

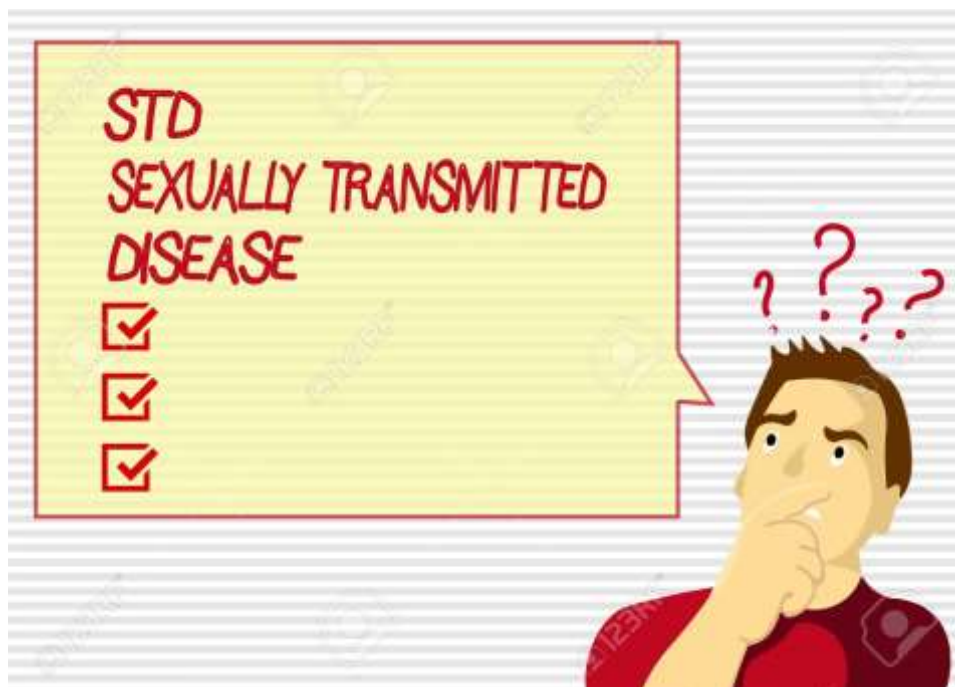
En Agosto tenemos la semana de la ESI (Educación Sexual Integrada) por este motivo este trabajo se basará en ello.

Estadísticas e información sobre enfermedades de transmisión sexual.

1) Read the following statistics and text about STDs (Sexually Transmitted Diseases)

- In Argentina, the number of syphilis infected patients has increased 3 times in the last 7 years.
- 11,709 people were infected with syphilis last year in Argentina.
- Most people who have syphilis are between 17 to 30 years old.
- 17 people get infected with HIV every day, and 5 die because of the disease. 10 out of the 17, do not know they have AIDS.
- 90% of the people who have AIDS got infected because they had had unprotected sex.
- In the USA, there are about 19 million people infected with an STD every year.
- The most frequently informed STDs in the USA are chlamydia and gonorrhea.

There are more than 25 known STDs, the most common ones are HIV, syphilis, gonorrhea, herpes, hepatitis B, HPV and pubic lice. STDs can be transmitted by vaginal, oral or anal sex. Bacterial STDs can be cured with antibiotics; lice can be eradicated with medicine, too. However, viral STDs cannot be cured, but are managed. In Argentina, teens get vaccinated against HPV. Certain STDs are asymptomatic, while in others, symptoms are usually mistaken with different diseases like yeast infections. People infected with HIV can get symptoms 10 years later, but infect their sexual partners all along. Women are more vulnerable to STDs than men, because of their anatomy. It is more common for men to transmit an infection than the other way round. Women can also pass the disease to their child if they are pregnant. The STDs can be transmitted as well in same sex partners. Any person, from any social class, can get an STD. What precautions can we have to avoid getting an STD/STI? The safest way is not having sex. But if you are sexually active, remember that the pill prevents pregnancy, not catching an STD. Though they are not 100% safe, condoms reduce the risk of acquiring an infection. Use a condom for vaginal, oral and anal sex. Some STDs can also be transmitted through blood. Do not share needles, razors or toothbrushes.



2) Read the following sentences and decide if they could be TRUE or FALSE

De acuerdo a lo leído anteriormente en el punto 1 ponemos verdadero o falso a estas oraciones.

- a) Girls can get an STD less often than boys.
- b) If a girl is on the pill she cannot get an STD, but the boy can.
- c) If a person has an STD but has no symptoms they cannot infect their partner.
- d) An STD can be transmitted ONLY if the person infected has visible marks.
- e) HIV can be transmitted by kissing someone infected.
- f) A condom is the safest way to avoid getting infected by an STD.
- g) Only poor people get STDs. If you have money, you cannot get any.
- h) In Argentina there are no STDs.
- i) You can get vaccinated to avoid STDs.

3) Match beginnings and endings.

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| a) There are more than | 1) mistaken with other diseases. |
| b) STDs can be transmitted by | 2) cannot be cured. |
| c) Bacterial STDs can | 3) vaginal, oral or anal sex. |
| d) Viral STDs | 4) can get an STD. |
| e) Symptoms are usually | 5) 25 known STDs. |
| f) Women are more vulnerable | 6) be cured. |
| g) It is more common for men to | 7) be transmitted through blood. |
| h) Any person | 8) transmit an STD. |
| i) Condoms reduce the risk | 9) to STDs than men. |
| j) Some infections can also | 10) of acquiring an infection. |

4) Choose one disease and create a poster or leaflet. The information that should be included: Symptoms, Incubation period, Cure, Side effects if not treated and you can add images.

- AIDS
- Syphilis
- Gonorrhea
- HPV (human papillomavirus)
- Herpes

Armen un poster un folleto sobre alguna de las enfermedades nombradas. Que contenga información general como síntomas, efectos, etc e imágenes si querés.