

Patient Concerns and Responses

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How do I take the medication?	Two times a day— breakfast and lunch or appropriate response.
When can I have sex again?	When the symptoms are gone and you and your partners have completed treatment.
Am I cured?	When you finish your meds and your partner(s) are treated you will be cured.
Who is going to find out?	Sounds like you're concerned that someone will find out you've been here (acknowledgement). It's against the law for me to tell anyone you've been here.
Will my husband/wife/parents/ partner know I've been here?	Sounds like you're concerned that someone will find out you've been here (acknowledgement). It's against the law for me to tell anyone you've been here.
How did I get this?	What do you know about the infection and how people get it? This is a sexually transmitted infection. What does that mean to you?
How long do the symptoms last?	How long did the doctor tell you? Or It depends on the individual. Or You should see improvement in a few days.