

Geo-Spatial Network Mapping of HIV Prevention among Men who have Sex with Men (MSM)

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HIV Risk Higher among MSM



- MSM comprise majority of current & new cases of HIV
- PrEP provides pharmaceutical HIV prevention

Preventative Care is Not Always Accessible



- Inequitable access to care underlies health inequality
- Culturally competent care is central to reducing barriers

Innovative Tech can Identify Health Inequities



- Geo-spatial networking apps
- Mapping users & HIV prevention resources
- Identify inequitable distribution of resources & prevention “deserts”

Turning App Use into Public Health Data



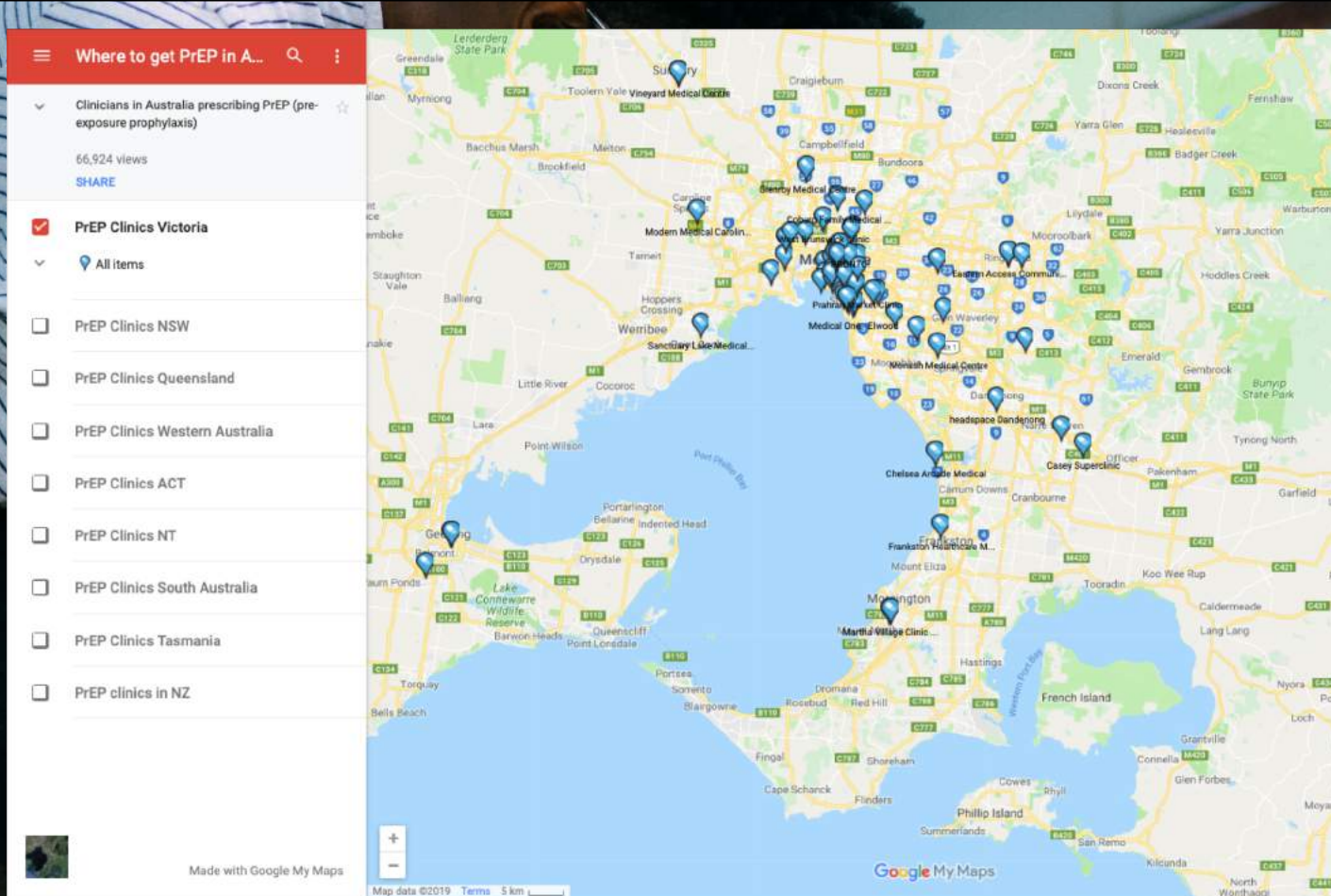
- 4 cities:
 - Los Angeles
 - New York
 - Sydney
 - Melbourne
- 4,912 men, age 18-65
- Map by ethnoracial group and age

