

LGBTIA+ New Yorkers

Be Proud. Be Hep Free.

Protect Yourself, Chosen Family & Community


Know your Hep B + Hep C Status





Hep B: Get Tested. Get Vaccinated.
Hep C: Get Tested. Get Cured.



What are Hepatitis B (Hep B) or Hepatitis C (Hep C)?

 Hep B and Hep C are viral infections that can cause liver disease, cancer and early death.

 Hep C is present in blood. Hep B is present in blood, semen and vaginal fluids.

 Most people living with Hep B or Hep C do not have symptoms and can still pass Hep B and Hep C to others.



People of LGBTQIA+ experiences may have been exposed to Hep B or Hep C from sharing or reusing medical/injection equipment (such as needles, syringes or cotton), sharing personal care items or having unprotected sex.

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**Learn more +
Find testing near you:
nyc.gov/health/hepatitis
or call 311**



Take Action to Protect your Health

1. Get Vaccinated for Hep B. There is treatment!
2. Get Tested for Hep C. You can Get Cured!
3. Use physical barriers such as condoms, with lube.
4. Do not share or reuse injection, medical, hormone, or drug use equipment. Make sure that new or sterile equipment and works are always used.