

# **18: Field Trip to a Local Health Clinic**

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- What teen services are available?
- What are the hours and days that the clinic is open? Are there specific hours designated for teens?
- What's the intake process? Do I have to tell the receptionist or clerk why I'm there?
- How much do the different services cost? Are there sliding-scale fees?
- What are the policies regarding confidentiality for teens?
- Will my parents know if I was here and the reason for my visit?
- What kind of information do teens have to bring with them?
- Can you walk in or do you need an appointment?
- How long do you usually have to wait?
- Are there male and female providers? Can a patient specify which they prefer?
- How are services provided to transgendered people?
- Do you provide hormones for transgendered people?
- If you get a check-up, do you automatically test for STDs and HIV, or do you have to ask to get these tests?
- If you get tested for STDs, how long do you have to wait for results?
- How do they communicate those results to you confidentially?
- Can you walk in to get free condoms?
- What kind of birth control methods are available?

