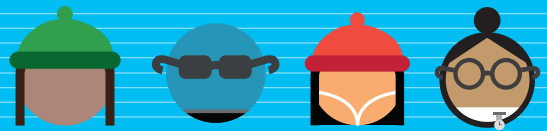


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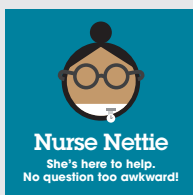
USING THE PLAY SAFE WEBSITE

The NSW Health Play Safe website has everything young people need to know about safe sex, condoms, STI testing and treatment. It also has a range of interactive features for self-assessment and peer support.

Ensure you are familiar with the website so you can help young people use the site to find the information and support they need.

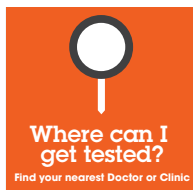
Features of the website are also great tools to use alongside your clients.

Below are a few of the great features on the site. See www.playsafe.health.nsw.gov.au for more.



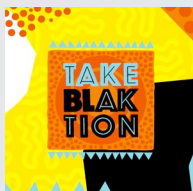
GOT A QUESTION? ASK AWAY!

If young people have sexual health questions they can ask these confidentially to 'Nurse Nettie' on the website and a trained sexual health nurse will respond by email within 24 hours.



NEED TO KNOW WHERE YOUR LOCAL SEXUAL HEALTH SERVICES ARE?

This section links to the National Health Services Directory. Young people enter a postcode and a list and map of nearby services is shown.



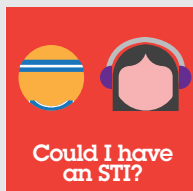
TAKE BLAKTION IS ALL ABOUT TAKING CHARGE OF YOUR LIFE AND TAKING CARE OF YOURSELF AND YOUR PARTNER. JOIN THE TAKE BLAKTION MOVEMENT!

This section has culturally appropriate content for young Aboriginal people.



THE PLAY SAFE FORUM IS HERE TO MAKE SEX BETTER FOR EVERYONE.

The Play Safe forum is a place to anonymously submit questions to resident sex expert Nurse Nettie, as well as chat to peers about sex, relationships and everything in between in a safe online environment. It is not a counselling or crisis service, but rather a place for good, honest conversations about sex and relationships, moderated by professionals and peer educators.



UNSURE ABOUT WHETHER YOU NEED AN STI TEST? TAKE THE QUIZ TO FIND OUT.

The quiz takes less than a minute and asks a few simple questions about sexual activity, condom use and previous testing. Any information provided is strictly confidential.



IT'S TIME TO SET THE RECORD STRAIGHT!

Visit this section of the website to learn which of those common myths about sex and STIs are true and which are false. This quiz could even be used in a group activity.