



San Francisco Monthly STD Report

Data for July, 2018
Report prepared September 18, 2018

Table 1. STDs among residents, July, 2018. Female syphilis cases include patients assigned as female at birth.

	2018		2017	
	month	YTD	month	YTD
Gonorrhea	500	3,394	547	3,194
Male rectal gonorrhea	27	153	30	170
Chlamydia	792	5,546	746	5,151
Male rectal chlamydia	205	1,545	202	1,358
Syphilis (adult total)	120	1025	158	1008
Primary & secondary	51	318	63	380
Early latent	52	552	77	496
Unknown latent	8	23	1	2
Late latent	9	132	17	130
Neurosyphilis	2	10	1	8
Congenital syphilis	0	0	0	0
Female syphilis	3	62	9	42

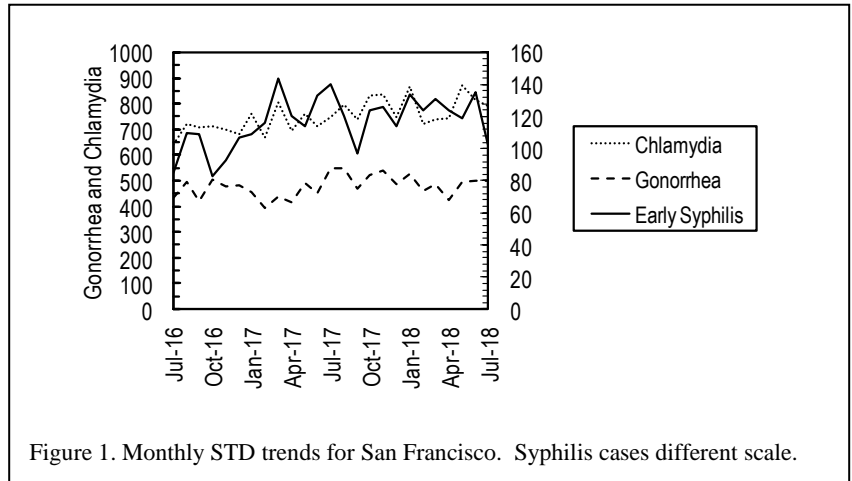


Figure 1. Monthly STD trends for San Francisco. Syphilis cases different scale.

Table 2. Selected STD cases and rates for San Francisco by age and race/ethnicity, 2018 through July only. Rates equal cases per 100,000 residents per year based on 2010 US Census Data.

	(All races)		Asian/PI		African American		Hispanic		White	
	cases	rate	cases	rate	cases	rate	cases	rate	cases	rate
<i>All ages</i>										
Chlamydia	5,546	1,180.7	719	463.9	579	2,121.7	955	1,344.4	1,753	890.5
Gonorrhea	3,394	722.6	288	185.8	415	1,520.8	663	933.3	1,346	683.8
Early syphilis	870	185.2	94	60.7	101	370.1	202	284.4	398	202.2
<i>Under 20 yrs</i>										
Chlamydia	432	1,332.1	49	379.3	123	4,483.5	119	1,612.4	39	545.2
Gonorrhea	88	271.4	5	38.7	37	1,348.7	15	203.2	11	153.8
Early syphilis	7	21.6	0	0.0	3	109.4	3	40.7	0	0.0

Table 3. HIV testing among City Clinic patients, July, 2018.

	2018		2017	
	month	YTD	month	YTD
Tests	529	3,657	598	3,736
Antibody positive	2	25	3	27
Acute HIV infection	1	7	0	6

Note: All statistics are provisional until the annual report is released for the year. Morbidity is based on date of diagnosis. Totals for past months may change due to delays in reporting from labs and providers.

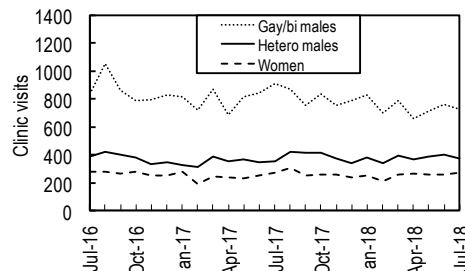


Figure 2. City Clinic visits by gender and orientation.

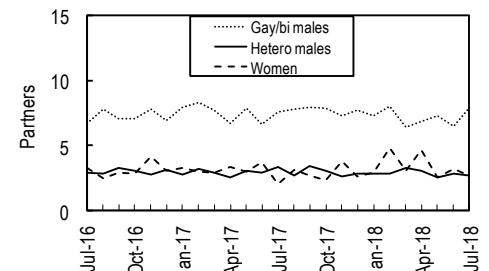


Figure 3. Average number of recent* sex partners for City Clinic visits by gender and sexual orientation. *Recall period is 3 months.

We can help ensure treatment for your vulnerable patients who have chlamydia, gonorrhea, or syphilis

Timely treatment of persons diagnosed with STDs is critically important, both to minimize the risk of complications in individual patients and to reduce further transmission of these infections to others.

San Francisco Department of Public Health (SFDPH) disease intervention specialists (DIS) from City Clinic can provide assistance to providers who are having difficulty ensuring treatment for patients who have tested positive for chlamydia, gonorrhea, or syphilis. Clinicians from the San Francisco City Clinic can also provide consultation about treatment and prevention, including for complex cases.

SFDPH STD DIS staff can assist providers with locating any SF resident diagnosed with syphilis who needs treatment.

Due to the high volume of chlamydia and gonorrhea cases in SF, SFDPH prioritizes assisting with locating and treating vulnerable patients, including adolescents and young adults ages 24 years or less, pregnant women, and homeless persons.

Providers who need any assistance in treating their patients for syphilis can call 415-487-5531.

For assistance with treating gonorrhea or chlamydia, providers can call 415-487-5530.

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