

It's Their Health Too.

SYPHILIS

and other STIs can be harmful to you and your pregnancy

Get Tested. Get Treated. Spread the Word.

For more information visit: www.cdc.gov/std/syphilis/stdfact-congenital-syphilis.htm

Syphilis in Women

- Syphilis in women is increasing in Maine.
- If a person has syphilis while pregnant, it can lead to serious health issues, including miscarriage, stillbirth, low birth weight, or newborn death.
- Good News! Syphilis can be treated with antibiotics.

If you are Pregnant

- Prenatal care is essential to keep you and your pregnancy healthy.
- You should be tested for syphilis at your first prenatal visit or at least once during your pregnancy.
- If you have multiple sexual partners, a new sexual partner, or you or your partner(s) have an STI, you should be retested during your third trimester and at delivery.

