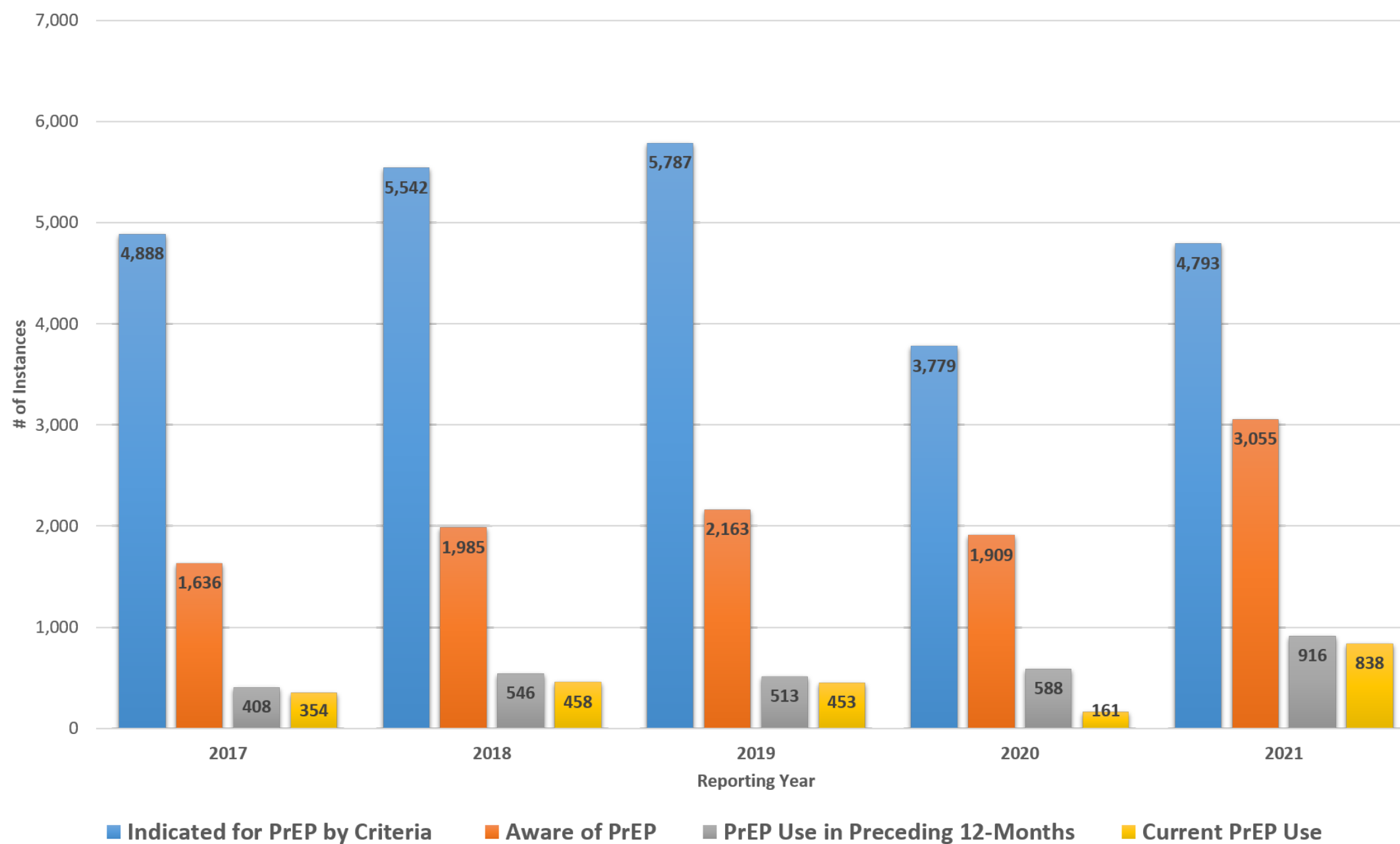


INTEGRATED TESTING SERVICES SNAPSHOT

ITS PrEP Screening and Referral Services: 2021

ITS PrEP Screening 2017 - 2021



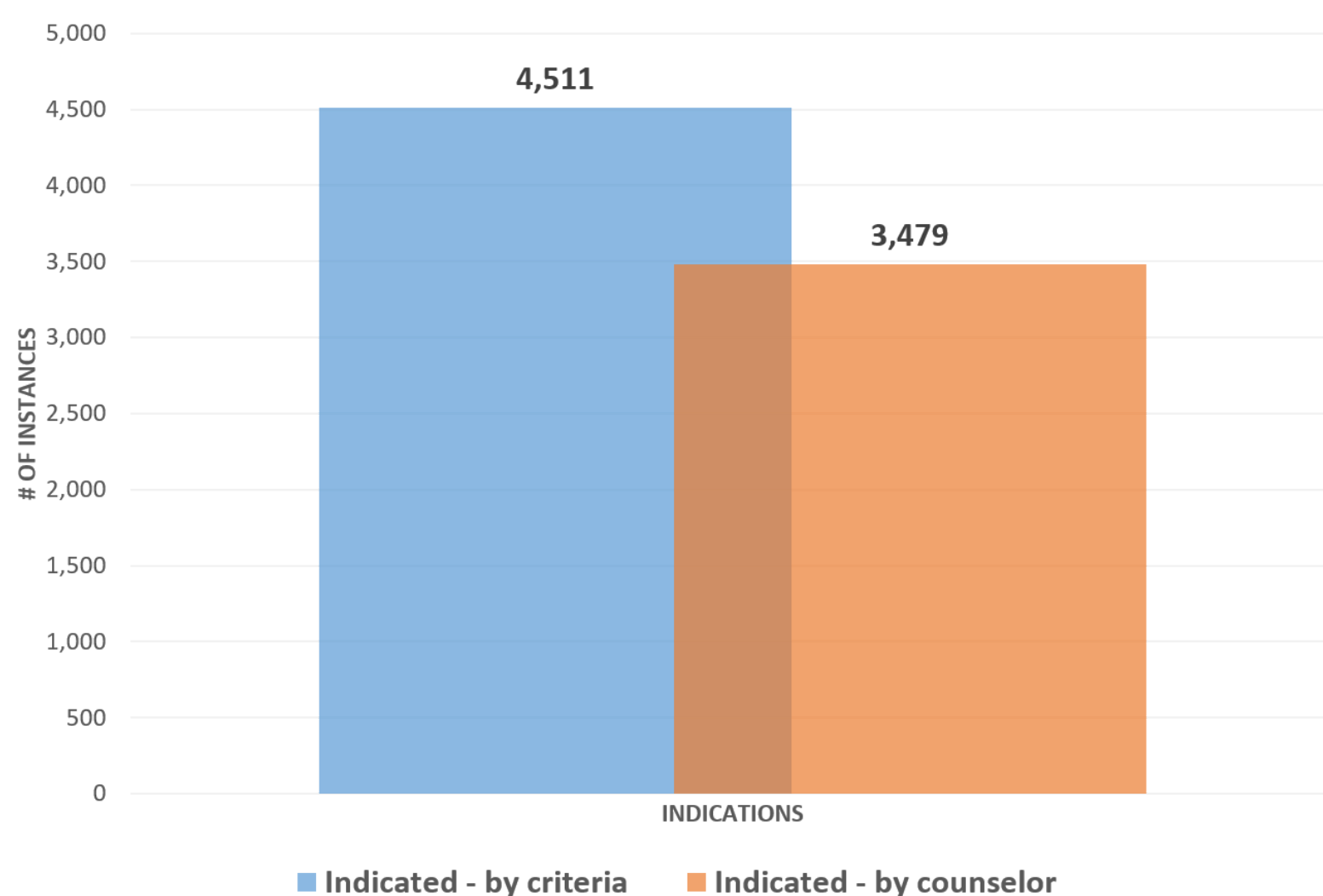
The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) estimate that just over 4,100 Iowans would benefit from Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) to prevent acquisition of HIV.

Available data sources estimate that at least 1,767 Iowans had active prescriptions for PrEP medications at the end of 2019.

