



Melbourne Sexual Health Centre
Annual Report 2005

MSHC STATISTICS



"When I was diagnosed with Chlamydia I was devastated, but after some simple treatment and reassurance from the staff at MSHC I was fine"



2005: Consultations

| <i>Clinic Type</i> | <i>Total</i> | <i>Male</i> | <i>Female</i> | <i>Transgender</i> | <i>Unknown</i> |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|
| General Clinic | 21,130 | 11,399 | 9,695 | 35 | 1 |
| HIV Clinic | 2,063 | 1,868 | 187 | 8 | - |
| Outreach | 617 | 499 | 110 | - | - |
| Counselling | 1078 | 816 | 262 | - | - |
| Vaccination | 668 | 435 | 232 | 1 | - |
| Total | 25,556 | 15,017 | 10,486 | 44 | 1 |

Jan 01 - Dec 31, 2005

2005: Individual Seen

| <i>Clinic Type</i> | <i>Total</i> | <i>Male</i> | <i>Female</i> | <i>Transgender</i> | <i>Unknown</i> |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|
| General Clinic | 11,707 | 6,670 | 5,019 | 17 | 1 |
| HIV Clinic | 547 | 489 | 56 | 2 | - |
| Outreach | 358 | 305 | 52 | - | - |
| Counselling | 444 | 303 | 141 | - | - |
| Vaccination | 532 | 339 | 192 | 1 | - |
| Total | 13,588 | 8,106 | 5,460 | 20 | 1 |

Jan 01 - Dec 31, 2005



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2005: Diagnosis

| <i>Clinic Type</i> | <i>Total</i> | <i>Male</i> | <i>Female</i> | <i>Transgender</i> | <i>Unknown</i> |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|
| <i>Dermatosis</i> | 1,039 | 687 | 352 | - | - |
| <i>Chlamydia</i> | 638 | 428 | 210 | - | - |
| <i>Bacterial Vaginosis</i> | 490 | - | 490 | - | - |
| <i>Gonorrhoea</i> | 198 | 183 | 14 | 1 | - |
| <i>Herpes</i> | 598 | 307 | 291 | - | - |
| <i>NGU</i> | 844 | 841 | 3 | - | - |
| <i>Post Coital Intervention</i> | 110 | - | 110 | - | - |
| <i>Warts</i> | 1,623 | 1,053 | 570 | - | - |
| <i>HIV</i> | 23 | 23 | - | - | - |

Jan 01 - Dec 31, 2005

92% OF WALK-IN CLIENTS WAITED LESS THAN 20 MINUTES TO SEE THE TRIAGE NURSE.

90% OF CLIENTS WERE TREATED BY A PRACTITIONER WITHIN ONE HOUR OF ARRIVING AT MELBOURNE SEXUAL HEALTH CENTRE.

RESEARCH AND EDUCATION



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