

# What you don't know can hurt you

**D**o you need to get tested for HIV? Think about your sexual and substance use history and see if you answer yes to one of the five questions below:

1. Did you have unprotected sex with a person who may not be free of HIV or AIDS?
2. Have you had many sex partners?
3. Did you fail to use a condom with a partner whose sexual history is unknown?
4. Have you or your sexual partner had other sexually transmitted diseases?
5. Have you or a sexual partner shared a needle or works when injecting drugs?

Veterans can seek help at Vet Centers. Confidential HIV testing is available at all U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs hospitals, or other anonymous testing sites. Your Vet Center HIV-AIDS coordinator can arrange testing and offer hope.

Over 200,000 Americans live with HIV and don't know it. Don't be one of them. Vet Centers and VA's AIDS Service have joined forces to help veterans get tested. Veterans in HIV treatment can now live long lives. Join their ranks. Get tested now.



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