Identifying Best HIV Prevention Providers



- PrEP Access Now
 - Competent care
 - Existing patients
- PrEP Locator
 - Specialized staff
 - Uninsured resources

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Where to get PrEP in A...
Clinicians in Australia prescribing PrEP (pre-exposure prophylaxis)
66,924 views
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new york
PrEP for uninsured
PrEP access assistance

- Apicha Community Health Center
400 Broadway
New York, NY 10013
(212) 334-6029
Distance from your location: 0.45 miles
- Planned Parenthood of New York City Incorporated
26 Blecker St
New York, NY 10012
(212) 965-7000
Distance from your location: 1.09 miles
- Community Healthcare Network
150 Essex St
New York, NY 10002
(212) 477-1120
Distance from your location: 1.14 miles
- Betances Health Center
280 Henry St
New York, NY 10002
(212) 227-8401
Distance from your location: 1.17 miles
- Village Park Medical
31 Washington Square W
4 Fl
New York, NY 10011
(212) 475-8833
Distance from your location: 1.37 miles

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Suggest A Provider

- PrEP Access Now
- Competent care
- Existing patients
- PrEP Locator
- Specialized staff
- Uninsured resources

Estimating Inequitable Access to Care



1. Map users: race & age
2. Add provider locations
3. Estimate distance to closest provider
4. Model inequitable resource distribution by race & age

