



PHILLY HEPATITIS

QUESTIONS ABOUT GETTING TESTED FOR HEPATITIS

Below are some questions you might ask during your appointment about getting tested for hepatitis.

Note: Prior to testing, your nurse or doctor may ask you questions about your sexual history, any prior drug use, the types of jobs you have held, any piercings or tattoos you might have, and information regarding the health of your parents. These are standard risk questions so don't be alarmed! If you answer honestly, it will help your doctor to better help you.

1. Do I need to get tested for hepatitis?
2. How many tests are there and what do they involve?
3. What is the difference between having an acute or a chronic hepatitis infection?
4. **If I test negative**, are there ways to make sure I do not get hepatitis in the future?
5. **If I test positive**, how much will it affect my life?
6. Do my friends or family need to get tested?