NPAIHB Weekly Update

April 16, 2024

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Information for Today's Call

Agenda

- Welcome & Introduction: Bridget Canniff
- Upcoming Indian Country ECHO Sessions
- Upcoming NPAIHB Weekly Update Sessions New Website!
- Upcoming NPAIHB Events
- NPAIHB Project Update Syndemic Communications: Alicia Edwards
- IHS and/or State Partner Updates
- Questions & Comments

Guidelines

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Upcoming Indian Country ECHO telehealth opportunities

- <u>Dermatology ECHO</u> 3rd Tuesday of every month at 3pm PT
 - Tuesday, April 16th at 3pm PT
 - Topic: Vascular Malformations
 - To learn more and join: https://www.indiancountryecho.org/program/dermatology-echo-program/
- Hepatitis C ECHO Wednesdays at 11am PT
 - Wednesday, April 17th at 11am PT
 - Didactic Topic: *Ending the Syndemic at your tribe or facility*
 - To learn more and join: https://www.indiancountryecho.org/program/hepatitis-c/
- The Month in Virology ECHO (Formerly COVID-19 ECHO) 3rd Wednesday of every month at 12pm PT
 - Wednesday, April 17th at 12pm PT
 - Didactic Topic: The Month in Virology Clinical Updates
 - To learn more and join: https://www.indiancountryecho.org/program/covid-19/







Upcoming Indian Country ECHO telehealth opportunities

- <u>Infectious Disease ECHO</u> 3rd Thursday of every month at 11am PT
 - Thursday, April 18th at 11am PT
 - Didactic Topic: HIV PrEP
 - To learn more and join: https://www.indiancountryecho.org/program/infectious-disease/
- EMS ECHO 1st Tuesday & 3rd Thursday of every month at 5pm PT
 - Thursday, April 18th at 5pm PT
 - Didactic Topic: *Pediatric Cardiac Arrest*
 - To learn more and join: https://www.indiancountryecho.org/program/emergency-medical-services-echo/



Weekly Update Schedule Preview: April-May

April 23: No Update – NPAIHB QBM Week

April 30: Legislative & Policy Update

May 7: Public Health Update – TBD

May 14: NWTEC Update – Tribal Public Health Infrastructure Building

May 21: Public Health Update – Oregon Poison Control Center

May 28: Legislative & Policy Update



New website! Visit www.npaihb.org/weeklyupdate for upcoming topics, past presentations, and more!

NPAIHB Weekly Update

EPICENTER

The Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (NPAIHB) holds virtual Weekly Update sessions on Tuesdays from 10:00 to 11:00 AM Pacific Time. Please join us to learn about and discuss important and timely public health, epidemiology and data, and policy issues of interest to those working in and with tribal and AI/AN communities.

NORTHWEST MEMBER TRIBES •

Our usual topic schedule* is:

- 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month: Public Health Updates
- 2nd Tuesday of the month: NWTEC Epidemiology & Data Updates
- · 4th Tuesday of the month: Legislative & Policy Updates

*Topic focus subject to change. In months with 5 Tuesdays, the Legislative & Policy session may shift to the last Tuesday, and/or or special topics may be presented on the 4th or 5th Tuesday.

Click on the links below for the upcoming topic schedule, Zoom link, past presentation slides, and other information.







Weekly Update Schedule & Topics



Past Weekly Update Presentations



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More Information



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Upcoming Weekly Update Schedule & Topics

Date	Featured Topic	Presenter(s)	Subject
4/16/24	STI Awareness Month: Native Health Resources & HIV/PrEP Campaigns	Ashley Hoover & Alcia Edwards, Syndemic Support & HIV Program	Public Health Updates
4/23/24	NO CALL (QBM)		
4/30/24	Legislative & Policy Update	Health Policy Team	Policy & Legislative Updates
5/7/24	Public Health Update: Topic TBA	ТВА	Public Health Updates
5/14/24	Tribal Public Health Infrustructure Building	Bridget Canniff, Public Health Improvement & Training	EpiCenter Data Updates
5/21/24	OR Poison Control Center Resources	Charise Pizarro-Osilla & Jennfer Eskridge, OR Poison Control Center/OHSU	Public Health Updates
5/28/24	Legislative & Policy Update	Health Policy Team	Policy & Legislative Updates

Past Weekly Update Presentations

April 9, 2024 Weekly Update: Opioid Overdose Mortality amongst AI/AN in the NW

April 2, 2024 Weekly Update: Native CARS Tribal Injury Prevention Project & Highway Safety Program Read More

March 26, 2024 Weekly Update: Legislative and Policy Update Read More

March 19, 2024 Weekly Update: NW Tribal Dental Support Center



Save The Date May 7th-9th, 2024



2024 Portland Area Dental Meeting

May 7th-9th, 2024, Salishan Coastal Lodge in Gleneden Beach, OR

Inviting all dental staff! We strongly encourage Dental Directors/Supervisors, Prevention Coordinators and Health Directors to attend this meeting. You are welcome to invite other staff as well. Please make sure they register individually.