LOS ANGELES race

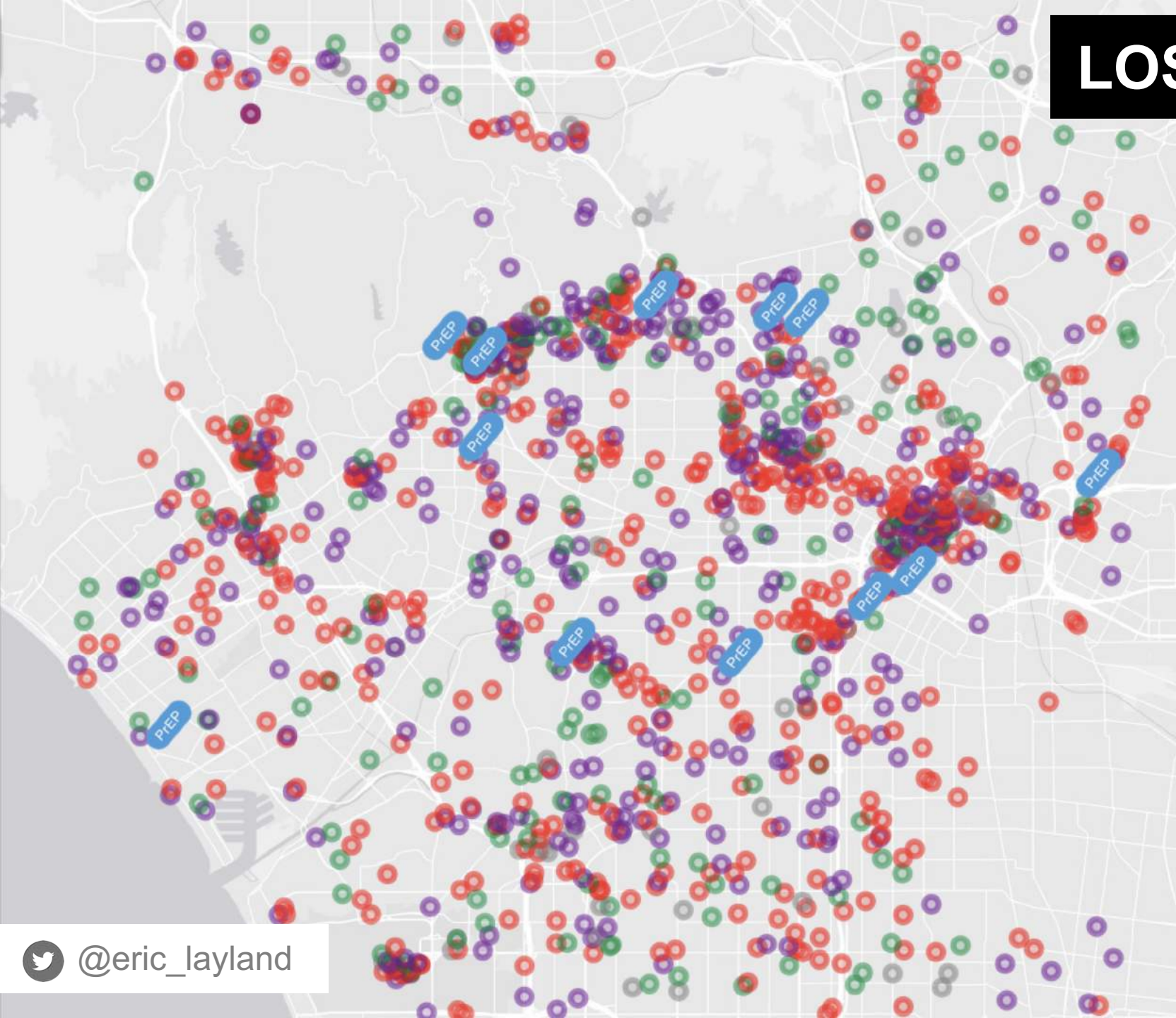


14 locations



White MSM closer to care than Black & Latino men


LOS ANGELES age



18-29  45%

30-39  37%

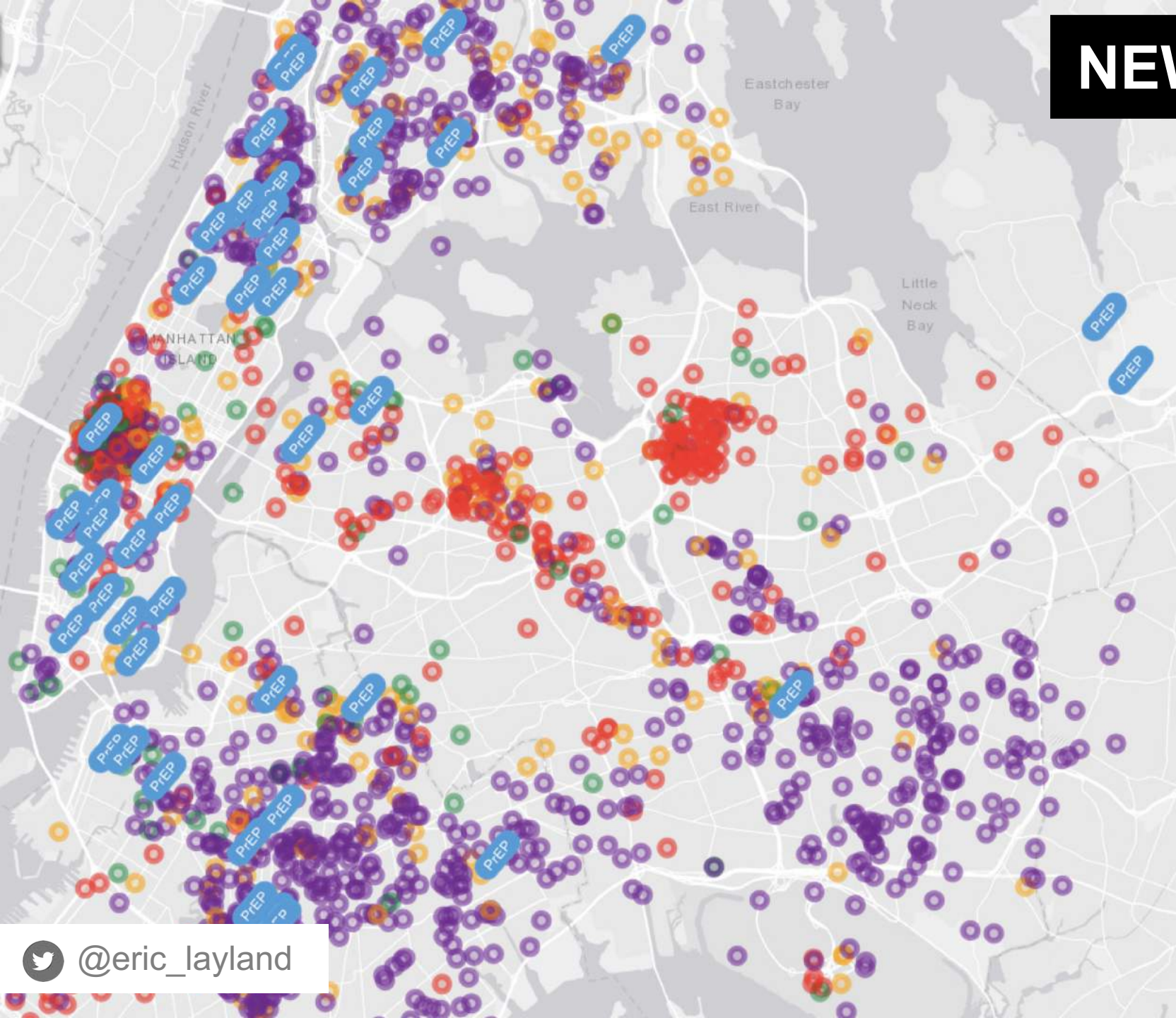
