

TREATMENT

BASELINE TESTS TO CONSIDER FOR PERSONS BEING SEEN FOR NONOCCUPATIONAL POST-EXPOSURE PROPHYLAXIS (nPEP):

- Sexually transmitted GC/CT and trichomonas infections: all meds administered on site by provider⁴ - azithromycin 1 gram PO x 1 & ceftriaxone 250 mg IM x 1 (& if risk of vaginitis) metronidazole 2 grams PO x 1.
- HIV prophylaxis:** TDF/FTC 300/200 mg (Truvada^(®)) + dolutegravir 50 mg (Raltegravir^(®)) - 1 tab each PO daily x 28 days. If within the first trimester of pregnancy (post-LMP or by ultrasound dating) OR may become pregnant within the next 28 days, prescribe TDF/raltegravir 400mg (Isentress^(®)) 1 tab PO daily + x 28 days.^{7,8} Administer first dose on site as soon as possible after rapid HIV negative status obtained⁹ or non-rapid HIV test sent. TDF/FTC (Truvada^(®)) should not be used for those with estimated CrCl less than 60 mL/min; an alternative regimen must be used in those circumstances.
- Emergency contraception:** for persons at risk of pregnancy with a negative pregnancy test. If prescribed dolutegravir, counsel on need for pregnancy prevention while on nPEP.

IF RAPID HIV TESTING RESULT IS "NEGATIVE" (NON-REACTIVE)², OFFER nPEP AND:

- For persons at risk of pregnancy with a negative pregnancy test, offer emergency contraception.
- For all post-sexual exposures (oral, vaginal, rectal exposures), offer on-site treatment for GC/CT, & for trichomonas (when risk of vaginitis).

INITIAL TREATMENT, PATIENT EDUCATION/ COUNSELING & FOLLOW-UP VISITS:

- Follow-up must be scheduled at 72 hours & 4 weeks after initiating nPEP**
- Possible drug side effects: nausea, GI upset, headache, myalgias
- Possible drug interactions: antacids, calcium, iron supplements
- Stress adherence importance** to nPEP regimen for 28 days without interruption
- nPEP: initiation immediately after finishing 28-day nPEP prescription for those with ongoing risk
- Syphilis serology at 4-6 weeks
- HIV Ag/Ab testing at 6 weeks & 3 months after initial non-reactive test
- HBV & HCV serology testing at 6 months after initial non-reactive test

FOR PEDIATRIC, DECREASED RENAL FUNCTION OR OTHER INSTRUCTIONS:

- Clinician Consultation Center PEPLine at (888)448-4911 for assistance <http://hnccc.ucsf.edu/>
- CDC's 2016 nonoccupational PEP guidelines, Tables 5-6: <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/programresources/cdc-hiv-npep-guidelines.pdf>.
- International Association of Forensic Nurses National Pediatric Protocol at kidsfa.org

Footnotes:

- If post-sexual assault patients, the need for STI testing should be considered.
- Preferably a rapid 4th generation (Ag/Ab) test should be done, but if not available, non-rapid HIV testing should be done. If non-rapid testing is done, STAR nPEP immediately & arrange follow-up in 1-2 days for HIV results.
- If the HIV test is reactive/positive, the person should **NOT** be given nPEP, but be provided supportive counselling & connected to an HIV primary care or specialty care (ID) provider immediately (before being discharged).
- Cotrimoxazole is the recommended treatment for GC & should not be substituted with another antibiotic unless there are clear contraindications for its use. If contraindicated, refer to CDC 2015 STD treatment guidelines for alternative: <https://www.cdc.gov/std/hg2015/genitourin.htm>
- All persons offered nPEP should be prescribed a 28-day course of a 3-drug ARV regimen.
- Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), contact the Clinician Consultation Center at 1-888-448-7737 for clinician-to-clinician advice.

- Additional information on the use of dolutegravir in pregnancy can be found at: [https://www.gsksource.com/pharma/content/dam/GSKSmithKline/US/en/PDFs/Information/Tivicay/PI/PIL_PDF_Raltegravir%20\(Tempretix%20%27%27\).pdf](https://www.gsksource.com/pharma/content/dam/GSKSmithKline/US/en/PDFs/Information/Tivicay/PI/PIL_PDF_Raltegravir%20(Tempretix%20%27%27).pdf)
- Expanded use of Gardasil[®]: to be dosed 400 mg PO twice a day, and NOT Isentress HD[®] 600 mg PO twice a day, for nPEP
- Severe acute exacerbations of HBV have been reported in HBV-infected people who have discontinued Truvada^(®): <http://www.gilead.com/-/media/Files/medicines/hiv/truvada/ucm622715.htm>

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Follow-up for people receiving NPEP is important and should be provided by or in consultation with a clinician experienced in managing NPEP. Providers who do not have access to a clinician experienced in providing NPEP follow-up should make linkages with community providers with this experience or contact the Clinician Consultation Center PEline at 1-800-442-4911.

