

THE **ABC's** OF HEPATITIS

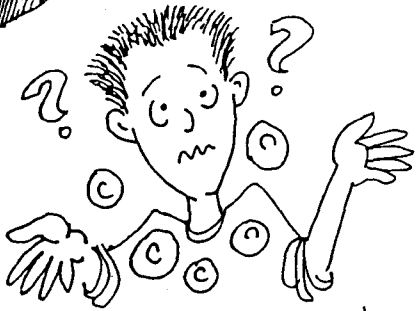
HEPATITIS C

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we accept collect calls from prisoners in Canada
416-920-9567

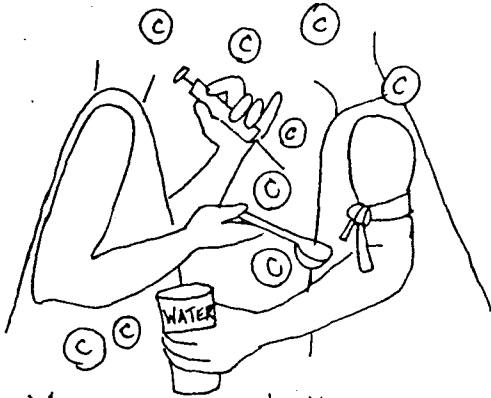
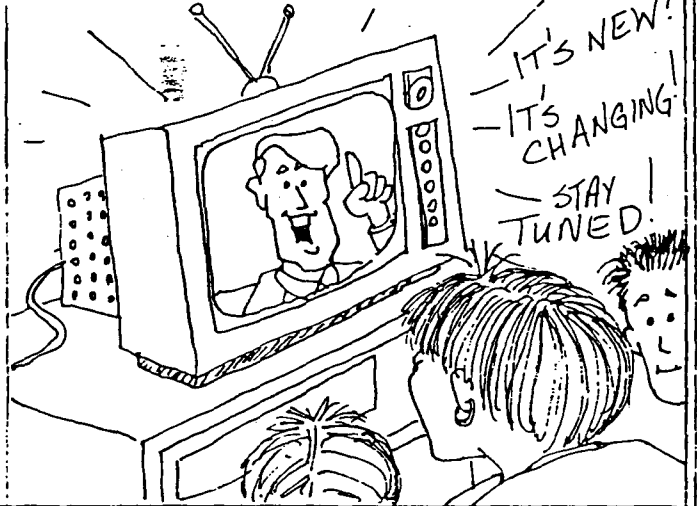
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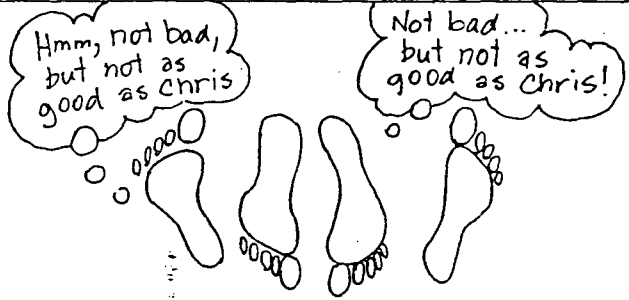
HOW YOU GET IT → HOW YOU PASS IT ON!



In a large number of cases, we do not know How you get it...



You can get it through blood.



You may get it from sex.
(How well do you know your partner?)

The straight talk about HEPATITIS C

HEPATITIS C VIRUS

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HOW YOU MAY FEEL

Most people never feel sick at all!



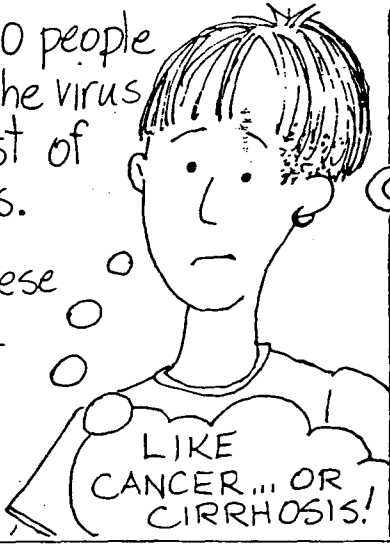
- Tired
- Weak
- No appetite
- Belly pain
- Nausea
- Fever
- Yellow skin
- Yellow eyes

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SO, IF MOST PEOPLE NEVER FEEL SICK... WHY IS IT A PROBLEM?

8 out of 10 people will have the virus for the rest of their lives.

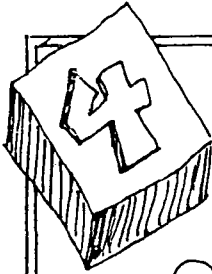
Many of these people WILL get liver disease.



So.... If you do drugs, (street or prescription) they make your liver work very hard. A diseased liver cannot cope and **CRACKS UP!** If you have **HEP B** and **HEP C** together, the risk of liver damage is **MUCH GREATER!**



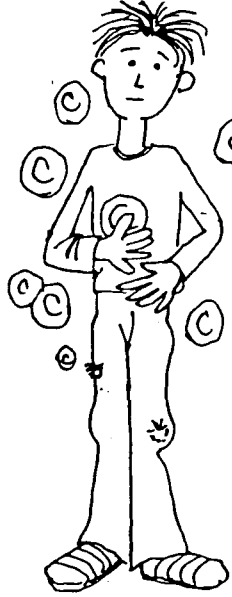
DON'T PASS IT ON!



GET A BLOOD TEST!



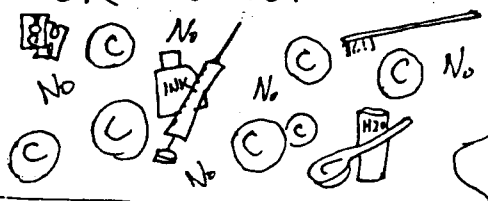
IS MY LIVER OK?...
DO I HAVE HEP C?
BLOOD TEST RESULTS



If you have Hepatitis C you can get help at the Liver Disease Clinic.

DON'T SHARE...

- RIGGS, WATER, SPOONS OR FILTERS IF SHOOTING UP.^P
- USE CONDOMS EVERY TIME
- DON'T RE-USE NEEDLES, INK, ETC. FOR TATTOOING
- DON'T SHARE RAZORS OR TOOTHBRUSHES



THIS IS SERIOUS ... I BETTER CHECK IT OUT.