Date:	Content: T	ime:
Monday, May 6th, 2024	Early registration	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 7th, 2024	Dental Director's Mtg NTDSC Orientation	8:30 am - 12:00 pm 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Wednesday, May 8th, 2024	Portland Area Dental Meeting Reception	8:30 am – 4:30 pm 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Thursday, May 9th, 2024	Portland Area Dental Meeting	8:30 am – 12:00 pm

NORTHWEST PORTLAND AREA INDIAN HEALTH BOARD Indian Leadership for Indian Health

For online booking go to:

Link to direct group reservation

Use Group ID: 21886

For reservations by phone:

To make reservations, your attendees must call the Salishan Coastal Lodge Group Reservation Department at 541-764-3600 between the times of 7:00am – 7:00pm and identify themselves as participants of this event to receive the special rates quoted.

- Press #1 for Lodging Reservations
- Press #2 for Designated Group Reservations

Room Rate: \$131 + tax

Salishan Coastal Lodge | 7760 North Highway 101

Gleneden Beach, OR 97388

(541) 764-3600 | www.salishan.com

Please contact Ticey Mason for details at tmason@npaihb.org

Registration:





Or visit www.surveymonkey.com/r/2024_PADM

Reservations must be booked by April 6th 2024

Northwest Tribal Public Health Emergency Preparedness Conference

June 10-12, 2024

Registration link:

https://bit.ly/TPHEP2024RegistrationLanding

Room block closes May 9

Draft Agenda and other key info available on the NPAIHB events calendar at: www.npaihb.org/npaihb-events/

Spirit Mountain Casino

27100 SW Salmon River Hwy

Grand Ronde, OR 97347

https://bit.ly/2024TPHEPHotelReservation

Tribal travel scholarships are available

Questions?? Contact the planning team @ NPAIHB at tphep@npaihb.org

Conference funded by:

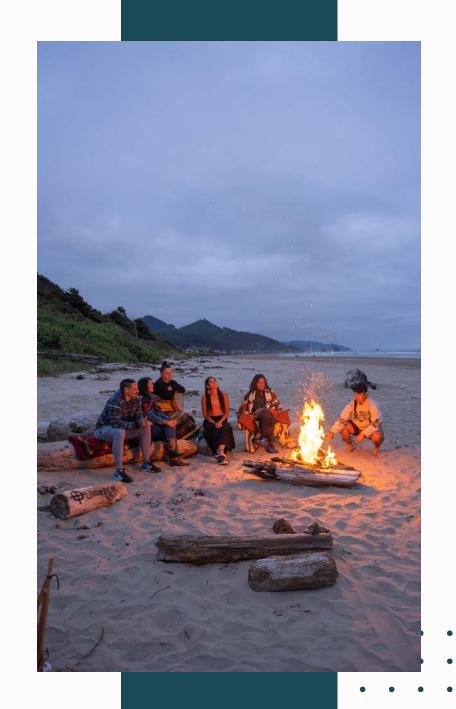
Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board Oregon Health Authority Public Health Division Washington State Department of Health Idaho Department of Health and Welfare



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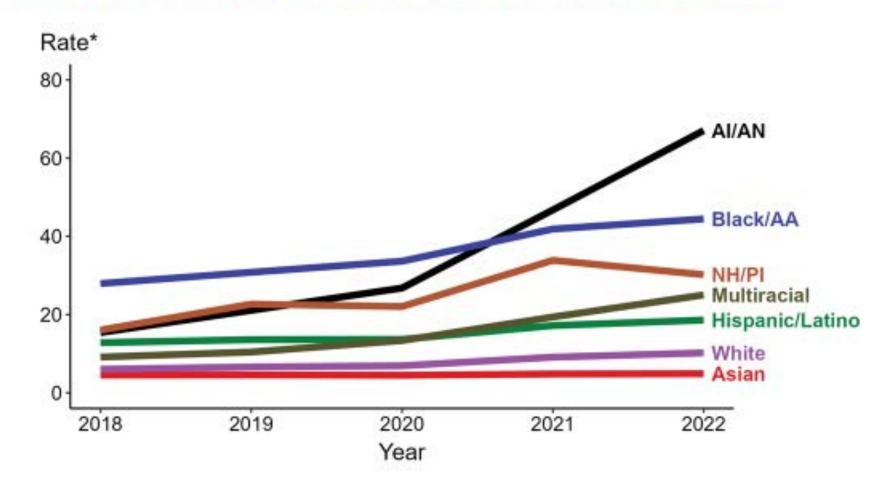
APRIL IS STI AWARENESS MONTH

