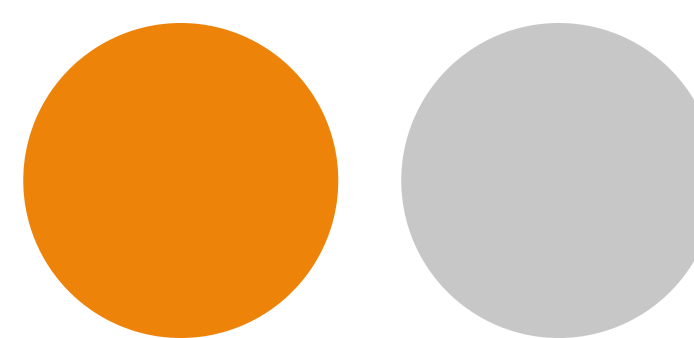


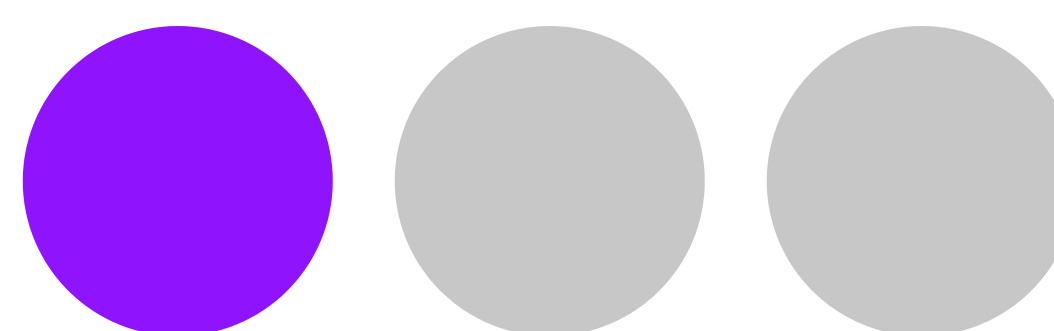
Young people are most impacted by skyrocketing STD rates in California.

We are seeing more **chlamydia** & **gonorrhea** infections than anytime within the last 25 years.



1 out of 2 cases of **chlamydia** is among young people.

These infections usually don't show symptoms, and can cause serious health problems, like infertility.

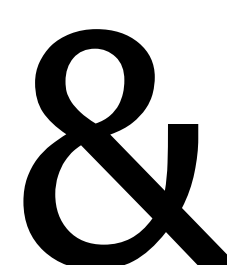


1 out of 3 cases of **gonorrhea** is among young people.

Among sexually active CA high school teens...



only half used a condom the last time they had sex.



only 1 in 3 use a condom every time they have sex.

The good news is **chlamydia** & **gonorrhea** are **preventable & curable**.

HAVE A CONVERSATION

Teens should talk to their partners about using condoms & having sex with just each other.



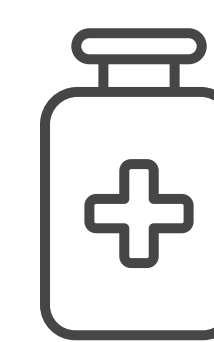
GET TESTED

Teens can ask a doctor about getting tested for chlamydia & gonorrhea (and other STDs too).



TREAT RIGHT AWAY

If a test comes back positive, it is important to start treatment right away & make sure partners do too.



California teens have the right to access **confidential & affordable** STD testing/treatment, HPV vaccine, and birth control.

Learn more: www.teensource.org/know-your-rights



Sources: (1) <https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/66/wr/mm665152a1.htm>; (2) <https://www.cdc.gov/healthyouth/data/yrbs/results.htm> ; (3) CDPH STD Data through 2017 (Final as of 7/10/18)