40-65  18%

 14 locations



Non-white younger & older men are furthest from care

NEW YORK race

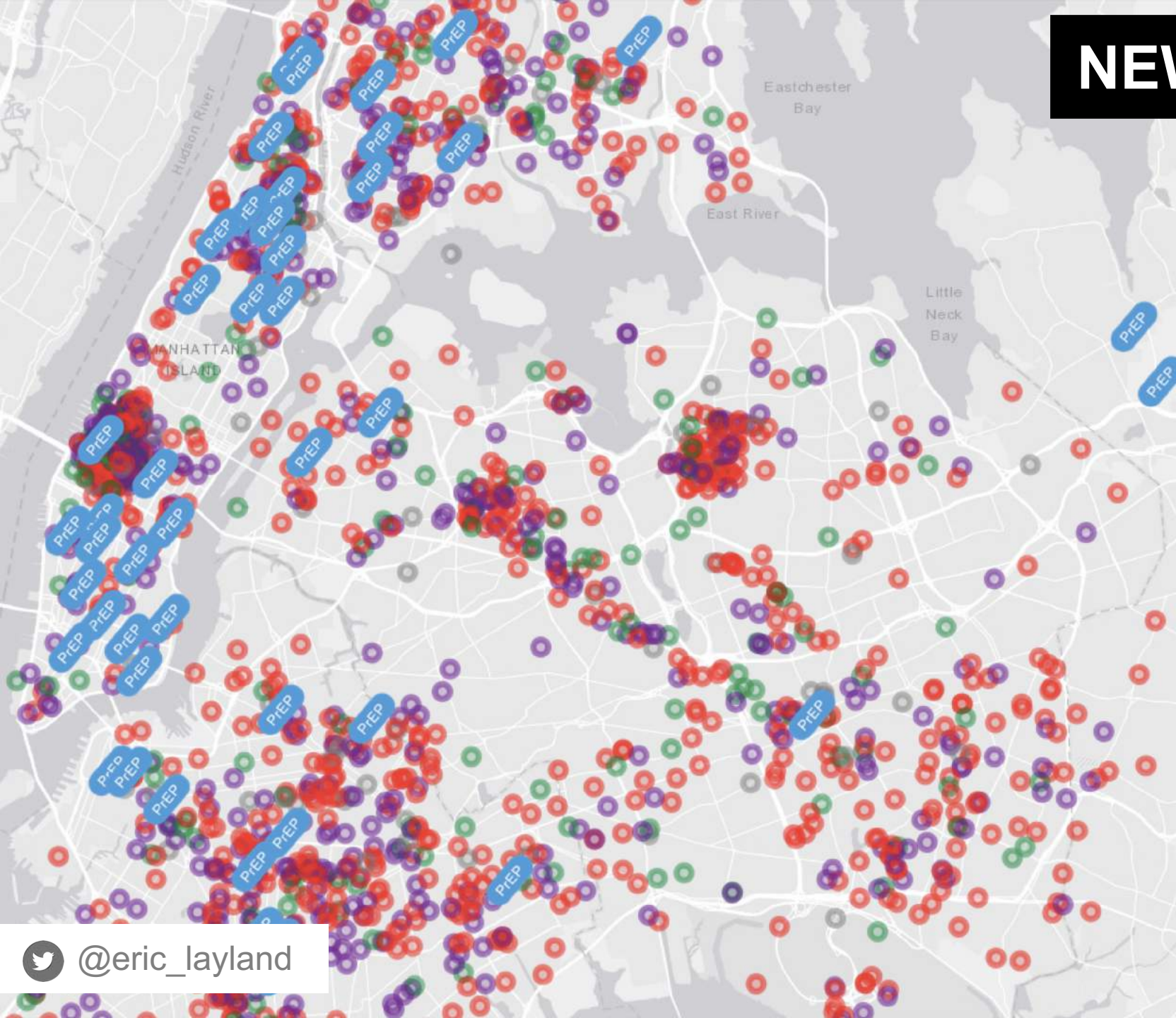


 52 locations

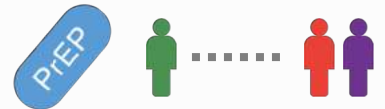


