

Santa Cruz County 2003 Health Almanac

Sexually Transmitted Diseases

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Agencies and Information Sources

Santa Cruz County (SCC) Health Services Agency - <http://www.santacruzhealth.org>

The Health Services Agency (HSA) exists to protect and improve the health of the people in Santa Cruz County. The Agency provides programs in Environmental Health, Public Health, Medical Care, Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment, and Mental Health.

California Department of Health Services - <http://www.dhs.ca.gov/default.htm>

To Protect and Improve the Health of All Californians.

Sexually Transmitted Disease in California, 2001 as well as 2002 provisional tables may be found at <http://www.dhs.ca.gov/ps/dcdc/STD/stdindex.htm>

California Health Interview Survey - <http://www.chis.ucla.edu/index.html>

The California Health Interview Survey (CHIS) is the largest state health survey conducted in the United States. Every two years, CHIS plans to collect information on the health and health care needs of California's diverse population.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - <http://www.cdc.gov/default.htm>

CDC's Mission is to promote health and quality of life by preventing and controlling disease, injury, and disability. CDC's STD specific site, <http://www.cdc.gov/health/std.htm>, covers:

[Division of STD Prevention](#)

[Scabies](#)

[Trichomonas](#)

CDC's STD Index site also offers a wide array of information:

See: http://www.cdc.gov/nchstp/dstd/STD_Index.htm

California (Teens)

	Est. N	%	95% C.I.
Doctor talked about STD during physical exam			
Talked about STDs	665,000	32.3	(30.2 - 34.3)
Did not talk about STDs	1,397,000	67.7	(65.7 - 69.8)
Total	2,062,000	100.0	n/a

Source: 2001 California Health Interview Survey

Santa Cruz County (Teens)

	Est. N	%	95% C.I.
Doctor talked about STD during physical exam			
Talked about STDs	5,000	35.8	(22.0 - 49.5)
Did not talk about STDs	10,000	64.2	(50.5 - 78.0)
Total	15,000	100.0	n/a

Source: 2001 California Health Interview Survey

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