MICAH Bureau
Maternal, Infant, Child and Adolescent Health

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STI Campaign

SAVE THE KITTIES
WHEN YOU GET TESTED FOR STIs.

Don’t wonder. Get tested for Sexually Transmitted Infections. Teens and young adults account for half of all new cases. Testing is confidential, free or low cost and it makes the world a safer place for your kitty, muffin, eggplant, or whatever else you call your most precious parts.

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SAVE THE WIENERS
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SAVE THE TACOS
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SAVE THE PICKLES
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SAVE THE BUNS
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MICAH Programs

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- School-Based Services
  - Dental & vision program for grades K-12
  - Sexual health programming for grades 9-12
CHAT Program

• Sexual health education and STI screening for adolescents (age 13-24) since 2009

• Services provided in:
  • High schools
  • City Colleges
  • Youth-serving community based organizations
CHAT Program

• Brought on Planned Parenthood of Illinois (PPIL) via competitive bid in 2015

• Focus on community areas of:
  • High STI rates
  • High teen birth rates
  • Low Child Opportunity Index
  • High Economic Hardship
Today: 3 things

1. Talk about STIs and pregnancy
2. Take a FREE, optional test for 2 specific STIs
3. Meet privately with a health educator
CHAT Program

• In a year, CHAT:
  • Serves 40 high schools
  • Educates 12,000 youth
  • Screens 6,500 youth
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You’re already a part of CHAT!

...... Young people follow up with providers for STI treatment and other services.
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Facilitating treatment if a CHAT participant comes through your door:

• Testing at school
• Notification by phone
• No paper records
• May be unclear on details
  • Infection type
  • Date of testing
CHAT Program

• When in doubt, retest, but TREAT

• DON’T retest and expect the student to follow up
CHAT Program

Give patient the option to confirm positive result:

1. Sign a HIPAA release for PPIL & fax records request
2. Call CHAT team at PPIL, hand young person the phone
CHAT Program

- Provider may be contacted by CDPH nurse to confirm treatment
- No call if treatment entered in INEDSS
Thank you!
Questions?

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