Asian MSM further from care than other men

NEW YORK age

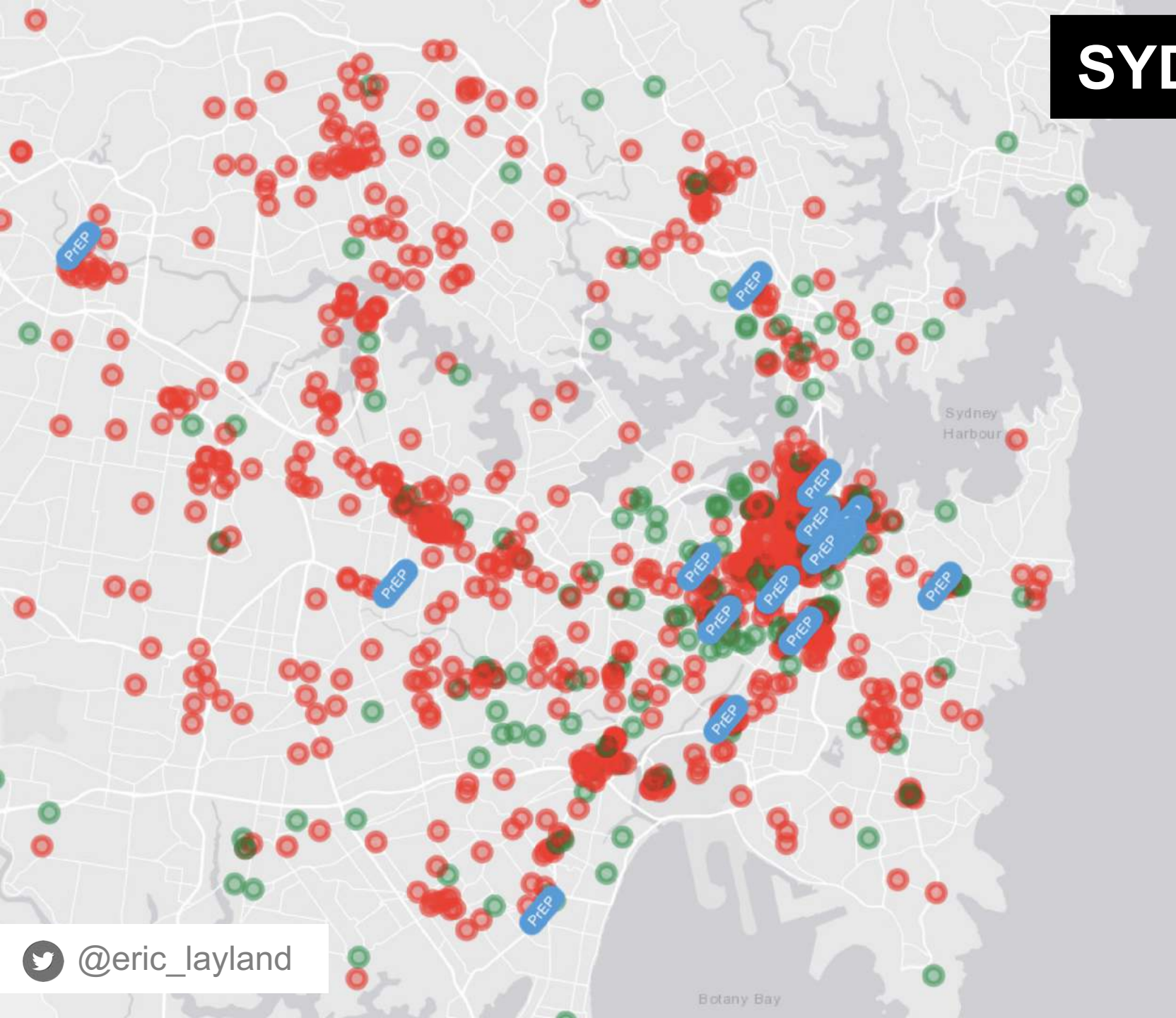


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Asian younger & older men furthest from care.

