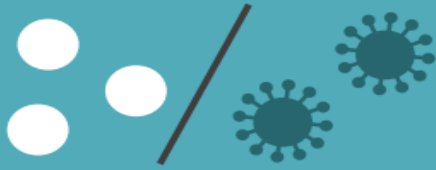


# ARE YOU READY FOR PrEP?



PrEP can help prevent you from getting HIV if you are exposed to the virus

PrEP is an HIV prevention option that works by taking

**one pill every day**



## PrEP may be right for you if:

- **You are a man who has sex with men**
- **A man or woman who has sex without condoms with partners who are at high risk for HIV (e.g. people who inject drugs or have bisexual male partners)**
- **You have had an STD (sexually transmitted infection) in the past**
- **Your partner has recently been diagnosed with an STD**
- **Your sexual partner is known to be HIV positive**
- **You use IV drugs (inject drugs into your veins)**
- **You have used PEP (post exposure prophylaxis for HIV) in the last year**
- **You have been forced into sex by your partner**

When taken every day, PrEP can provide a high level of protection against HIV, and is even more effective when it is combined with condoms and other prevention tools

People who use PrEP must take the medicine every day and return to their health care provider every 3 months for repeat testing for HIV



and sexually transmitted diseases, prescription refills, and follow up

**To discuss if PrEP is right for you, call SHS at (336)758-5218 and ask for a "Discussion visit"**