

Guys Having Sex With Guys

If you have a medical provider or receive health care elsewhere, ask about being tested for Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) OR check out the following locations. Call sites for questions about eligibility & fees.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY

Beavercreek Clinic/Oregon City 1425 Beavercreek Rd. 503.655.8471
Rapid HIV testing. Tuesday 3:30-6:30pm.

CLARK COUNTY

HIV Test Clinic 3701 E. Fourth Plain Blvd. 360.397.8098
Rapid HIV testing. Thursday 5-7pm.

COLUMBIA COUNTY/ST. HELENS

HIV & syphilis testing & STI checks. 2370 Gable Rd. 503.397.4651
By appointment.

MULTNOMAH COUNTY (PDX)

CC Slaughter's 1st Thursday 9-11:30pm.
HIV (standard) testing for patrons.
Syphilis and Hep C testing available for those who qualify.

CAP Men's Wellness Center 928 SW Stark St. 503.445.7699
Rapid HIV testing & STI screening. Tuesday 5-9pm & Wednesday 11am-2pm.
Rapid HIV testing only. Saturday 5-9pm.

Health Dept./Downtown 426 SW Stark St, 6th Floor 503.988.3700
STI screening & treatment, HIV (rapid and standard) & syphilis testing.
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9-4:30pm & Wednesday 11-4:30pm.

Health Dept./NE 5329 NE MLK Jr. Blvd. 503.988.3030
HIV (rapid and standard) & syphilis testing. Tuesday 5:30-7:15pm.

Outside In 1132 SW 13th Ave. 503-535-3800
HIV (standard & rapid) and syphilis testing. Monday-Friday 9-5pm.

SMYRC 503.872.9664
Rapid HIV testing for 14-23 year old patrons. Saturday 5-8pm.

Scandals

HIV (standard) testing for patrons. 2nd Friday 9-11:30pm.
Syphilis and Hep C testing available for those who qualify.

Steam

Rapid HIV testing for patrons. 2nd & 4th Wednesday 7-10pm.
1st & 2nd Saturday 9pm-2am.

The Escape Night Club

Rapid HIV testing for patrons. 4th Saturday 10pm-1am.

Westover Heights

2330 NW Flanders St. Ste. 207 503.226.6678
STI screening & treatment and HIV (standard & rapid) testing.

WASHINGTON COUNTY

Beaverton Clinic 12550 SW 2nd St. 503.846.4734
HIV (rapid and standard) & syphilis testing. Monday 5:30-7:30pm.

Hillsboro Clinic

266 W. Main St. 503.846.4734
HIV (rapid and standard) & syphilis testing. Tuesday 4-5:30pm. & Friday 9-11am.

MORE? Call: 1.800.777.2437 (español 800.499.6940)
Visit: www.man2manpdx.us or
www.oregonaidshotline.com

NORTHWEST BRIEFS by Ryan J. Prado



The Portland Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence, seen here in this year's Pride Northwest parade, are partnering with the Art Institute of Portland to offer a scholarship for the student with a winning new coronet design.

Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence to Co-sponsor Scholarship Contest

The Portland Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence and the Art Institute of Portland are partnering for a scholarship contest on July 25 at Embers Ave. (110 NW Broadway) in Old Town to design a new coronet for the Sisters.

The Sisters have been serving Portland's gay, lesbian, bi and trans population for four years with support, education and development within the community through charitable acts and outreach — and in a fashion that promotes universal joy.

Each fully professed Order of the Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence is required to have a signature coronet, said Sister AnNa Wrecks-Ya, founding member of the Portland Sisters.

"Our coronet is called the Fruitbowl," explained Sister AnNa Wrecks-Ya. "All Nuns, catholic or otherwise, have to endure pain in the service of their mission. The Fruitbowl has been ours."

The Sisters have teamed up with the AIOP to have students design a new, more comfortable and user-friendly, but still visually fantastic coronet. The contest is open to all AIOP students, and has also been made a mandatory assignment for a debut Hat Design class, said Sister AnNa Wrecks-Ya.

The night of the contest, fully professed Sisters of Portland will first model the original Fruitbowl, then change into and model the prototypes created by AIOP students. The audience will vote by donation for its favorite design, the winner then presented with a \$500 scholarship from The Portland Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence.

The 21+ evening will include a DJ and no-host bar. There is no cover. Visit www.portlandsisters.net for more information.



DJ Automaton will be spinning at "Pink or Punk," the inaugural party at Red Cap Garage to raise money to help a trans individual afford surgery.

GenderF@*%! Dance Party Organized to Raise Money for Trans Surgery

Just two days before the TransMarch Gender (Free) For All, a new monthly gender-queer dance party premieres Wednesday, July 25 at Red Cap Garage (1035 SW Stark), with fabulous acts including D Word, DJ Girlfriends, and DJ Automaton. The theme for the inaugural party is "Pink or Punk."

The \$3 cover charge, plus every dollar of Red Cap bartenders' tips, will go toward giving a lump sum of cash to one trans person who is unable to afford surgery. The event is presented by Blue Monster Productions, aka Adam North, formerly of Sissyboy, a trio of Portland-based drag performers.

"Until our healthcare system or government catch up with real medical needs, we have to realize that amazing, beautiful trans people in our community are not living their lives to the fullest just because of a little bit of money and a little bit of surgery," said North. "The first recipient of the grant has been binding his breasts for 8 years now. It's painful, humiliating, unnecessary, and it's