

# FIVE SMALL BUT SIGNIFICANT THINGS YOU CAN DO... TO ENHANCE STD SCREENING IN YOUR CLINIC OR OFFICE...

- 1) Have patients complete a Self-Administered Sexual History Questionnaire and Risk Assessment on a quarterly basis.
- 2) In each exam room, post a guide for clinicians clarifying what STD tests and specific collection materials are available in your clinic or office.
- 3) Create a laboratory panel selection for STD screening on preprinted lab request forms.
- 4) Schedule a noontime conference on STD screening, diagnosis and treatment.
- 5) April is National STD Awareness Month. Make it a point to promote STD screening throughout the month, and during adjacent months.

