

UNDERSTAND THE BASICS



- PrEP (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis) is a medication (taken as a pill or an injection) that reduces the risk of getting Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) before an exposure through sex or sharing needles/syringes.
- Taking PrEP as prescribed can reduce your risk of getting HIV by up to 99%.
- PrEP does not protect against other Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) or pregnancy – condoms are still recommended every time you have sex.

KNOW THE FACTS



- PrEP may be for you.
- You **CAN** get PrEP for low-cost or free even if you don't have insurance.
- You **CAN** use PrEP if you are 12-years old or older.
- It is **RECOMMENDED** to continue using barriers (such as condoms) along with PrEP to prevent pregnancy and other STIs.
- You **CAN** use PrEP with birth control if you are trying to get pregnant, are pregnant, or breast/chestfeeding.



- PrEP is **NOT** a cure for HIV.
- PrEP is **NOT** a vaccine.
- PrEP does **NOT** work as soon as you start taking it. It can take 7-10 days to build up in your body and protect you.
- PrEP will **NOT** protect against other STIs.
- PrEP will **NOT** prevent pregnancy.

PREP MAY BE FOR YOU!

- **PrEP** can help you prevent getting HIV if you have tested negative for HIV, and are:
 - Sexually active
 - Sharing injection drug equipment
 - Experiencing intimate partner violence
- **PrEP** has been shown to work for people of all genders and sexualities.
- **PrEP** is an additional prevention tool if your partner is living with HIV.



PREP IS AVAILABLE FOR FREE OR LOW-COST

- Most insurance plans, including Medi-Cal, cover PrEP.
- If you have insurance, you can find a medical provider and information about help paying for the medication at GetPrEPLA.com.
- If you don't have insurance or can't get insurance due to your immigration status, know that you can still Get PrEP for free!



HOW TO GET PREP

Finding a place to get PrEP in Los Angeles County has never been easier! Whether or not you have insurance, a PrEP Center of Excellence can help you get started.

These clinics offer multiple services, including:

- Medical care
- Help to apply for insurance and other programs to pay for PrEP
- Tips for remembering to take your medications
- Referrals to other services to keep you healthy



Check out the map on the back to find the nearest center to you. Call today to schedule an appointment and ask for the PrEP Navigator!

RESOURCES



GetPrEPLA

Current list of PrEP Centers of Excellence



GET PROTECTED LA

For information about HIV, STIs, and sexual health



PrEP ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

For financial assistance for free or low-cost PrEP



TAKEMEHOME

Order a FREE HIV self-test kit

WANT TO KNOW MORE?



Visit GetPrEPLA.com

Call the automated info line:
1-844-YEA-PREP (1-844-932-7737)

PREP CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE



- 1 AltaMed**
5427 Whittier Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90022
(323) 869-5490
- 2 APLA Health and Wellness**
3743 S. La Brea Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90016
(323) 329-9900
- 3** 1043 Elm Ave. #302
Long Beach, CA 90813
(562) 247-7752
- 4** 5901 W. Olympic Blvd. #500
Los Angeles, CA 90036
(323) 329-9376
- 5 Charles Drew University**
1670 E. 120th St.
Los Angeles, CA 90059
(323) 205-5422
- 6 City of Long Beach**
2525 Grand Avenue, Suite 106,
Long Beach, CA 90815
(562) 964-5369
- 7 JWCH**
954 N. Vermont Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90029
(866) 733-5924 ext. 5322
- 8** 1845 N Fair Oaks Ave,
Pasadena, CA 91103
(866) 733-5924 ext. 5322
- 9** 2151 E. Palmdale Blvd.
Palmdale, CA 93550
(866) 733-5924 ext. 5322
- 10** 45104 10th St. W
Lancaster, CA 93534
(866) 733-5924 ext. 5322
- 11 Los Angeles LGBT Center**
1625 Schrader Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90028
(323) 993-8990
- 12** 8745 Santa Monica Blvd.
West Hollywood, CA 90069
(323) 993-8990
- 13** 3055 Wilshire Blvd. #360
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(323) 993-8990
- 14 LAC+USC Medical Center**
1640 Marengo St. #300
Los Angeles, CA 90033
(626) 703-7687
- 15 Men's Health Foundation**
9201 Sunset Blvd. #812
West Hollywood, CA 90069
(310) 550-1010
- 16 Northeast Valley Health Corporation**
14624 Sherman Way #600
Van Nuys, CA. 91405
(818) 923-9160
- 17 St. John's Family Center**
808 W. 5th St.
Los Angeles, CA 90037
(323) 541-1600 ext. 1079
- 18 St. Mary Medical Center/ Dignity CARE**
11045 Atlantic Ave. Suite 1016
Long Beach, CA. 90813
(562) 624-4999
- 19 Tarzana Treatment Centers**
7101 Baird Ave
Reseda, CA 91316
(818) 342-5897
- 20 Via Community Healthcare**
4755 E. Cesar Chavez Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90022
(323) 825-8310
- 21 Watts Healthcare Corporation**
10300 Compton Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90002
(310) 722-2817

KNOW YOUR PREP!



PrEP is a medication that helps reduce your risk of getting HIV.

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