April 14th - 20th is STI Awareness Week

Background



Primary and Secondary Syphilis — Rates of Reported Cases by Race/Hispanic Ethnicity, United States, 2018–2022

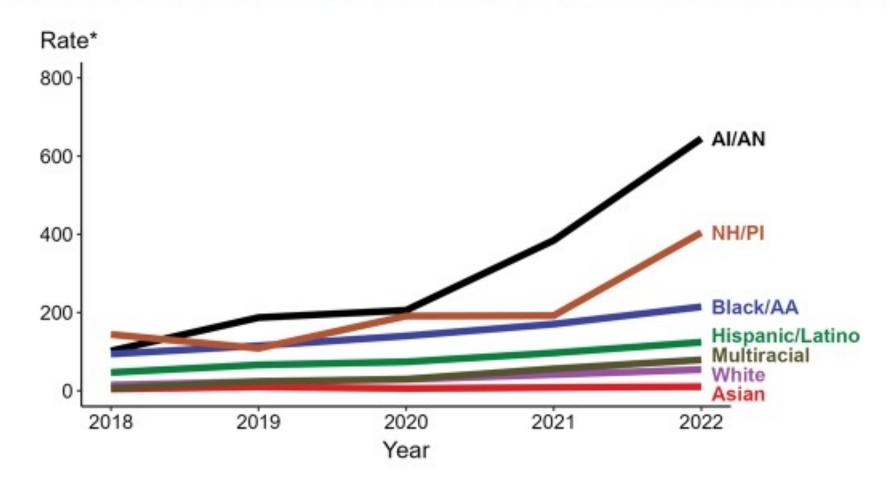






ACRONYMS: AI/AN = American Indian or Alaska Native; Black/AA = Black or African American; NH/PI = Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

Congenital Syphilis — Rates of Reported Cases by Year of Birth, Race/Hispanic Ethnicity of Mother, United States, 2018–2022



^{*} Per 100,000 live births



Indigi-HAS

Vision

We envision a world in which all Indigenous people are healthy in mind, body, and spirit; the spread of HIV, STIs, and viral hepatitis is prevented; every person knows their status and lives free from stigma and discrimination; and every person has access to high quality, holistic care that reflects Indigenous values, promoting relationships with each other, the land and all beings.

This vision includes all Indigenous people, regardless of age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, disability, geographic location, socioeconomic circumstance, or health status.

Indigi-HAS

Main Messages

Sovereignty

Center Indigenous sovereignty in the design and delivery of health services, including sexual health services

Partnerships

Strengthen partnerships to improve systems of care for Indigenous people

Availability & Capacity

Develop capacity to support diagnosis, treatment, prevention, and response to HIV/STIs/viral hepatitis

Cultural Responsiveness

Deliver culturally and linguistically responsive health services, including sexual health services

Awareness & Stigma

Reduce sexual health-related stigma

Data Systems

Improve the knowledge, evidence, and practice base related to Indigenous health and well-being

NATIONAL INDIGENOUS HIV/STI CAMPAIGNS

Providers Have the Power Texting Campaign

https://www.indiancountryecho.org/providers-have-the-power/

ECHO Resource Hubs

www.indiancountryecho.org >> Resources >> Resource Hubs

Congenital Syphilis Campaign

www.nativehealthresources.com

General Syphilis Campaign

www.nativehealthresources.com

Sexual Health Pocketbooks

www.nativehealthresources.com

HIV / PrEP Campaign

www.nativehealthresources

Native Health Resources

• NEW one-stop shop for Indigenous health resources

Snag 101 - Adult Sexual Texting Campaign

https://www.indiancountryecho.org/snag-101/

NATIONAL INDIGENOUS CONGENITAL SYPHILIS CAMPAIGN

Key Messages:





Syphilis is on the rise



Syphilis can be hard to spot



If not treated syphilis can have series consequences for you and your baby



Testing is easy and treatment is quick - it takes only one shot of antibiotics

PRINT MATERIALS

Syphilis cases are on the rise.

Know your status, especially if you're pregnant.

Syphilis can be hard to spot, often starting with an easily missed sore or rash. While anyone can get syphilis, pregnant people and newborn babies face serious complications if left untreated.



