

STD	SYMPTOMS	DIAGNOSES	ONSET OF SYMPTOMS	CAN IT BE CURED/TREATABLE?	THERAPY	UNTREATED COMPLICATIONS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Chlamydia	Pain and burning when urinating, discharge	Lab exam of fluid from the infected area	1-3 Weeks AFTER INFECTION.	Yes	Antibiotic pills that kill bacteria	Pelvic infections PID Sterility (can't have children)	4 MILLION CASES YEARLY. FEMALES MAY NOT HAVE SYMPTOMS -
Crabs (BODY LICE)	Severe itching	Visual	Several days AFTER EXPOSURE	Yes	Over-the-counter or prescription lotion	Continuing symptoms	VERY COMMON BUT NOT SERIOUS - SPECIAL SHAMPOO IN DRUG STORES.
Cytomegalovirus (CMV)	No symptoms; or fever, fatigue; or severe illness in people with damaged immune systems	Lab exam of fluids or skin; blood test		No - CMV CANNOT BE CURED	Shots to slow progress of serious eye infection in people with immune damage	Healthy people—symptoms go away but may come back. People with immune damage—severe mononucleosis, blindness, dangerous blood disorders, lung damage	SYMPTOMS MAY COME AND GO AND RETURN. SOMETIMES SEEN AS AN OPPORTUNISTIC INFECTION IN PEOPLE WITH AIDS
Genital herpes	Pain and burning when urinating, red bumps/blisters in genital area	Lab exam of fluid from the sore	2-10 DAYS AFTER INFECTION OCCURS	Yes (but can't be cured)	Pills and ointment	Prolonged and more severe symptoms	30 MILLION PEOPLE ARE PERMANENTLY INFECTED WITH HERPES WITH 500,000 NEW CASES EACH YEAR.
Genital warts	Bumpy warts on/near genitals	Visual	3 WEEKS TO 3 MONTHS AFTER INFECTION	Yes (but can't be cured)	Burning or liquid removal of warts	May lead to some cancers	NOT ALWAYS VISIBLE (3 MILLION ESPECIALLY IN FEMALES - CAN GET THEM INSIDE VAGINA. SOME TYPES LEAD TO CANCER.
Gonorrhea	Pain or burning when urinating, yellow discharge	Lab exam of fluid from infected area	IF PRESENT 2 TO 10 DAYS AFTER INFECTION.	Yes	Antibiotic pills that kill bacteria	Pelvic infections PID Sterility	1 MILLION TO 2 MILLION CASES YEARLY IN U.S. UNTREATED LEADS TO PELVIC INFLAMMATORY DISEASE.
Hepatitis B	Nausea, vomiting, stomach pain, yellow skin, DARK URINE.	Blood tests	3-8 WEEKS AFTER INFECTION.	Yes (but can't be cured)	Pills, shots to treat symptoms/complications, not disease	Liver damage	500,000 TO 1,000,000 CASES EACH YEAR. A VACCINATION TO PREVENT HEPATITIS B IS EASILY AVAILABLE TO ALL PEOPLE.
HIV disease/AIDS	PERSISTENT FLU-LIKE SYMPTOMS; WEIGHT LOSS; THRUSH; SHINGLES; ABNORMAL GROWTHS ON SKIN, NIGHT SWEATS	Blood tests	FULL BLOWN AIDS DEVELOPS MONTHS OR YEARS AFTER INFECTION.	Yes (but can't be cured) - AIDS IS A PROGRESSIVE DISEASE CAUSING DEATH.	Drugs (pills) that slow progress of virus, drugs that fight infections	Dangerous infections, disease progresses faster	200,000 PEOPLE IN U.S. HAVE AIDS. ANOTHER 1,500,000 PEOPLE HAVE THE VIRUS AND WILL DEVELOP AIDS.
Syphilis	Chancre sore, rash, genital ulcers	Lab exam of tissue, fluids/blood test	1-12 WEEKS AFTER INFECTION.	Yes	Penicillin shots to kill bacteria	Blindness Heart disease Brain damage	EARLY SYMPTOMS VERY MILD BUT DISEASE PROGRESSES 100,000-200,000 CASES EACH YEAR.
Trichomoniasis	Itching in/around vagina, strawberry-	Lab exam of fluids, urine test		Yes	Pills	Men—prostate damage Women—continuing symptoms	3,000,000 CASES EACH YEAR IN THE U.S.