

Most STIs can be easily treated with medicine from the doctor or nurse.
If left untreated STIs can have more serious long term health problems.

Visit your local PNGFHA clinic today for help.

For more information, visit PNG Family Health Association Clinics (PNGFHA)

POM	Rainbow Clinic (Behind Mobil Service Station)
POM	Tatana Clinic
POM	IPPF Clinic – Steamships Downtown Plaza
Lae	Sir Bob Sinclair Ward 2 Clinic
Goroka	Lopi STI Clinic
Markham	Mutzing Health Centre
Bulolo	Bulolo attached to Bulolo Hospital
ENBP	Kokopo Clinic

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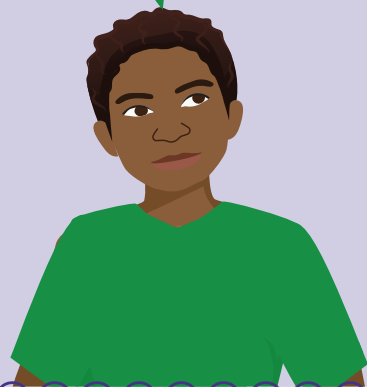


Hi Nurse, I'm really itchy in my private regions and it hurts when I pee. What should I do?

If you've had unprotected sex you might have a sexually transmitted infection (STI).

When found early most STIs are treatable.

PNGFHA provides STI treatment, counselling, and all your sexual and reproductive health information!



Sometimes STIs have no symptoms! Condoms are the only way to prevent STIs – you can get condoms from the PNGFHA clinic today.

How can someone get an STI?

- Unprotected vaginal, anal or oral sex
- Sharing unclean sex toys
- Direct skin-to-skin contact through vaginal, anal, or oral sex
- Sharing needles or unclean tattooing equipment
- HIV and syphilis can be passed on through childbirth



If you do get an STI, some symptoms could include:

- Pain during sex
- Pain when peeing
- Males may have pain in their testicles (balls)
- Females may notice bleeding after sex or in between periods
- Pain in stomach
- Sores in or around the mouth, penis, vagina and/or anus
- Stinging, itching, or tingling in the affected area
- Painful blisters, sores, or rash on the genital area

