

### Common Sexually Transmitted Infections

<b><u>Name</u></b> <b><u>Infection Location</u></b>	<b><u>Transmission</u></b>	<b><u>Symptoms</u></b>	<b><u>Treatment</u></b>
Gonorrhea vagina, cervix, anus, urethra, throat, penis	Vaginal and anal intercourse and oral sex	4 out of 5 women have no symptoms	Bacterial infection Single dose of antibiotic
Chlamydia Vagina, cervix, anus, urethra, eye, throat, penis	Vaginal and anal intercourse Rarely, during oral sex or by touching eyes	3 out of 4 women have no symptoms	Bacterial infection Antibiotics: either a single dose of a series over 7 days
Syphilis Vagina, anus, urethra, lips, mouth, penis	Vaginal and anal intercourse and oral sex	Often no symptoms Several stages	Bacterial infection Antibiotics
Pelvic Inflammatory Disease (PID) Reproductive organs in women	Usually caused by chlamydia or gonorrhea	Early: no symptoms Later: unusually long or painful periods, pain in lower abdomen and back, fever, chills, nausea, vomiting, pain during vaginal intercourse	Antibiotics Bed rest Abstaining from sex  Surgery
Herpes Oral or genital infection	Touching, kissing, sexual contact, anal intercourse, vaginal intercourse, oral sex	Often no symptoms Clusters of blisters or sores	Medications to manage symptoms and outbreaks
HPV (Human papilloma virus)	Skin to skin contact Vaginal or anal intercourse and oral sex	Often no symptoms May cause genital warts	Most forms are harmless High risk forms may cause cervical cancer Pap smears can identify abnormal cell growth
Hepatitis B	Exchange of semen, vaginal fluids, blood, and urine	1 out of 2 adults have no symptoms Extreme tiredness, tenderness/pain in lower abdomen, loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, joint pain, headache, fever, hives	Most infections clear on their own Drugs can help treat chronic infections
HIV/AIDS Cellular infection	Transmitted in blood, semen, vaginal fluids, breast milk	Early: Flu like symptoms Advanced: Opportunistic infections	Drug cocktails to manage disease