The STATE of STDs in the United States



in 2017

THE NATION EXPERIENCES STEEP AND SUSTAINED STD INCREASES.



1.7 million CASES OF CHLAMYDIA

22% increase since 2013



555,608
CASES OF GONORRHEA

67% increase since 2013



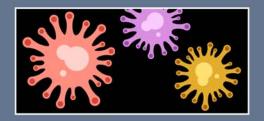
30,644
CASES OF SYPHILIS

76% increase since 2013

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 II

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.

