

Investigating Chlamydia

In 2002 Chlamydia was the most commonly contracted sexually transmitted infection (STI). Using the information provided by your teacher, answer the following questions. Alternatively search for the information yourself. You may like to try the following links:

- http://www.hpa.org.uk/infections/topics_az/hiv_and_sti/sti-chlamydia/chlamydia.htm
- www.brook.org.uk
- http://www.bbc.co.uk/health/sex//stis_chlam.shtml

... or look for information available at local clinics/doctors.

1. What is Chlamydia?
2. How is Chlamydia passed on?
3. What are the symptoms? How can you tell if you are infected?
4. How serious is it?
5. What happens if Chlamydia is left untreated?
6. How can you test for it?
7. How can Chlamydia be treated?
8. Who can you turn to for advice and help?



Answers: