



Hepatitis C in Connecticut

Absolutely anyone can have Hep C and not know it. Be a part of the knowing.

What is Hep C?

- A liver infection caused by a virus
- Spread through infected blood
- Causes liver disease and cancer

Prevent Hep C

- Protect yourself from coming into contact with blood
- People who use drugs should only use new supplies every single time
- Practice safer sex
- Get tested to know if you have Hep C



Get Hep C Cured

- Treatment now is usually one pill, taken daily for 8-12 weeks, with few side effects
- Most people with Hep C can be cured
- Even if you are cured, you can get reinfected with Hep C

For a testing site near you, **visit:** ct.gov/HepC

For all other questions, please **email:** HepCinfo.dph@ct.gov

test. treat. cure.