



County of San Diego Monthly STD Report

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Table 1. STDs reported among San Diego County residents, by month (November 2012) and year-to-date.

	2011		2012	
	Nov	YTD	Nov	YTD
Chlamydia*	1341	12751	1482	14491
Female age 18-25	542	5627	648	6321
Female age ≤17	95	887	96	640
Male rectal chlamydia	50	374	33	456
Gonorrhea	198	1978	199	2456
Female age 18-25	29	310	33	454
Female age ≤17	3	55	5	45
Male rectal gonorrhea	29	333	31	344
Early Syphilis (adult total)	45	427	50	493
Primary	9	110	11	107
Secondary	18	164	15	185
Early latent	18	153	24	201
Neurosyphilis**	0	4	1	7
Congenital syphilis	0	0	0	1
HIV Infection***				
HIV (not AIDS)	44	445	22	415
AIDS	18	235	24	255

YTD: Year to Date

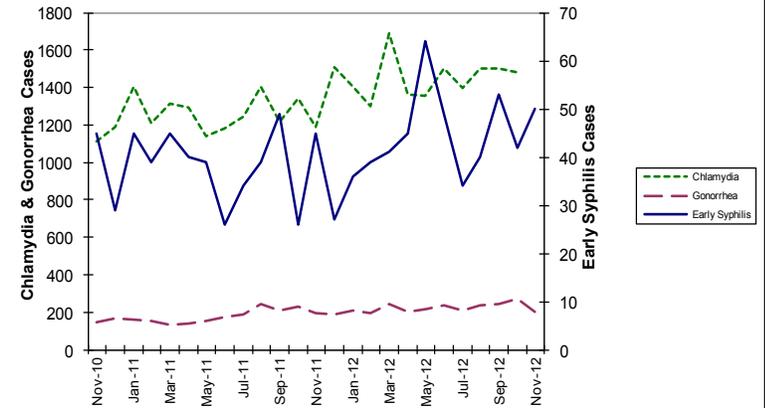
*Chlamydia data through October 2012 due to data entry delay, with comparison data through October 2011.

**Includes confirmed and probable cases of neurosyphilis among cases of early syphilis only.

***New infections are reported either as HIV or, if an individual was also diagnosed with AIDS within one month, as AIDS.

Please Note: Table 2 (STD cases and rates by age and race/ethnicity) is currently unavailable as 2012 data are being finalized. Please accept our apologies for this inconvenience.

Figure 1. Chlamydia,* gonorrhea and early syphilis** cases reported among San Diego County residents, by month.



*Chlamydia data through October 2012 due to data entry delay.

**Early syphilis includes primary, secondary and early latent syphilis.

Key Points comparing YTD cases reported through November 2011 to November 2012.

- Chlamydia has increased 13.6%.*
 - Female (≤17) chlamydia has decreased 27.8%.*
 - Male rectal chlamydia has increased 21.9%.*
- Gonorrhea has increased 24.2%.
 - Female (18-25) gonorrhea has increased 46.5%.
 - Female (≤17) gonorrhea has decreased 18.2%.
- Early syphilis has increased 15.5%.

*Data compares October 2011 to October 2012.

Note: All data are provisional. Case count is based on the earliest of date of diagnosis, date of specimen collection and treatment date. Totals for past months might change because of delays in reporting from labs and providers.



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Editorial Note: San Diego County HIV Prevention Community Planning Group and HIV Health Services Planning Council

The mission of the HIV, STD and Hepatitis Branch (HSHB) of Public Health Services is to plan and deliver quality medical and supportive services to improve health, inclusive of sexual health, addressing HIV, STD and hepatitis in diverse communities that are infected, affected and at risk for these diseases, with an emphasis on the prevention of new infection in San Diego County. To these ends, HSHB supports the important work of the San Diego County HIV Prevention Community Planning Group and the San Diego HIV Health Services Planning Council. In turn, the community stakeholders on these groups provide crucial input into service and program planning by HSHB.

The mission of the San Diego County HIV Prevention Community Planning Group is to improve health, inclusive of sexual health, through risk reduction activities and prevent new HIV infections in the county. The HIV Prevention Community Planning Group is responsible for identifying and prioritizing HIV prevention needs and targets. The group acts as an advisory committee to HSHB. All meetings are open to the public and new attendees are welcome. Please see the [online schedule](#) for upcoming meetings. For more information on how to get involved, see visit the HIV Prevention Group's website, www.sdhivprevention.org.



The San Diego HIV Health Services Planning Council is responsible for planning care and treatment services for people living with HIV/AIDS in San Diego County and for allocating funding for these services under the federal Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009 (RWTEA), Parts A and B. All meetings of the HIV Planning Council and its committees are open to the public. Please see the [online schedule](#) for upcoming meetings. People living with HIV/AIDS are especially encouraged to attend and to get involved. Spanish interpretation is provided for all Planning Council meetings and can be provided for committee meetings with advanced notice. For more information on how to get involved, please visit the HIV Planning Council's website, www.sdplanning.org.