SYDNEY race



Asian 

 79%

White  21%

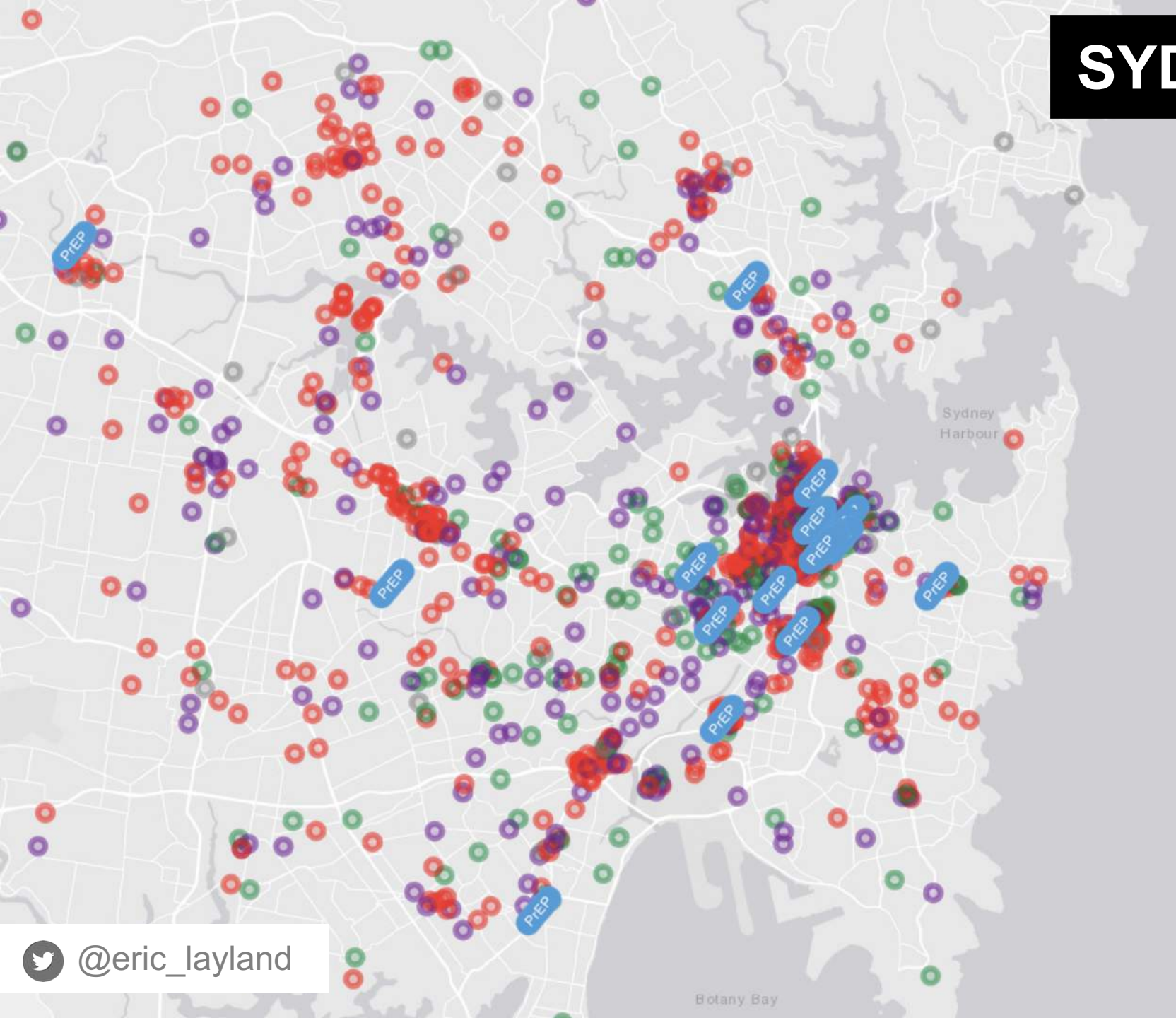


22 locations



No differences between White and Asian MSM.

