WHAT ARE STDs?

Sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) are infections passed from one person to another during oral, anal or vaginal intercourse and other sexual contact. Many STDs can be cured or treated with medications. Some examples of STDs are:
- Chlamydia
- Gonorrhea
- Syphilis
- Genital Herpes
- HPV, the virus that causes genital warts and cervical cancer
- HIV, the virus that causes AIDS

SERVICES NOT OFFERED

Please be aware that KCHC does NOT provide the following services:
- Treatment for Genital Herpes
- Treatment for Genital Warts
- Treatment for HIV/AIDS
- Testing for Hepatitis C

Referrals to the above services are available by calling (414) 286-3631.

STD SCREENING

Although STDs affect people of all ages, backgrounds, and from all walks of life, some people are at an increased risk. People who should consider being screened for STDs include:
- Persons who engage in unprotected sex (oral, anal and vaginal) with more than one partner.
- Persons whose partners have known or suspected STDs.
- Persons with symptoms of STDs, like unusual discharge, burning with urination or skin abnormalities in the genital area. It is important to remember, though, that many people who are infected with an STD do not have any symptoms.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the City of Milwaukee Health Department is to ensure that services are available to enhance the health of individuals and families, promote healthy neighborhoods, and safeguard the health of the Milwaukee community.
Keenan Central Health Clinic (KCHC) provides STD/HIV related services to uninsured and under-insured residents of Milwaukee and surrounding communities.

SERVICES

KCHC offers:
- Screening, diagnosis and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases
- Confidential HIV counseling and testing
- Free condoms
- Vaccinations against Hepatitis B (with full exam)
- Risk reduction counseling

Staff at KCHC also do epidemiological investigations and follow-up for patients who are known to have or are suspected of having Syphilis, HIV, Gonorrhea and Chlamydia.

All services are confidential.

COST

Services are provided free of charge to anyone who is at least 12 years of age.

HOURS

Clinic services are offered on a first come, first served walk-in basis during clinic hours. Appointments are not accepted for STD screenings. We ask that you arrive at least 15 minutes early for morning and afternoon sessions. Please note that while we do our best to accommodate all clients, we do turn clients away when clinic capacity has been reached.

The clinic hours are as follows:

**Mondays and Thursdays**
11:00 am – 7:00 pm
Please arrive by 10:45 am for the morning session, and 4:00 pm for the afternoon session.

**Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays**
8:00 am – 4:45 pm
Please arrive by 7:45 am for the morning session and 12:15 pm for the afternoon session.

HIV TESTING APPOINTMENTS

- Confidential HIV testing is available on a walk-in basis or by appointment.
- To make an appointment, please call (414) 286-3631.

LOCATION

KCHC is located at 3200 North 36th Street on the corner of 36th and Auer.

Public Transportation
The following MCTS bus routes will take you within a block of the clinic:
- #60 (Burleigh)  •  #35 (35th Street)
- #23 (Fond du Lac)  •  #4BV

WHEN YOU ARRIVE

- Enter through the main doors facing the parking lot.
- You will receive a number from the security guard on the first floor.
- When the clinic opens, you will be directed to the clinic registration area on the second floor.