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	<ul> <li>There are several factors that influence illness.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The immune system removes harmful organisms from the blood</li> </ul>
	and combats pathogens.
Essential	<ul> <li>Many precautions can be taken to reduce the risk of illness.</li> </ul>
Understandings	<ul> <li>HIV is a preventable chronic condition that attacks the immune</li> </ul>
	system.
	Community resources are available to provide information, testing
	and counseling for STIs.
	<ul> <li>How does the environment, heredity and personal behavior</li> </ul>
	influence illness?
	<ul> <li>What precautions can be taken to reduce the risk of illness from</li> </ul>
Essential	infectious and chronic diseases?
Questions	<ul> <li>What behaviors encourage the spread of STIs?</li> </ul>
Questions	<ul> <li>What is HIV and how does it affect the immune system?</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>What community resources are available to provide information,</li> </ul>
	testing and counseling for STIs?
	<ul> <li>Heredity, environment and behavior are all factors that influence</li> </ul>
	illness.
	<ul> <li>The immune system is made up of body organs, tissues, cells, and</li> </ul>
Essential	chemicals that work to prevent illness.
Knowledge	<ul> <li>Many behaviors can prevent both infectious and non-infectious</li> </ul>
Mowledge	diseases.
	<ul> <li>It is important to understand the effect of HIV on the immune</li> </ul>
	system and the individual.
	<ul> <li>Valid community resources for information, testing and counseling</li> </ul>
	for STIs are available.
	• Terms:
	<ul> <li>heredity, environment, illness, immune system, antibody,</li> </ul>
	macrophages, immunity, immunization/vaccination, active
	immunity, passive immunity, transmission, symptoms,
Vocabulary	diagnosis, treatment, prevention, infections, pathogens,
	bacteria, rickettsia, viruses, fungi, protozoa, helminthes,
	chronic diseases, infectious diseases, STIs, HIV,
	opportunistic infections, AIDS, Chlamydia, genital herpes,
	genital warts, gonorrhea, pubic lice, syphilis, trichomoniasis,
	viral hepatitis, cardiovascular diseases, diabetes, cancer,
	asthma, allergies
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Essential Skills	<ul> <li>Compare the roles played by heredity, environment and behavior in causing illness.</li> <li>Analyze the variety of influences that affect course of illness.</li> <li>Describe the parts of the immune system and how they function.</li> <li>Identify primary disease prevention.</li> <li>Plan strategies to reduce personal health risks or improve personal health.</li> <li>Describe the importance of individual responsibility in managing chronic disease.</li> <li>Describe the cause, effects and prevention of HIV infection.</li> <li>Identify valid sources of information about HIV.</li> <li>Examine behaviors that transmit sexually transmitted infections (STIs).</li> <li>Summarize effective ways to prevent pregnancy and STIs.</li> <li>Identify valid resources for STI testing and treatment.</li> </ul>
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	Health and Physical Education
	A. Health Concepts
	1. Healthy Behaviors and Personal Health
	Students predict how behaviors can impact health status.
	b. Predict how healthy behaviors can positively impact health
	status.
	c. Describe barriers to practicing healthy behaviors.
	d. Examine personal susceptibility of, and the potential
	severity of, injury or illness if engaging in unhealthy
	behaviors.
	2. Dimensions of Health
	Students analyze the interrelationship of physical,
	mental/intellectual, emotional, and social health.
	3. Diseases/Other Health Problems
	Students explain causes of common diseases, disorders, and
	other health problems and propose ways to reduce, prevent, or
	treat them.
Related	<ol><li>Environment and Personal Health</li></ol>
Maine Learning	Students determine the interrelationship between the
Results	environment and other factors and personal health.
	<ul> <li>Describe how genetics and family history can impact</li> </ul>
	personal health.
	c. Analyze the relationship between access to health care and
	health status.
	B. Health Information, Products, and Services
	2. Locating Health Resources
	Students access valid and reliable health information, products,
	and services.
	a. Determine when professional health services may be
	required.
	c. Access valid and reliable health products and services.
	C. Health Promotion and Risk Reduction
	1. Healthy Practices and Behaviors
	Students demonstrate healthy practices and/or behaviors to
	maintain or improve the health of self and others in each of the
	following areas: healthy eating; physical activity; tobacco,
	alcohol, and other drug use prevention; and prevention of
	STDs. HIV and unintended pregnancy.

	D. Influences on Health
	1. Influences on Health Practices/Behaviors
	Students analyze and evaluate influences on health and health
	behaviors.
	<ul> <li>Analyze how peers influence healthy and unhealthy</li> </ul>
	behaviors.
	c. Evaluate the effect of the media on personal and family
	health.
	d. Analyze how the perceptions of norms influence healthy and
	unhealthy behaviors.
	<ul> <li>e. Analyze how culture and personal values and beliefs influence individual health behaviors.</li> </ul>
	f. Investigate how public health policies and government
	regulations can influence healthy promotion and disease
	prevention.
	2. Technology and Health
	Students evaluate the impact of technology, including medical
Related	technology, on personal, family, and community health.
Maine Learning	E. Communication and Advocacy Skill
Results	1. Interpersonal Communication Skills
	Students utilize skills for communicating effectively with family,
	peers, and others to enhance health.
	a. Demonstrate effective communication skills including asking
	for and offering assistance to enhance the health of self and
	others. b. Demonstrate refusal, negotiation, and collaboration skills to
	enhance health and avoid reduce health risks.
	2. Advocacy Skills
	Students demonstrate ways to influence and support others in
	making positive health choices.
	a. Utilize accurate peer and societal norms to formulate a
	health-enhancing message.
	F. Decision-Making and Goal-Setting Skills
	1. Decision-Making
	Students apply a decision-making process to enhance health.
	a. Compare the value of thoughtful decision-making in a
	health-related situation. c. Generate alternative approaches to situations involving
	health-related decisions and predict the potential short-term
	and long-term impact for themselves and others for each
	alternative.
Sample	<ul> <li>Work in groups to research STI facts using valid information</li> </ul>
Lessons	sources. Present findings to the class. "Vote with you feet" to
And	identify behaviors as high risk or low risk for STI exposure
Activities	

<ul> <li>Complete a questionnaire about STIs.</li> </ul>
Publications:
<ul> <li>"Outrageous Teaching Techniques in Health Education" –</li> </ul>
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