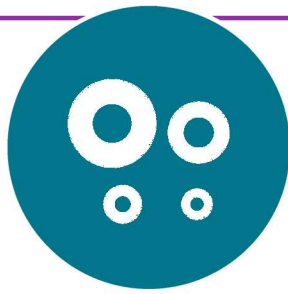


The STATE of STDs in the United States

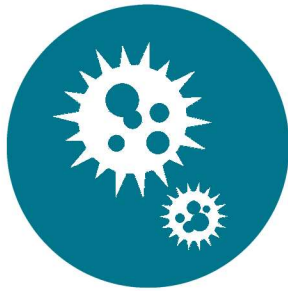


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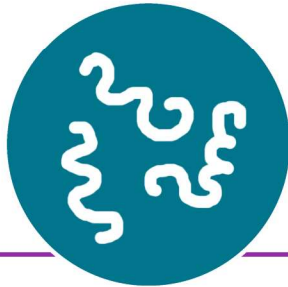
STDS TIGHTEN THEIR GRIP
ON THE NATION'S HEALTH
AS RATES INCREASE FOR A
THIRD YEAR



1.59 million
CASES OF CHLAMYDIA
4.7% increase since 2015



468,514
CASES OF GONORRHEA
18.5% increase since 2015



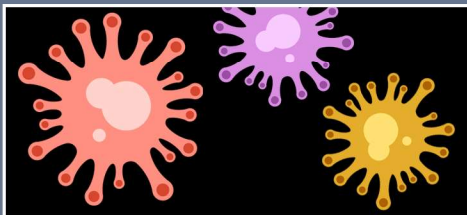
27,814
CASES OF SYPHILIS
17.6% increase since 2015

LEARN MORE AT: www.cdc.gov/std/

Anyone who has sex is
at risk, but some groups
are more affected

- YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 15-24
- GAY & BISEXUAL MEN
- PREGNANT WOMEN

LEFT UNTREATED, STDS CAN CAUSE:



INCREASED RISK OF GIVING
OR GETTING HIV



LONG-TERM
PELVIC/ABDOMINAL PAIN



INABILITY TO GET PREGNANT OR
PREGNANCY COMPLICATIONS

HELP INTERRUPT THE STEADY CLIMB IN STDS WITH THESE THREE STEPS:

TALK

Talk openly about STDs with
your partners & healthcare
providers.

TEST

Get tested. It's the only way
to know if you have an STD.

TREAT

If you have an STD, work with
your provider to get the right
medicine.



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Viral Hepatitis, STD, and
TB Prevention