

A Snapshot

Forestville Teen Clinic

FORESTVILLE TEEN CLINIC NEW HOURS AS OF NOV 1ST!

Monday 12pm-5pm
Tuesday 2:30pm-5pm
Wednesday 2:30pm-5pm
Thursday 4:30pm-7:30pm

We serve young people 12-25 years old
FREE & CONFIDENTIAL

Hours Change

Starting November 1st, 2015, our hours are changing!

After discussions with our peer education team, it was brought to our attention that our hours do not work for a lot of young people. The clinic conducted a survey to assess patient availability. Roughly 50% of the 200 patients surveyed said they have in the past struggled to come in during our open hours. In response, hours change!

NEWLY PASSED SEX ED LAW!

October 1st Governor Brown signed Assembly Bill 329 that mandates sex education in the state of California for 7th-12th grade students. This bill goes into affect January 1st, 2015. This is exciting news! Our education team is excited and ready for this! Before this new bill, sex education was not mandatory in California; HIV/AIDS education was mandated but only once during middle school and once during high school. This bill supports the education we do and we know this will help all students to get an age-appropriate, medically accurate sex education!



New patients
In 2015, we have had 230 new patients!



Number of visits
In 2015, we have had ~950 visits so far!



Peer educators
We have 19 peer educators this year!

Our School Education Programs are in full swing and our calendars are filling up!

This year we are serving more schools for school-based sex education than ever before! With the help of recent hire Kelsey Britt, Education and Outreach Specialist, we are expanding our reach, updating our curriculum and reaching more students! This year, we will serve every high school and alternative high school in West County, every public middle school in West County and a handful of chartered middle schools along with private schools and Waldorf schools! We are bringing age-appropriate, medically accurate sex education to students grades 6th-12th in Sonoma County.

Students are building the skills needed to make healthy, informed decisions about their bodies, their relationships, their behaviors and someday their sexual and reproductive health. We focus on much more than sex to help create well rounded students. We also encourage every student to talk with their parents or guardians about these sensitive issues!



“Educating my peers and being a resource is the best feeling!”

This year we have 19 peer educators! This amazing group of young people yield from El Molino High School, Analy High School, Windsor High School, Credo High, and the Santa Rosa Junior College.

This motivated group volunteer in the clinic, do outreach in the schools and community, serve as a resource for peers, and teach sex education in the schools! We are excited to see the work they do this year and grateful for each of them!

WAITING ROOM REMODEL PROJECT

We recently received a \$1200 grant from the Forestville Community Fund to remodel our waiting room! Thank you Forestville Planning Association!!! With this grant, we are going to convert our waiting room into a "teen lounge" or hang out space for youth. We are going to modernize the space to make it more welcoming while still holding on to our youthful vibe. Our carpet will be replaced with hardwood, we will install a homework bar, spruce up our kitchen area, buy new seating and add a "sex ed" library! Our staff and volunteer team are very excited for this remodel! Stay tuned!