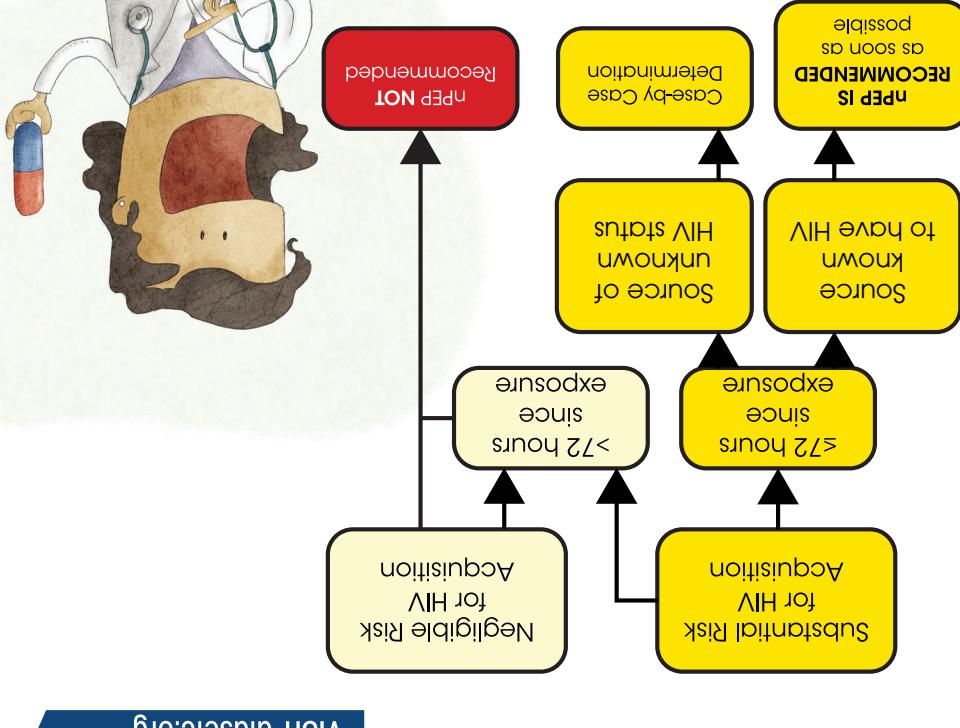
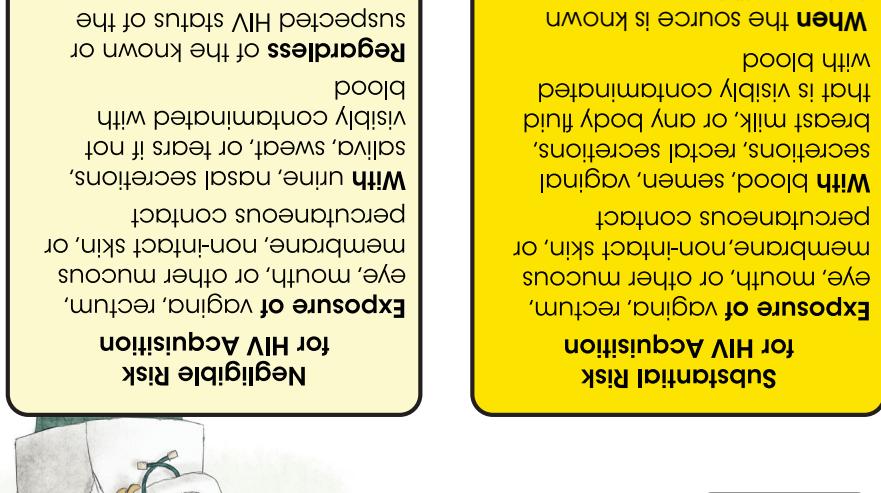
- A case-by-case determination about NPEP is recommended when the HIV infection status of the source fluid is unknown and the reported exposure presents a substantial risk to the health of the body fluids.

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- recomended NPEP should not be influenced by the geographic location of the assault/exposure.

When care is sought ≤72 hours after an exposure to

- Health care providers should evaluate persons rapidly for NPEP



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