Testing is easy and treatment is quick.

Protect your and your baby's future by getting tested today!



Syphilis while pregnant

Syphilis can be hard to spot, often starting anyone can get syphilis, pregnant people and newborn babies face serious complications if left untreated.

How do I know if I have syphilis?

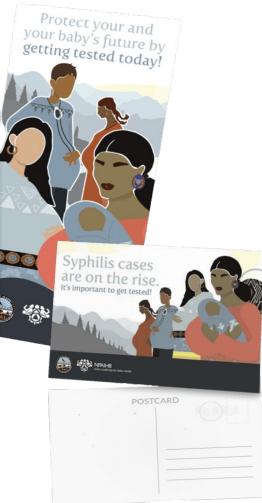
You can have syphilis and not have symptoms, so as part of your prenatal care, get tested! When caught early, syphilis can be treated with just one shot of antibiotics.

How often should I get tested?

Getting tested twice throughout your pregnancy and again during delivery is great

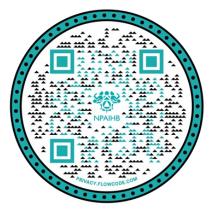
Why should my partner get tested?

Even if you've been tested and treated for syphilis, you can be reinfected if your partner is still carrying the infection.









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PROVIDERS HAVE THE POWER TEXT MESSAGE CAMPAIGN



Key Messages:



Providers have the power to end HIV in Indian Country



PrEP 101 & PrEP Presciptions



HIV Treatment Basics



The Syndemic - SUDs, HCV, STIs, and HIV

PROVIDER EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

Free training for providers about HIV

• After watching the five videos in the series, you can earn a free CE



https://www.indiancountryech o.org/providers%20have%20th e%20power/



INDIAN COUNTRY ECHO RESOURCE HUBS

- Syphilis: Syphilis Resource Hub Indian Country ECHO
- Sexual Health: <u>Sexual Health Resource Hub Indian Country ECHO</u>
- PrEP: <u>PrEP Resource Hub Indian Country ECHO</u>
- HIV: <u>HIV Resource Hub Indian Country ECHO</u>
- HCV: HCV Resource Hub Indian Country ECHO
- SUD: <u>SUD Resource Hub Indian Country ECHO</u>



NATIONAL INDIGENOUS SYPHILIS CAMPAIGN



Key Messages:



Syphilis is on the rise



Anyone can get syphilis

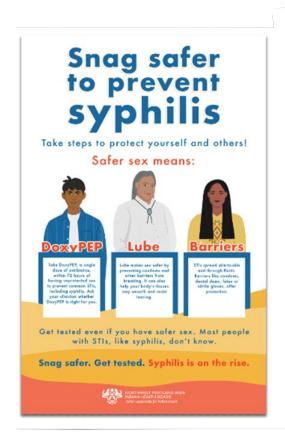


Testing is easy and treatment is quick - it takes only one shot of antibiotics



Snag safer! Get tested!

PRINT MATERIALS









OTHER MATERIALS





ORDER MATERIALS TODAY!



SEXUAL HEALTH POCKETBOOKS



About our pocketbooks:



Indigenized sexual health education



Wide range of topics, syphilis, gonorrhea, HIV, PrEP, PEP, safer sex, condoms 101, and more...

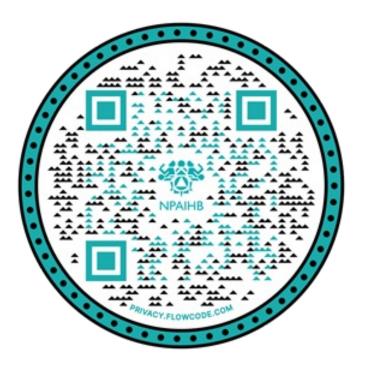


Lots of visuals and easy to understand



CHECK THEM OUT

Place an order today!



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Take Control. Know Your Status.



I Want the Kit (IWTK) Background



IWTK was founded in 2004 at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

- Tests Offered as of March/April 2024:
 - Swab/Urine: Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, Trichomoniasis (vaginal samples only)
 - · Blood*: HIV, syphilis, hepatitis B/C
 - · Pregnancy test included in all kits for people with uteruses
- Cost For A User: Free (including postage)
- Turn-Around Times:
 - Order Receipt to Kit Shipment 1 to 2 business days
 - Specimen Receipt to Posted Test Results 1 to 2 business days
- Age Requirements:
 - 14 years old+



I Want the Kit (IWTK) Collaborating Partners



- Johns Hopkins School of Medicine (IWTK)
- Southern Plains Tribal Health Board
- Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board
- Johns Hopkins Center for Indigenous Health
- Indian Health Service

In addition to all the states we operate in!









