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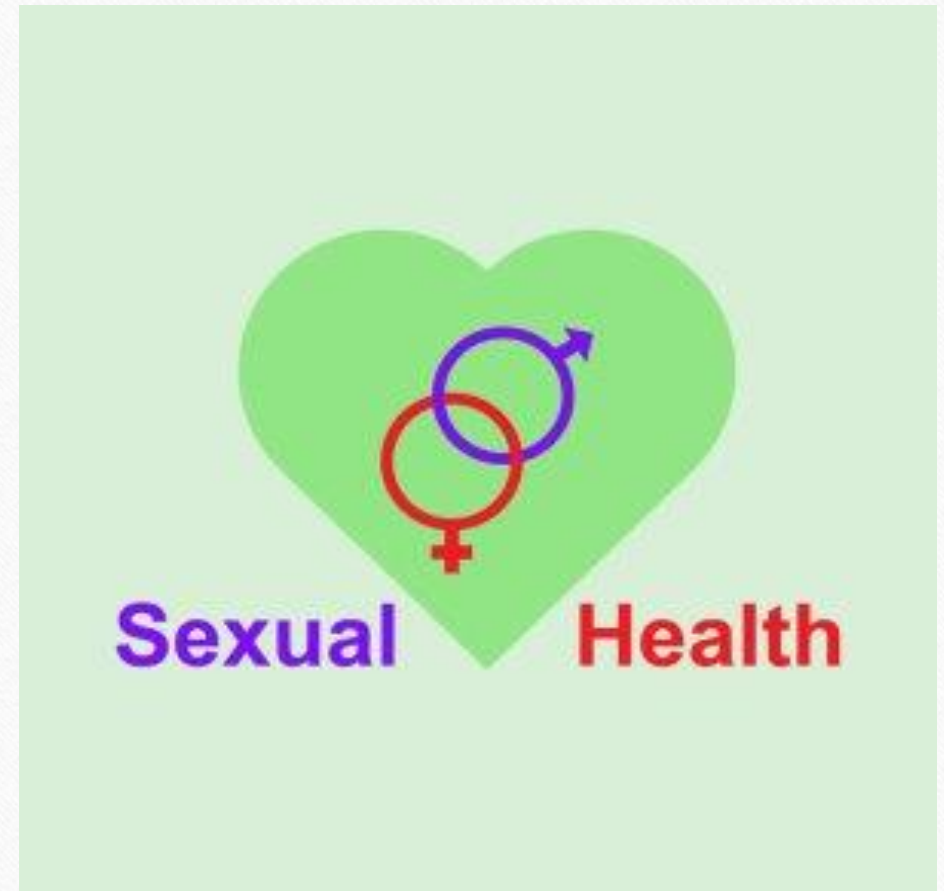
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Public Health Policy

Group 1-Sexual Health A1

Introduction (Myrna)

- The aim of this presentation is to be aware of your sexual health and Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs) e .g HIV /AIDS
- The importance of Public Health Policy and impact to the service user (PHE,2013)
- The incidences, risk factors, diseases, contraception ,sexual dysfunctions, spread, controls and how to apply them
- To identify the different agencies to responsible for sexual health issues
 - The support and prevention for the public's wellbeing
(NHS,2021)



The Relevant Policies and the Social Policies impact on user health and social care services(Mariya)

- Impacts of relevant policies:
 - At home STI (Sexual Transmitted Infections) tests kits.
- Advantages: Quick, discreet, safe and secure
- Disadvantage: not suitable for homeless people
- HIV Self-Testing.
- Advantages: Convenient, private and confidential.
- Disadvantage: individual may need psychological support.

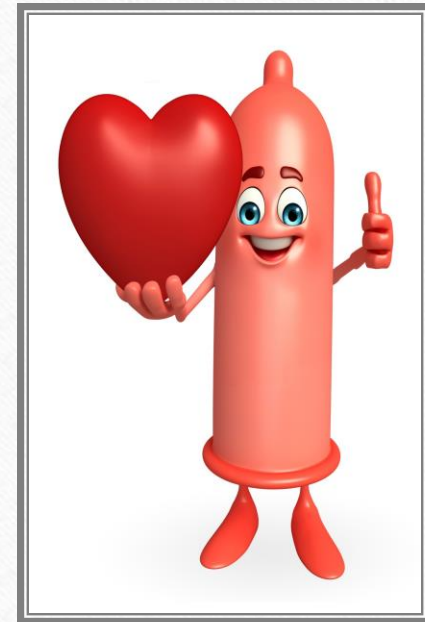
(Lloyds Pharmacy, 2021)



The relevant Policies and the Social Policies impact on Public Health User (Mariya)

- The impacts of Social Policies on Public Health Users
 - The use of Condoms
 - Advantage: 98% effective
 - Disadvantage: not always free
 - Women Contraceptive
 - Contraceptive Implant (lasts up to 3 years)
 - Intrauterine System (up to 5 years)
 - Intrauterine Device (up to 5 to 10 years)
 - Female Sterilisation (permanent)

