

## SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS (STIs) 1

What

Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) are diseases that can be passed from one person to another through sexual relations (including oral sex)

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How does it spread?	symptoms does it produce?	the symptoms appear?	How is it diagnosed?	When is the test done?	How is it treated?	Effectiveness of condom
CHLAMYDIA						
Semen, vaginal fluids and rectal fluids	Genital or anal secretions and burning when urinating (there may be no symptoms)	If they do appear, this occurs from 2 to 6 weeks after the exposure to risk	Analysis of urine or of a sample taken with a cotton bud	2 weeks after the exposure to risk	Cured with antibiotics	Good
GONORRHOEA						
Semen, vaginal fluids and rectal fluids	Genital or anal secretions and burning when urinating (women do not tend to notice symptoms and men only do so in the penis)	If they do appear, this occurs from 2 to 6 weeks after the exposure to risk	Analysis of urine or of a sample taken with a cotton bud	7 days after the exposure to risk	Cured with antibiotics	Good
SYPHILIS						
Skin-to-skin contact or contact of the skin with fluids from a lesion caused by the infection	No initial symptoms in many cases. In others an ulcer occurs in the infection zone (chancre)	If they do appear, this occurs from 3 days to 3 months after the risk of exposure	Blood test	4 weeks after the risk of exposure	Cured with antibiotics	Good