Why Self-Collection?



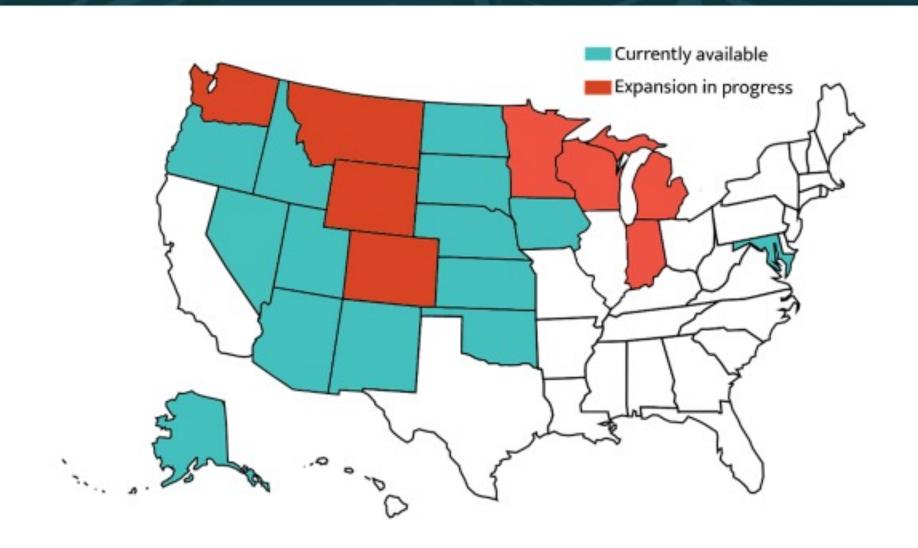
- Allows individuals to protect themselves and their partners and community
- Confidential
- Convenient/accessible
- Removes stigma
- Testing is an act of love, responsibility and respect