(NHS, 2021)



Identify the incidence(Andreea)

According to the policy there are few incidence which can be identified:

- **Causes:** Physical causes: Sexual dysfunction can be caused by a variety of physical and/or medical issues.
- **Spread** Sexual interchange has been connected to the synchromesh of higher than 30 bacteria, diseases, and epiphytes.
- **Control :** Testing and disclosing sexual history to prospective partners.
- **Incidence rates :**

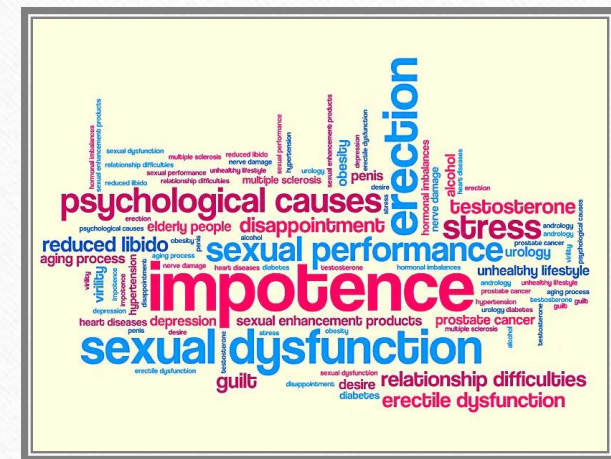
Sexual contact seen as "extremely essential" amongst 67% males

55% Women sees it as “very necessary” aspect

More Women than men were forced to have unprotected sex .

Men and women both revealed a strong link between sex fulfillment and overall health/hygiene

More than 80% have a positive outlook toward sex.

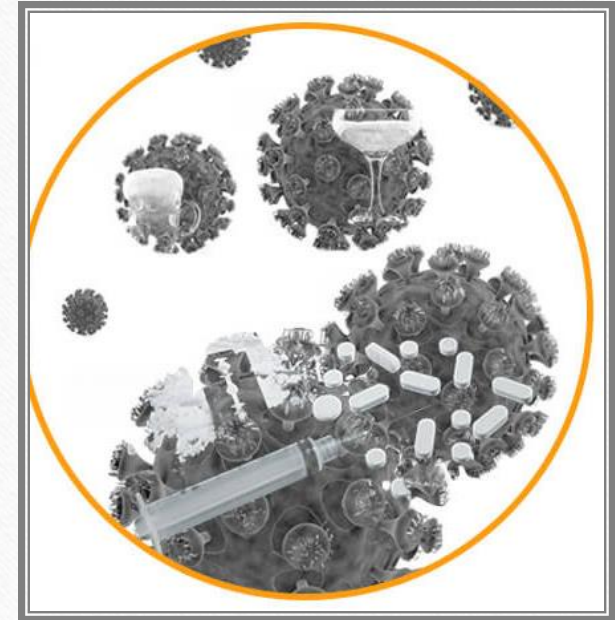


- (Weir, E., Allison)

Identify the incidence (Andreea)

- Vulnerable groups:
 - Low educated and low income
 - People suffering from addiction
 - Sexual Hygiene Is Not Maintained
 - Red-light Area Visitors,
 - Unrestricted Sexual Activities
 - Without Using Proper Protection.

(Irni M, 2019)



The roles of different agencies: local national, and international (Massangbe)

Local Agencies: Healthwatch Southwark and Sexual Health London

- STI (Sexual Transmitted Infection) testing for young people in Southwark. (Healthwatch, 2021).
- New sexual health e-service that provides free and easy access to sexual health testing via internet and local venues (Sexual Health London, 2021).

National Agency: British Association for Sexual Health and HIV (BASHH)

- Innovate and deliver excellent tailored education and training to healthcare professionals, trainers and trainees in the UK.
- Determine, monitor and maintain standards of governance in the provision of sexual health and HIV care (BASHH,2021).



Roles of Agencies(Massangbe)

International Agencies: Plan International and Human Reproductive Programme

- All children and young people have the right to make their own free and informed choices and have control over their sexual and reproductive health (Plan International, 2016).
- To attain of all people of the highest possible level of sexual and reproductive health (HRP, 2021).



Conclusion (Myrna)

- Engagement with new technologies e. g. Track and Trace (NHS , 2021)
- What the government can do to engage the public regarding sexual health, including infectious disease (PHE,2020): sending traditional letters ,e-mail ,text messages ,through the NHS app with all your information of your health is recorded or by calling to remind the date, if you have an appointment incoming with confidentiality.
- How the NHS can deliver these services in a cautious and delicate manner to promote good sexual health for everyone. Making the U.K. the best place to live for all well-being.
- **BE AWARE! Don't Sacrifice your health ,get tested (NHS,2021)** We say the sexual health matters to each and all of us



(Public Health England ,2020)

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