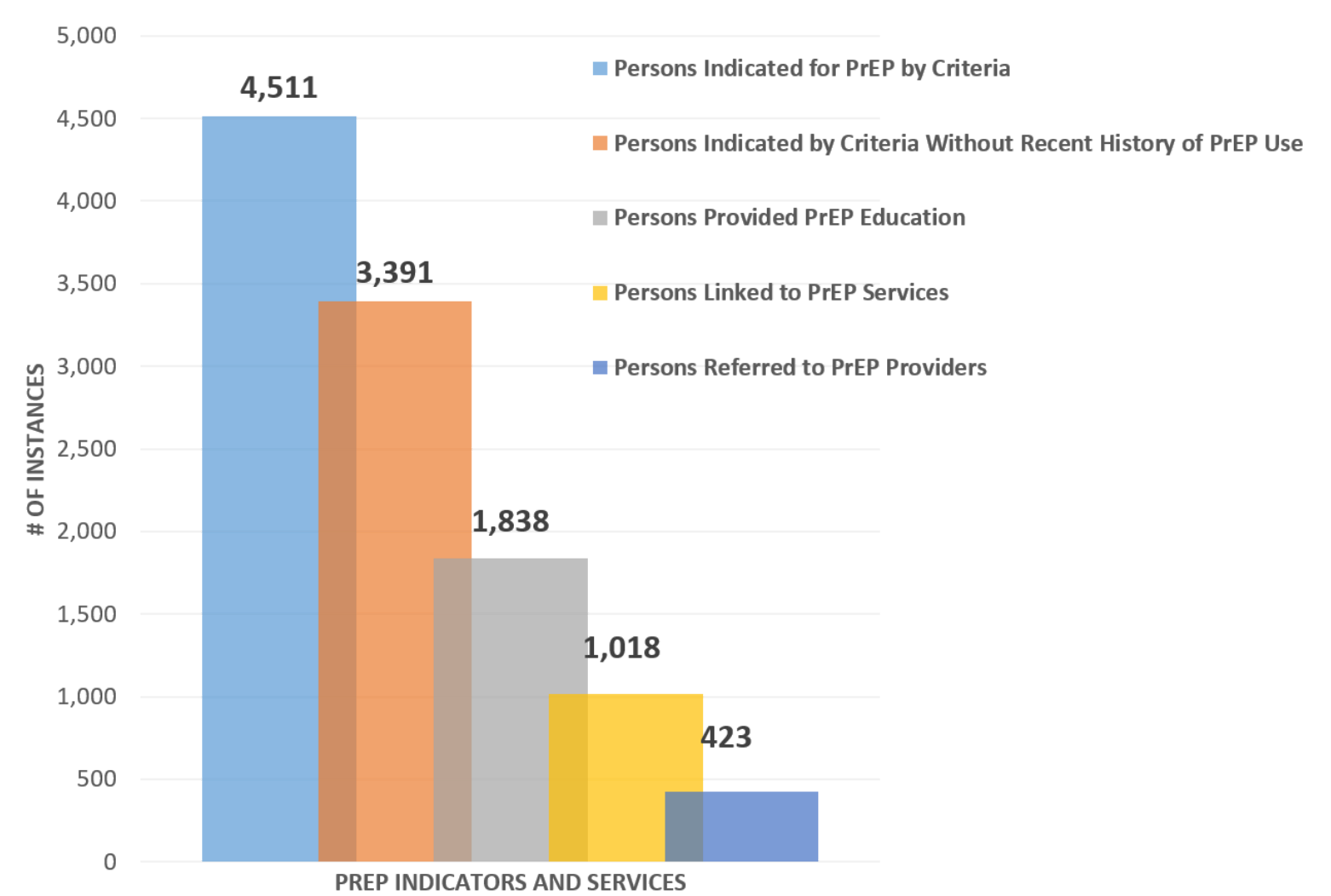
Of those who tested for HIV through Integrated Testing Services in 2021, 4,793 met the CDC classification for "PrEP indicated."

- **64% of those indicated had ever heard of PrEP** (compared to the 5-year average of 43%).
- **19% reported PrEP use in the preceding 12-month period** (compared to the 5-year average of 12%).
- **17% reported PrEP use as 'current' on the date of testing** (compared to the 5-year average of 9%).

ITS Appropriate Identification of People Indicated for PrEP 2021



ITS PrEP Education, Linkage, Referral 2021



The transition from EvaluationWeb to APHIRM in October 2020 allowed for better tracking of PrEP education, linkage, and referral services delivered during ITS testing encounters. 2021 represents the first full year of data available to view these measures.

- **Test counselors appropriately identified 77% of people who were indicated for PrEP based on criteria** (compared to 57% in Nov-Dec 2020).
- **PrEP education was provided to 54% of people indicated for PrEP by criteria who did not report PrEP use in the preceding 12-month period** (compared to 29% in Nov-Dec 2020).
- Of those people indicated for PrEP by criteria who reported no current or recent PrEP use and were provided education, **55% accepted linkage to care support** (compared to 69% in Nov-Dec 2020) and **23% accepted a referral to care** (compared to 43% in Nov-Dec 2020).

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