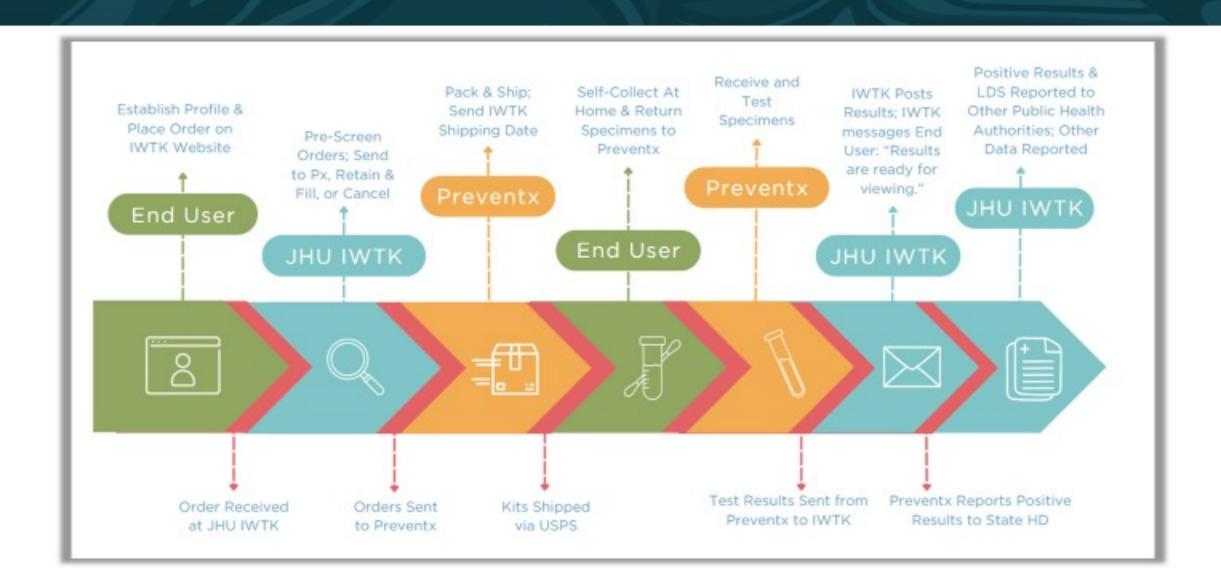
Current Service Areas





How IWTK Works





Packaging





Outer Packaging



Blood and Swab Collection Kit for People with Vaginas

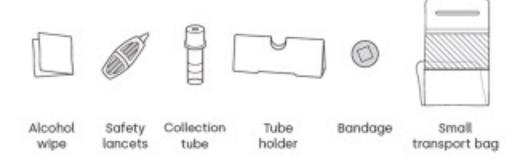


Blood, Swab, and Urine Collection Kit for People with Penises

Instructions



Provided Materials

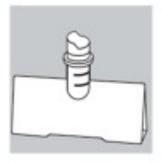


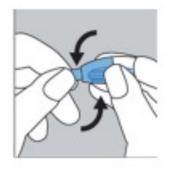
Sample Quantities

- 450 µL minimum required
- 650 μL preferred

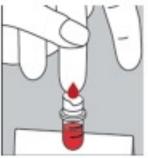
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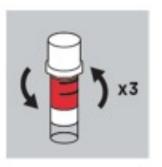












Welcome Card



Welcome to Indigi-IWTK!

At Indigi-IWTK we believe that getting tested for STIs (sexually transmitted infections) is an act of love, responsibility, and respect. We encourage you to read the information on this card and the instruction sheet that is included in your kit.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How do I know what's happening with my order?

You will receive an email or text notification from Indigi-IWTK when:

- 1) We receive your order
- 2) We mail your kit to you
- 3) We receive your specimens in the mail
- 4) Your test results are ready for viewing

What will the notifications say?

To protect your privacy, every message is the same, "You have a new message from IWTK. Please login to https://www.iwantthekit.org to read it."

How do I find out my test results?

Go to https://www.iwantthekit.org and login. Your order will show as Complete, Click on View Results.





More questions about IWTK?

Please scan the QR code with your smartphone.



Contact us at any time.

Email iwantthekit@jhmi.edu, call us at 443-500-3071, or scan this QR code for our contact page. We will respond within 1-2 working days.





This kit is special for you to take control and know your status. Please do not give your kit to anyone else. Everyone must order their own kit. Here is the QR code for the ordering page.

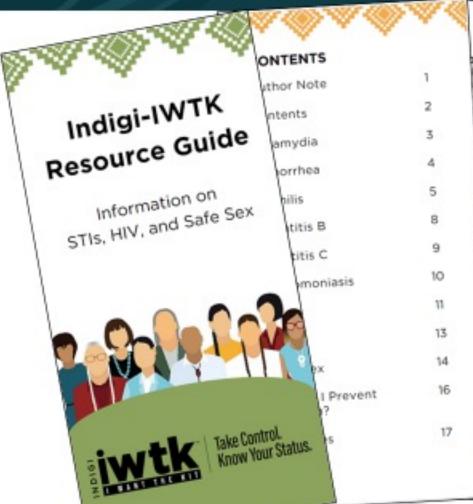
Please share information about Indigi-IWTK with others who may want to use the service!





Resource Booklet





Chlamydia

w it Spreads

amydia is an STI that can infect or genitals, throat, and eyes. A gnant person can also pass imydia to their baby during abirth.

ptoms

nydia does not always have forms and you could feel totally by. If you have symptoms of ydia, you may experience rge, bleeding between s. painful or swollen testicles, thing or bleeding, or pain coping.

re a cure?

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PLACE ORDER

Please select your tests.

Select Tests

Bundles

Gonorrhea.

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	Vagina Swab Have you received vaginal sex (meaning someone put their penis or sex toys into your vagina) OR have you
	received oral sex? If the answer is yes, order a vagina swab. This swab will be tested for Chlamydia. Gonorrhea and Trichomoniasis.
	Butt (Rectal) Swab
	Have you received butt (rectall) sex? (This means someone put their penis or sex toys into your butt.) If the answer is yes, order a butt swab. This swab will be tested for Chlamydia and Gonorrhea.
	Throat Swab
	Have you given oral sex? (This means you have given someone a blow job, given someone head, gone

Expanded Results



Treponemal Ab+	&
RPR+ with titer	

Your test was positive. Please contact your care provider so you can get treated right away. It is important to abstain from sex until seven days after treatment. We have a clinician available through Contact Us if you have questions.

Syphilis is a sexually transmitted infection that can cause serious health problems if it is not treated. It is transmitted through direct contact with a syphilis sore during vaginal, rectal, or oral sex or from a pregnant person to their unborn baby. Early syphilis symptoms may include enlarged lymph nodes, an unexplained rash, and/or a small sore around the genitals, rectum, or mouth. If untreated, syphilis will go latent (silent) in the body with no symptoms. However, the infection is still present and can cause severe medical problems. Syphilis is curable with penicillin injections. The number of shots you need will depend on your syphilis stage.

