



Chlamydia and Pregnancy

Chlamydia is a sexually transmitted infection and affects one in ten of 15-24 year olds.

Chlamydia often has NO symptoms so testing is the only way to find out if you have it or not.

Testing is not currently offered routinely as part of your antenatal care.

Research to date is not yet clear about the affects of Chlamydia on pregnancy, birth or the baby. However, the National Institute of Clinical Excellence (CG62) states;

‘Inform women younger than 25 years about the high prevalence of Chlamydia infection in their age group, and give details of their local National Chlamydia Screening Programme.’

So here’s how you can test and it is free, easy and confidential!

Text ‘KIT’ to 82727 or go online at www.getyourkitoff.co.uk to request a self-test kit or you can ask for a test at your GP surgery.

For more information log on to www.getyourkitoff.co.uk or telephone your local Chlamydia Screening Office on 01753 635330.