THE STATE OF STDs IN THE UNITED STATES, 2019

STDs increased for the 6th year, reaching a new all-time high

1.8 million
CASES OF CHLAMYDIA
19% increase since 2015

616,392
CASES OF GONORRHEA
56% increase since 2015

129,813
CASES OF SYPHILIS
74% increase since 2015

1,870
CASES OF SYPHILIS AMONG NEWBORNS
279% increase since 2015

LEARN MORE AT: www.cdc.gov/std/

ANYONE WHO HAS SEX COULD GET AN STD, BUT SOME GROUPS ARE MORE AFFECTED

- YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 15-24
- GAY & BISEXUAL MEN
- PREGNANT PEOPLE
- RACIAL & ETHNIC MINORITY GROUPS

LEFT UNTREATED, STDS CAN CAUSE:

INCREASED RISK OF GIVING OR GETTING HIV

LONG-TERM PELVIC/ABDOMINAL PAIN

INABILITY TO GET PREGNANT OR PREGNANCY COMPLICATIONS

PREVENT THE SPREAD OF STDS WITH THREE SIMPLE STEPS:

talk | test | treat

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