Unconfirmed Ab+ & RPR+ with titer

Your test was positive. This means you currently have an active syphilis infection or, if you are currently in or have recently completed treatment, your RPR may be positive. Please contact your care provider. We have a clinician available through Contact Us if you have questions.

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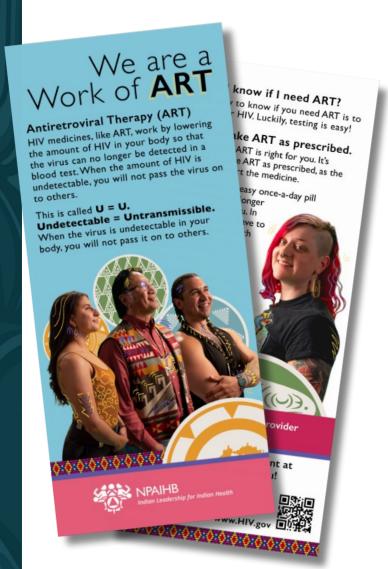








INDIGENOUS HIV/PREP CAMPAIGN



Key Messages:



Testing is the only way to know if you have HIV - so get tested!



There are effective medicines to prevent HIV

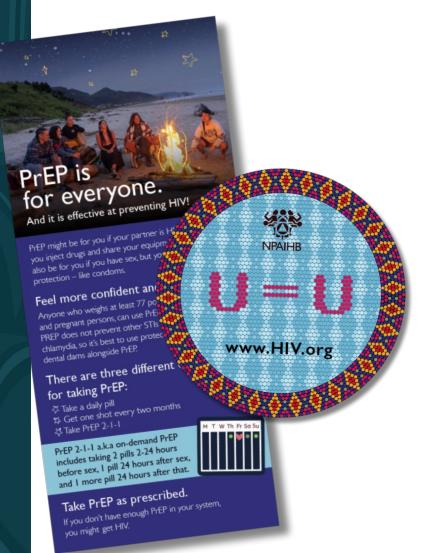


PrEP is for everyone



Undetectable = Untransmissible

INDIGENOUS HIV/PREP CAMPAIGN



Target Audiences:



People Living with HIV Materials



PrEP for Women



PrEP for MSM

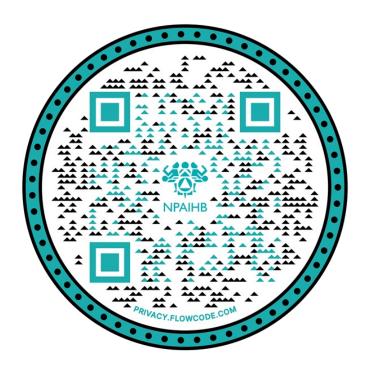


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INDIGENOUS HIV/PREP CAMPAIGN



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Undetectable= Untransmittable



PEP can prevent HIV

Post-Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP) is for post-exposure (or after you have been exposed to HIV). PEP can lower your chances of getting HIV if taken within 72 hours of exposure.

PEP is a series of pills you can take 1-2 times a day for 28 days.

PrEP = Before (Pre) Exposure to HIV PEP = After Exposure to HIV

It's important to start PEP within 3 days of exposure (72 hours).

The sooner you start PEP. the better it works. If you wait too long, skip doses, or don't use it as PrEP can be taken with hormon recommended, it won't To date, research shows that hormone-t be as effective. and hormone therapy do not in



How do I know if PEP is right for me?

Live confiden PEP is often suggested if you've had unprotected sex or shared needles or injection gear during drug use. It is also recommended if you are sexually assaulted.





PrEP is a medicine that prevents HIV infection.

And it might be right for you!

When to consider PrEP:

- If your partner is living with HIV and not taking medicines consistently or doesn't know their
- If you inject drugs and share your equipment.
- If you have sex but don't always use condoms.

There are three options for taking PrEP:

Take a daily pill, or pills

In-Demand PrEP

On-Dermand PrEP (aka PrEP 2-1-1) is an off-label method of taking PYEP but evidence shows it provides effective protection for gay and bisexual men when having anal sex without a condom, especially those living with HIV or with an unknown HIV status. We don't know how "on-demand" PrEP works for heterosexual men and women, people who inject drugs, and transgender persons. Talk to your provider to learn more. persons talk to your management of the your manag

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be able to get PrEP at your u can get Tylenol, insulin, or any



who take their HIV medications as prescribed can achieve detectable viral load. People who have an undetectable viral or at least 6 months, cannot transmit HIV through sex. U = U.





