

It's Just a Little Prick...

Get a hepatitis A vaccine.

Hepatitis A is on the rise – get your vaccine today.

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Hepatitis A is on the rise among gay, bisexual and other men who have sex with men who are not vaccinated.

What is hepatitis A?

Hepatitis A is a virus that can damage the liver.

How does it spread?

- Sexual contact with feces (such as rimming) of someone who has hepatitis A
- Food or water contaminated by feces

What are the symptoms?

- Jaundice (yellow skin or eyes)
- Fatigue
- Severe stomach pain
- Nausea
- Diarrhea

How can I protect myself?

- If you are a man who has sex with men, **get vaccinated for hepatitis A.**
- If you think you may have hepatitis A, your health care provider can check through a blood test.

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