

"GET TESTED"

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YOURSELF**

**PROTECT
YOURSELF**

OUR ANCESTORS SACRIFICED
So We Could Live

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You May Get Symptoms

If you have an infection, you may get symptoms: itching, warts or blisters, pain when urinating, blood in urine, sore genitals, lower abdomen pain, unusual discharge.

But Often You Don't

Most of the time, you or your partner will not have symptoms of an STI. Many people only find out after having a checkup. It can still have irreversible effects if you don't know you have it.

Long-Term Damage

If you don't get treatment, STIs can cause health problems such as infertility, cancer and blindness. All STIs can be treated and maternal-fetal transmissions can be cured so you can resume living a healthy life.

Reduce The Risks

Use latex condoms or avoid having oral sex, unprotected vaginal sex or anal sex. Only have sex with one partner, and make sure you are both clear of STIs or practice abstinence (no sex at all).

Checkups

This involves a simple urine or blood test at your local clinic.

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