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BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE ANONYMOUS HIV TESTING PROGRAMME IN SINGAPORE

The anonymous HIV testing programme in Singapore was first implemented in 1991 at the Action for AIDS (AfA) Anonymous HIV Test Site at DSC Clinic in Kelantan Lane. The anonymous HIV testing programme was extended in June 2006 to two GP clinics, namely (i) Anteh Dispensary at Geylang Road, and (ii) Cambridge Clinic at Kreta Ayer Road.

The total number of anonymous HIV tests carried out in Singapore has increased from 5,639 in 2005 to 6,384 in 2006 to 8,251 in 2007.[1]

The number of anonymous HIV tests performed in the 2 GP clinics (Anteh Dispensary and Cambridge Clinic) has increased from 672 tests in the Jul 06 - Jun 07 period, to 1,724 tests in the Jul 07 - Jun 08 period. The percentage of first-timers going for anonymous HIV testing has risen from 65% (from Jun 06 – Jun 07) to 74% (from Jul 07 – Jun 08) at the two GP clinics.

[1] Combined figures from Anteh Dispensary, Cambridge Clinic, and the Action for AIDS anonymous test site.

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INFORMATION ON ANONYMOUS HIV TEST SITES IN SINGAPORE

Clinic	Address	Cost of Rapid HIV test and consultation	Cost of further testing if rapid test is reactive
Action For AIDS Anonymous HIV Testing and Counseling Clinic	DSC Clinic 31 Kelantan Lane #01-16 S(200031) Tel: 62540212 Tues and Wed: 6.30pm to 8pm Sat: 1.30pm to 3.30pm Public holidays: Closed	$20	Nil
Anteh Dispensary	368 Geylang Road S(389381) Tel: 67441809 Mon to Fri: 9.00am to 12.00pm, 2.00pm to 5.00pm Sat: 9.00am to 12.00pm Sun/public holidays: Closed	$50	$50
Cambridge Clinic	Block 333, Kreta Ayer Road, #03-27 S(080333) Tel: 63271252 Mon to Fri: 9.00 am to 1.30pm Sat: 9.00 am to 12.00pm Sun/public holidays: Closed	$50	$33
**Dr Jay Medical Centre	115 Killiney Road S(239553) Tel: 6235 5196 Mon to Fri: 9am to 12.30pm, 1.30pm to 4.30pm, 6.30pm to 8.30pm Sat: 9am to 12.30pm, 6.30pm to 8.30pm Sun/PH: 6.30pm to 8.30pm	$40 - $50	$20
** Dr Soh Family Clinic	Blk 966 Jurong West Street 93 #01-219 S(640966) Tel: 67917735 Mon to Fri: 8.30am to 1pm, 2pm to 5pm, 7pm to 9pm Sat/Sun/ public holidays: 8.30am to 1pm (closed on Thursday afternoons and Friday nights)	$45 - $55	$30
**M Lam Clinic	739 Geylang Road S(389649) Tel: 6748 1949 Mon to Fri: 9.30am to 12.30pm, 2.30pm to 5.30pm Sat: 9.30am to 12.30pm Sun/public holidays: Closed	$45	$30

** Robertson Medical Practice	11 Unity Street #02-07, Robertson Walk S(237995) Tel: 62387810 Mon to Fri: 8am to 3pm, 6pm to 9pm Sat: 9am to 2pm Sun/ public holidays: Closed	$48 - $58	$13

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