



**NEWS ADVISORY**  
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**Calendar Item**  
Wednesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>

*April is National STD Awareness Month*

**Gonorrhea cases continue to increase in Salt Lake County**  
**SLVHD to offer free STD testing to all residents**  
**Wednesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**

**What:** The Salt Lake Valley Health Department (SLVHD) will offer free STD testing (Gonorrhea, Chlamydia, and HIV).

**Where:** Salt Lake City Public Health Center  
610 South 200 East  
Salt Lake City

**When:** Wednesday, April 18<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 pm to 6:00 pm

**Why:** April is National STD Awareness Month and some STDs such as gonorrhea and Chlamydia are continuing to increase at epidemic levels in Utah and Salt Lake County.

Many STDs don't have symptoms, and if left untreated, can cause permanent damage to your body. All sexually active people should be screened for infection.

For more information on free testing at SLVHD, visit [www.slvhealth.org](http://www.slvhealth.org) or call 534-4666. For other testing locations and times, visit

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*Other agencies and organizations in Salt Lake County and throughout Utah will also offer free STD testing in April. See attached listing for locations, dates, and times.*