



# STD/HIV Activity Report

## HIV/STD Surveillance Program



The purpose of this report is to demonstrate the trends and activities surrounding STD and HIV in Long Beach.

Table 1. Quarterly chlamydia, gonorrhea, total early syphilis, syphilis and HIV in Long Beach

Disease	2019 totals (YTD)	2018 totals (YTD)	YTD 5-Year Average
Chlamydia	1,759*	2,041	1,725
Gonorrhea	675*	891	618
Total Early Syphilis	170*	161	151
Late Latent Syphilis	89*	76	58
Congenital Syphilis	3*	5	1
HIV	27***	15***	**

\*Numbers will vary due to investigations closing at various times and data entry lag time.

\*\*Data for 2018 has not been received from Office of AIDS.

\*\*\*Only include cases investigated by Long Beach Department of Health and Human Services



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Table 2. Activities

Activity	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	2019 Total
<b>Presentations</b>					
High schools	1	2			
Providers	3	4			
Community organizations	1	0			
<b>Letters for corrective action and communicable disease provider toolkits</b>					
Letters sent out to providers who are not following CDC guidelines	4	1			
<b>Website views</b>					
Number of website visits	150	211			
<b>Hotline Calls</b>					
Number of calls we receive from the community or providers	57	53			
<b>Outreach Events</b>					
Number of Outreach Events	4	2			
<b>Social Media</b>					
Number of social media posts	12	5			
<b>Condoms Distributed</b>					
Number of condoms distributed	4,000	5,000			
<b>Third Party Notification</b>					
Number of contacts notified/obtained	35	32			
<b>HIV Tests Performed</b>					
Mobile Testing Unit (MTU)	154	327			
Sexual Health Clinic	216	278			
<b>PrEP Activities</b>					
PrEP Client Services (med & nonmed)	14				



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Table 3. Focus Areas

Goal: Decrease the number of STDs and HIV in Long Beach.

### Focus Area: Youth

#### Objectives:

1. To increase STD/HIV awareness among youth, especially youth of color (Goal 3, Objective 1, 2)
2. Increase STD and HIV testing and treatment among high risk youth (Goal 1, Objective 1, 3)

- Presented STD/HIV 101 at Cabrillo High School on April 2<sup>nd</sup> to 12 students
- Presented Unhealthy and Healthy Relationships at Cabrillo High School on April 9<sup>th</sup> to 12 students
- Presented Sex Ed at Lakewood High School on May 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> to 180 students
- Presented Sex Ed at McBride High School on May 21 to 260 students
- Presented Unhealthy and Healthy Relationships at McBride High School on May 21<sup>st</sup> to 300 students

### Focus Area: Providers

#### Objectives:

1. To ensure healthcare clinicians adequately diagnose, treat, and report STDs (Goal 1, Obj 1, 3; Goal 2, Obj 2)
2. To increase healthcare clinician situational awareness regarding STDs/HIV in Long Beach (Goal 2, Obj 2)
3. To increase awareness and prescribing or referral for PrEP (Goal 5, Objective 1, 2)

- Provided a syphilis educational lesson to 13 providers at Memorial Care on 5/6/19 at 12:00p.m.
- Provided a STD and HIV trends at St. Mary CARE Clinic on 5/8/19 at 8:30a.m.
- Provided a STD and HIV trends at the HIV Planning Meeting on 5/8/19 at 12:00 p.m.
- Tarzana- Provided syphilis education to MA on 4/8/19
- Community Medical Wellness Center- Informed clinic about the reporting laws and misdiagnosis of syphilis. Offered to provide education for their providers. Provided 5 provider folders to clinic on 4/12/19.
- Community Medical Wellness Center- Provided staff with a syphilis 101 class and provided condoms.

### Focus Area: At Risk Populations (MSM, youth, pregnant women and people of color)

#### Objectives:

1. To increase STD/HIV awareness among high risk populations (Goal 1, Objective 1, 3)
2. To provide resources and decrease barriers to facilitate STD/HIV prevention (Goal 3, Objective 2)
3. To increase awareness and use of PrEP (Goal 5)

- Tabled at Beach Streets April 27<sup>th</sup> to hand out condoms, STD, HIV, and PrEP education to the community.
- Tabled at Long Beach Pride Celebration May 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> to hand out condoms, STD, HIV, and PrEP education to the community.

### Focus Area: Our Partners

#### Objectives:

1. To collaborate with our partners to develop and implement a Long Beach STD/HIV Prevention and Control Plan
2. To collaborate with our partners to meet the above objectives

- Delivered overview of HIV/STD Strategy 2019-2022 to Long Beach Comprehensive HIV Planning Group 5/8/19
- Participated in press conference and media interviews with Mayor Garcia and community stakeholders 5/6/19



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## ***Focus Area: Funding***

### ***Objectives:***

#### ***1. Increase funding for STDs (Goal 2, Objective 1)***

- Participated in STD Federal Action Plan Listening Session May 9, 2019, highlighting the need for increased funding for public health infrastructure.
- Participated in CSHCA/STDCB call to discuss funding methodologies for upcoming state funding 6/28/19
- Applying for \$717, 762 in funding to LAC RFP for STD Screening Diagnosis and Treatment Services over 3 years
- Applying for \$394, 174 for Social and Sexual Network HIV Testing over 3 years to LAC RFP