

# SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTION FOLLOW-UP SYPHILIS

Syphilis is a reportable infection under Ontario Regulation 559/91, as amended, under the Health Protection and Promotion Act. This information is required for case investigation/management and local surveillance.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** CONFIRM CLIENT DEMOGRAPHICS and return COMPLETE FORM via confidential fax to the EOHU at 613-933-7417

Diagnosing Clinician: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Positive Test: \_\_\_\_\_ (YYYY/MM/DD)

Form Completed By (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Return Form to: \_\_\_\_\_

**CLIENT DEMOGRAPHICS - CONFIRMED:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ (YYYY/MM/DD)

Sex Assigned at Birth:  Female  Male  Intersex (X)

Gender Identity:  Female  Male  Non-binary  Transfeminine | trans woman | MtF

Transmasculine | trans man | FtM  Prefer not to answer

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Country: \_\_\_\_\_

**REASON(S) FOR TESTING**

Routine  Pre-natal screening  Immigration  Symptoms  Contact tested positive

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**RISK FACTORS**

Sex with opposite sex

Underhoused

Substance use

Sex with same sex

Travel outside the province

Condom breaking

Sex with trans person

On HIV PrEP

No condom used

Sex trade worker

More than one sexual contact in past 6 months \_\_\_\_\_

Met partner on the internet

Sex with sex trade workers

Anonymous sex

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Correctional facility

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## STAGE AND SYMPTOMS

### Primary (infectious)

- Chancre(s)  Lymphadenopathy (regional)

### Secondary (infectious)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Rash  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mucosal lesions | <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches        | <input type="checkbox"/> Lymphadenopathy             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fever | <input type="checkbox"/> Malaise         | <input type="checkbox"/> Condylomata lata | <input type="checkbox"/> Patchy or diffused alopecia |

### Latent syphilis

- Early latent syphilis: Asymptomatic infection of less than one year duration  Late latent: Asymptomatic infection of more than one year duration

### Previously treated (no physical documentation from client required)

- No additional follow-up needed

Treatment received: \_\_\_\_\_

Treatment date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Location of treatment: \_\_\_\_\_

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## TREATMENT

### Dates Prescribed/Administered

- 1: \_\_\_\_\_  2: \_\_\_\_\_  3: \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred treatment** per the Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC)'s Canadian Guidelines on Sexually Transmitted Infections (see online) and must be ordered from Eastern Ontario Health Unit:

- Primary, Secondary, or Early latent:  Benzathine Penicillin G 2.4 x 106 units IM x 1 dose
- Late latent:  Benzathine Penicillin G 2.4 x 106 units IM x 1 dose weekly for 3 weeks

### Alternate treatment for people with penicillin allergies:

- Primary, secondary, or early latent:  Doxycycline 100 mg PO BID for 14 days
- Late latent:  Doxycycline 100 mg PO BID for 28 days

### In EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES and when close follow-up is assured:

- Primary, Secondary, or latent:  Ceftriaxone 1g IV or IM daily for 10 days