SYDNEY age

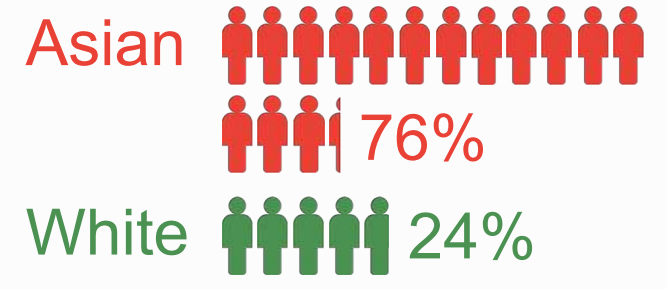
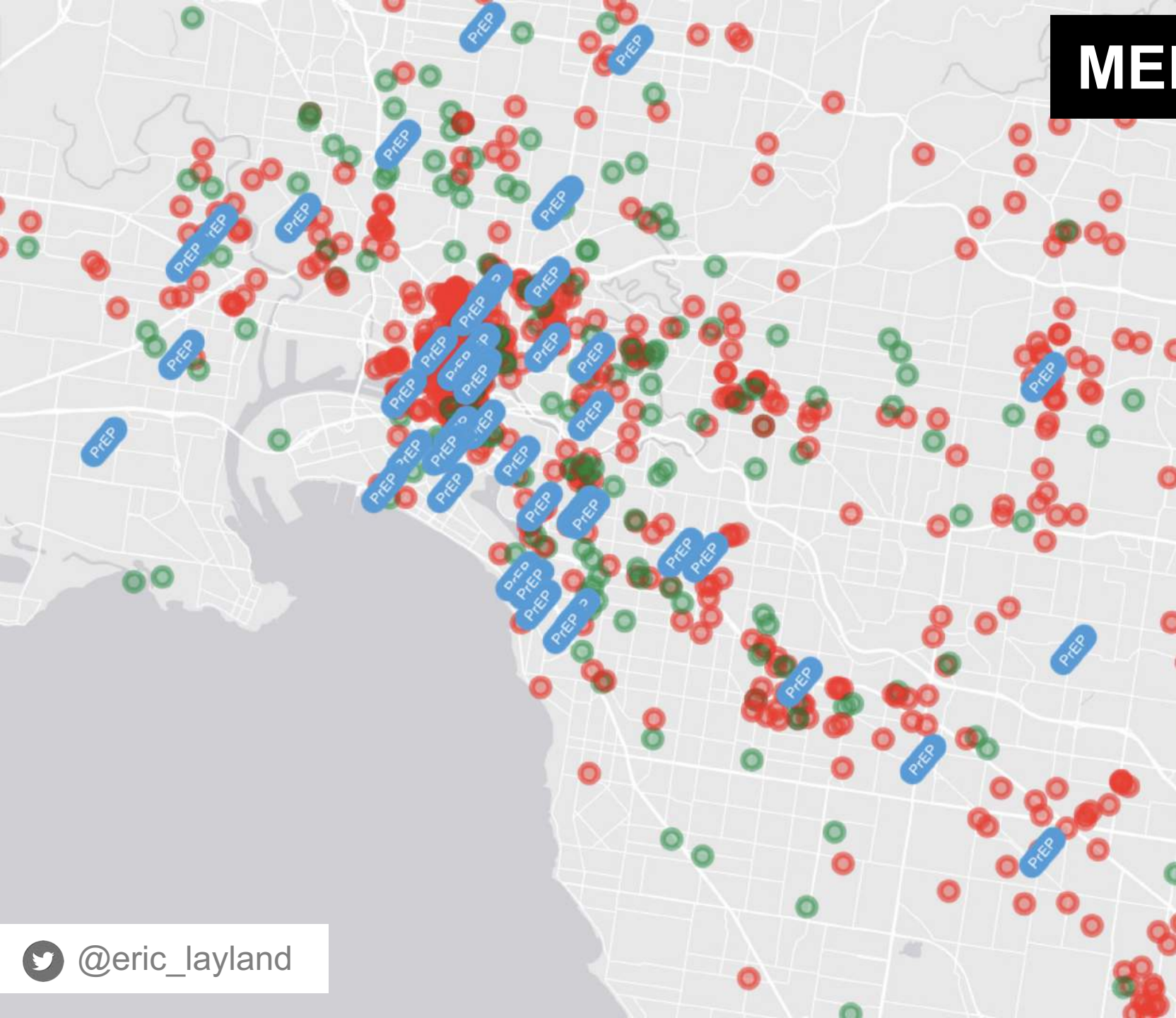


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No age differences.

