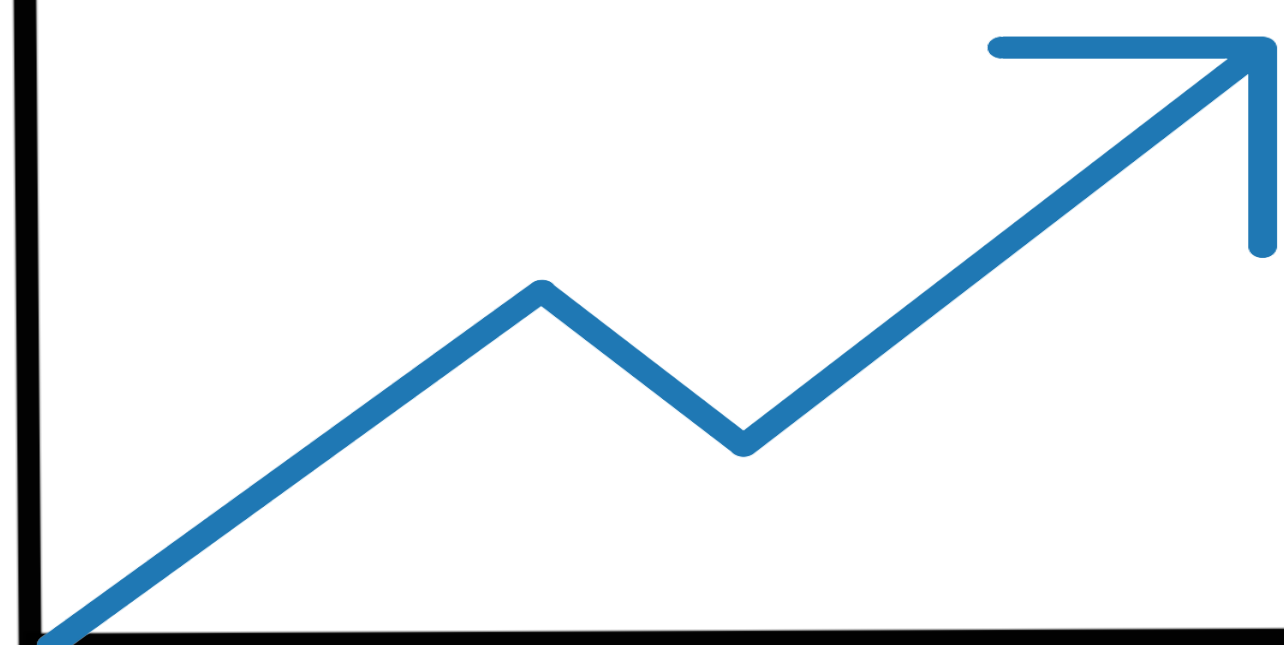


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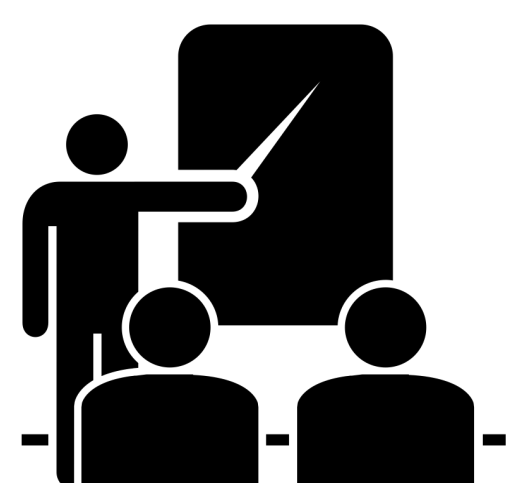
We all must do our part to lower STD rates.

STD cases in California are the highest ever recorded.

The good news is the California Department of Public Health is working with local health departments to address the STD increases in many ways, including:



Gathering & analyzing data



Educating & raising awareness



Targeting screening & testing

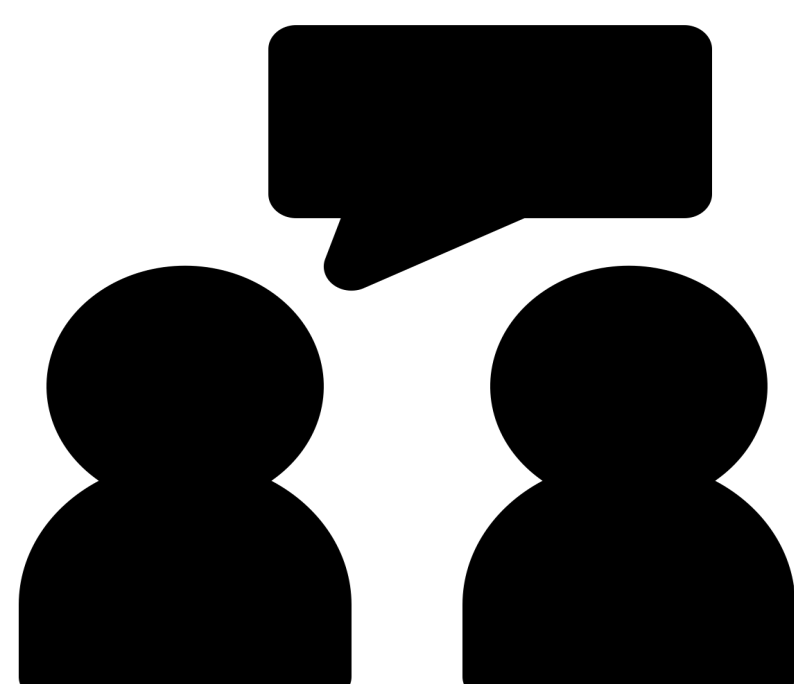


Providing funding for local disease control

YOU have a role to play in lowering STD rates too!

TALK TO YOUR PARTNER

Have a conversation about using condoms and having sex with just each other.



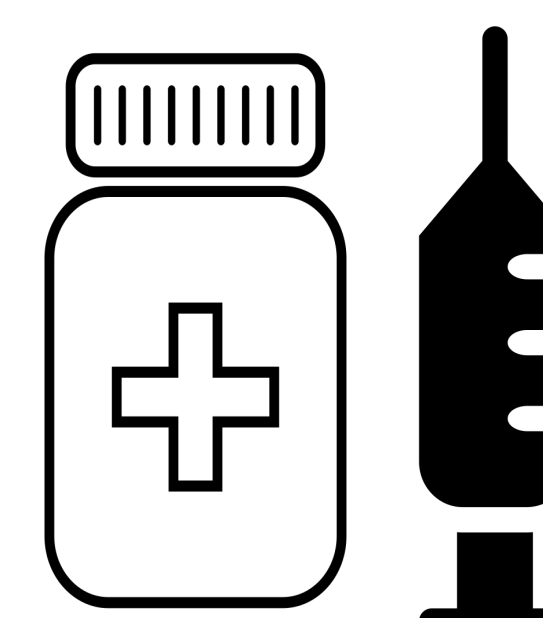
GET TESTED

Ask your health care provider about getting tested for STDs.



GET TREATED

If you test positive, start treatment right away and make sure your partner does too.



Learn more about STDs in California: std.ca.gov