

# The First and *Only* OTC Syphilis Test Enabling Public Health Outreach Testing

## The Challenge: Syphilis is a Public Health Crisis

Rates have surged 80% from 2018 to 2022, hitting the highest levels since the 1950s<sup>1</sup>.



Vulnerable Populations at Risk: Underrepresented populations, including MSM, Black/African Americans, and American Indian/Alaska Native groups, encounter significant barriers to consistent care, which leads to higher infection rates and delayed treatment.

**Barriers to Testing and Treatment:** Traditional testing methods require lab facilities and CLIA certification, creating obstacles in underserved communities, limiting access to timely diagnosis and care.

## The Solution: First To Know® Syphilis Test

The First To Know<sup>®</sup> Syphilis Test is designed to support public health professionals with reliable and accessible testing:

- Self-test Anytime, Anywhere: Perform testing in any setting with just a simple finger-stick and one drop of blood.
- **Results in Minutes:** Get accurate results in just 15 minutes, allowing for immediate intervention.
- Confidence in Every Result: Ensuring confidence in every result with 93.4% positive predictive value and 99.5% negative predictive value.

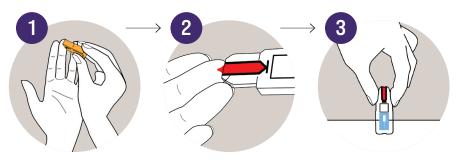
#### Impact on Public Health:

With syphilis rates on the rise, the First To Know® Syphilis Test is a crucial tool in combating this epidemic. Equip your team to test, treat, and reduce the spread of syphilis directly in your community.





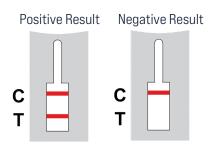
## How First To Know® Syphilis Test Works



**Prick** your fingertip with the easy-activated lancet.

**Collect** one drop of blood using the test cartridge.

**Tap** the cartridge twice and lay it flat.



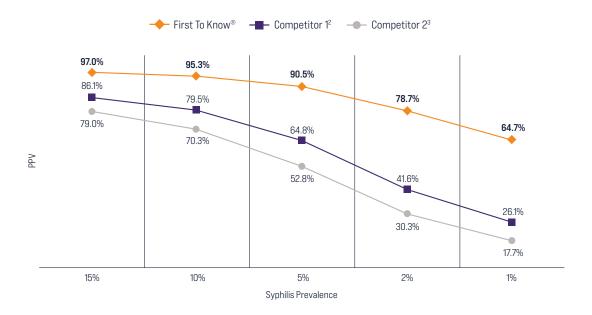
**Read** the result in just 15 minutes.

## First To Know® Syphilis Test Outperforms Other POC Tests

Positive Predictive Value (PPV) is crucial in syphilis testing, indicating the likelihood of a true positive result. The First To Know® Syphilis Test delivers a higher PPV compared to other tests across various prevalence rates, providing reliable results even in low-prevalence areas.

### Why Choose First To Know® Syphilis Test?

- Consistently High Predictive Value: Maintains reliable accuracy across all prevalence levels, outperforming other POC tests.
- Accurate in Low-Prevalence Areas: Minimize false positives, ensuring focused and effective treatment in communities with lower syphilis rates.





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