MELBOURNE race

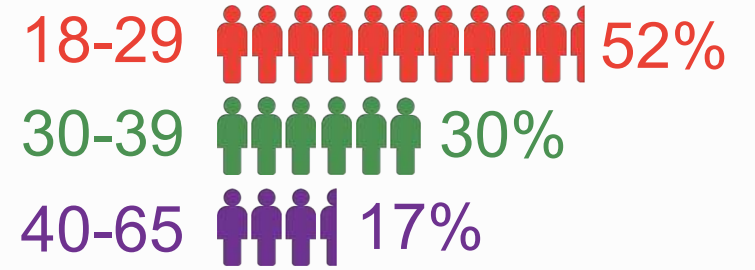
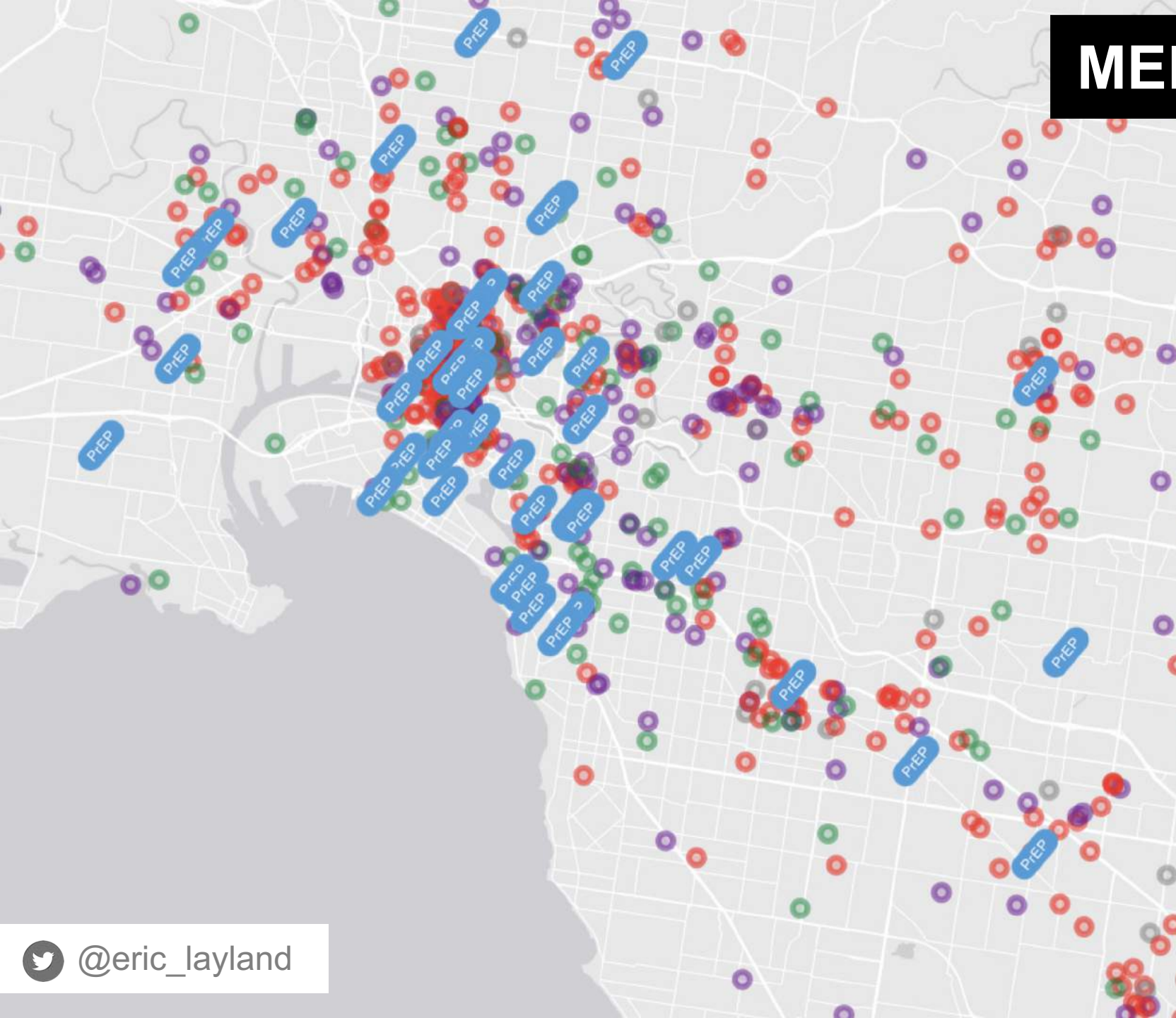


 61 locations



White MSM further from care than Asian MSM.

MELBOURNE age



61 locations



Distance is greater as age increases.

HIV Prevention Inequitably Distributed

- *By race:*
 - Los Angeles, New York, Melbourne
- *By age:*
 - Los Angeles, New York, Melbourne
- *By race + age:*
 - Los Angeles, New York



Fusing Health & Tech to Improve Access

- Geo-spatial networking as tool for identifying inequity
- Regional populations inform localized adaptation
- Informs care expansion
- Other inequalities may be identified