

LIBRARY LESSON #2: USING THE VIRTUAL LIBRARY FOR RELIABLE RESEARCH ABOUT
SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS

PART 1: TRUE OR FALSE

STATEMENT	T or F?
1) It is not possible to get a STI if you have oral sex.	F
2) There is no cure for genital herpes.	T
3) You are at risk of catching a STI if you have a new sexual partner.	T
4) Saliva cannot spread a STI.	F
5) Infected women who are pregnant can pass on STIs to their babies during pregnancy and childbirth.	T
6) The best way to avoid getting an STI is abstinence (not having sex).	T
7) Lambskin condoms are more effective than latex condoms for preventing STIs.	F
8) Anal sex is a high risk activity for getting a STI.	T
9) Sharing needles for tattooing can transmit STIs.	T
10) Researchers have recently found a cure for HIV/AIDS.	F
11) Same sex couples cannot catch STIs.	F
12) HPV (human papilloma virus) or genital warts can be cured.	F
13) STIs are usually spread through intercourse because the bacteria or viruses travel in semen, vaginal fluid, and blood.	T

PART 2: RESEARCH USING THE VIRTUAL LIBRARY

Go to stephenleacock.ca → Virtual Library →  →  →  Teen Health and Wellness → Sexuality and Sexual Health

This is a database that has been curated by the TDSB. All the information in these databases are RELIABLE sources of information (unlike Google Searches).

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Sexually Transmitted Disease	How is it transmitted?	What are the symptoms and long-term effects?	How do you treat it? Is it curable?	How do you prevent getting it?	Where do you go for help?
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<p>HIV/AIDS</p> <p>Source: AIDS. (n.d.). Retrieved November 27, 2017, from http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/34/aids HIV/AIDS. (2017, November) Retrieved from http://www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/fs360/en/</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Blood• Semen• Vaginal fluids• Breast milk• During vaginal and anal sex	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Symptoms: Nausea, persistent diarrhea, weakened immune system, recurring fever, muscle ache, headache, rashes, chills, sore throat, swollen glands, and joint pain• Long-term effects: Loss or gain of body fat, heart disease,	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• There is no cure to HIV/AIDS. However, ARV drugs can control, and prevent the virus from spreading	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safe sex• Abstinence• Monogamous relationship• Don't share needles• Don't receive unsafe injections	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Get in touch with a doctor who will be able to monitor you• An HIV Test Centre
<p>Chlamydia</p> <p>Source: Chlamydia. (n.d.). Retrieved November 27, 2017, from http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/83/chlamydia Sexually Transmitted Infections(STIs). (2016, August) Retrieved from http://www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/fs110/en/</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vaginal secretions• Infected semen• During vaginal, anal, and oral sex• Can also be passed to baby during pregnancy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Burning sensation when urinating• Irritation or itching around vagina• Burning or itching around penis• Pain or swelling around the testicles• Long term effects:• Pelvic Inflammatory Disease(PID) for women• Infertility• Ectopic pregnancy• Epididymitis in men	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cured with effective single dose regimens of antibiotics• Curable	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safe sex• Abstinence• Monogamous relationship	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Your doctor
<p>Genital Herpes</p> <p>Source: Genital Herpes. (n.d.). Retrieved November 27, 2017, from http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/170/genital-herpes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sexual contact• Vaginal, anal, or oral sex	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cold sores• Open sores• Red bumps• Burning sensation during urination• Flu-like symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Antiviral drugs• Antibiotics• Not curable	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safe sex• Abstinence• Monogamous Relationship• Stay away from drugs & alcohol	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Your doctor
<p>Gonorrhea</p> <p>Source: Gonorrhea. (n.d.). Retrieved November 27, 2017, from http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/174/gonorrhea Gonorrhea. (n.d.). Retrieved November 28, 2017, from https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/gonorrhea.html</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Semen• Vaginal fluid• During vaginal, anal, or oral sex• Can be passed from mother to baby during pregnancy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Abnormal discharge of fluid from penis• Pain during urination• High fever• Frequent urination• Long-term effects:• Severe PID in women	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Newly developed Antibiotics• Curable	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safe sex• Abstinence• Monogamous relationship• Stay away from drugs and alcohol	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Your doctor
<p>Hepatitis B</p> <p>Source: Hepatitis B. (n.d.). Retrieved November 27, 2017, from</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Blood• Bodily fluids	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Blocks liver pathways• Problems with sex hormones• Liver Disease• Long term effects:• Diseased liver	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Drugs that control the virus	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Don't share needles• Don't receive unsafe injections• Abstinence• Safe Sex• Monogamous relationship	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Your doctor

http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/452/hepatitis-b		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stay away from drugs and alcohol 	
<p>HPV (human papillomavirus)</p> <p>Source: Human Papillomavirus (HPV). (n.d.). Retrieved November 28, 2017, from http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/188/human-papillomavirus-hpv</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sex 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Warts Cervical Cancer Anal Cancer Oral Cancer Itching Pain 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cream(warts) Chemicals(warts) Not Curable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Abstain Use condoms Get vaccineated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your doctor
<p>Syphilis</p> <p>Source: Syphilis. (n.d.). Retrieved November 28, 2017, from http://www.teenhealthandwellness.com/article/318/syphilis</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sex Sexual contact Birth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sores Rashes Spreads to the brain Miscarriage(pregnancy) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Penicillin Curable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Abstinence Use condoms Don't share needles 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your doctor

RUBRIC:

Criteria:

Level:

The questions in the spreadsheet are answered accurately.	1	2	3	4
The questions in the spreadsheet are answered using multiple pieces of evidence.	1	2	3	4
Proper sources are cited for the information in the spreadsheet.	1	2	3	4