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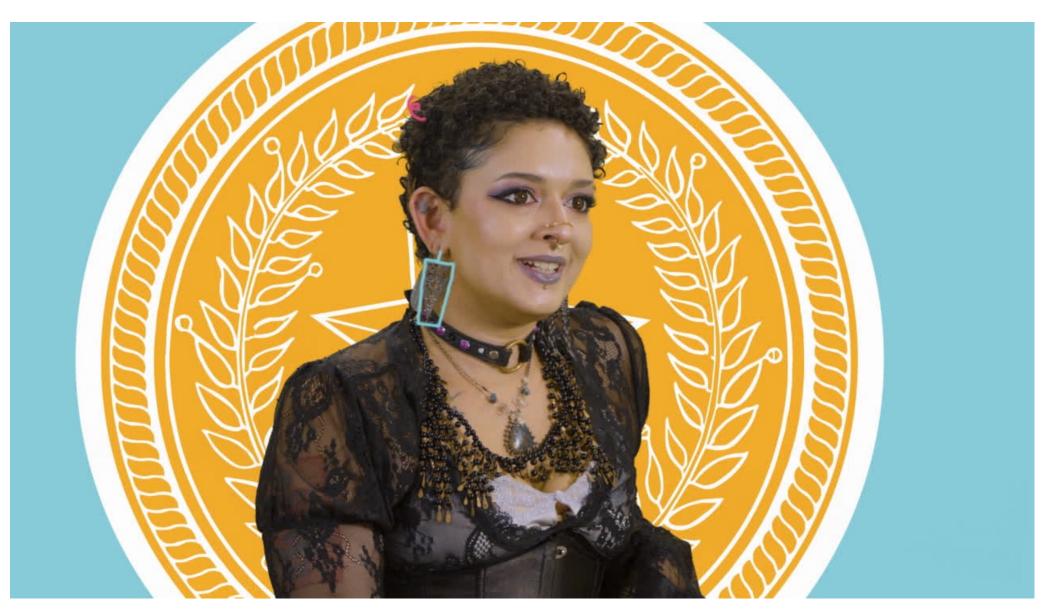


PrEP for Women Video



https://youtu.be/ltzgC8oOAzw?si=Rz3PgunQwyXEuIcS

Youth HIV Prevention Video



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SNAG 101 Adult Sexual Health Texting Campaign



Key Messages:



Snag safer! Get tested for STIs!



How to snag safer!



What STIs should you get tested for?



Humor, affirmations, and more...





RESOURCES

TOPIC AREAS ▼

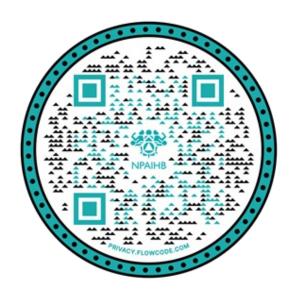
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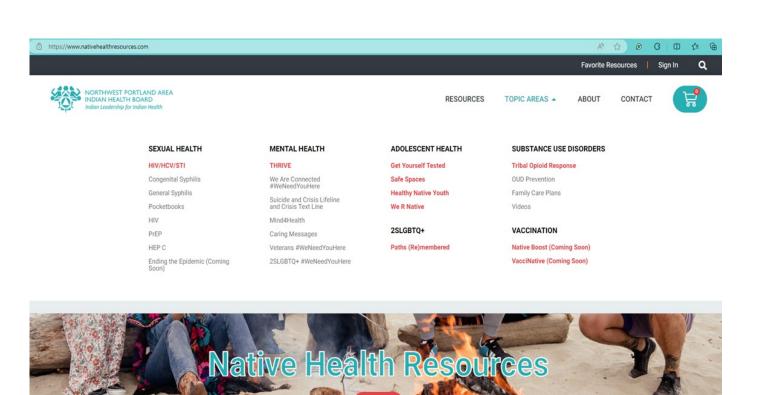
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NATIVE HEALTH RESOURCES

- One-stop shop for culturally relevant health education materials
- Board wide site
- Looking to partner with others in the future





SEXUAL HEALTH MONTH

How to get involved?

- Share, share!
- Place an order on Native Health Resources
- Order a kit from IWTK
- Partner with your local clinic and CHWs

Acknowledgements

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- NPAIHB Path(s) Remembered Team
- NPAIHB & The 43 Tribes

THANK YOU!!

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State Partner Updates

- Washington
- Oregon
- Idaho





Questions and Comments

Reminders

No Weekly Update on April 23: NPAIHB Quarterly Board Meeting week

Next NPAIHB Weekly Update: Tuesday, April 30

Visit our new NPAIHB Weekly Update webpage at

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