HOW DO YOU GET HEPATITIS B?



You can get hep B from blood-to-blood or sexual contact

HIGH RISK



Sharing needles or injecting equipment



Mums with hep B can pass it on to their bubs at birth



Having a tattoo or piercing done by a friend at home



Unprotected sex



Traditional practices or ceremonies

LOW RISK



Competing in contact sports



Sharing toothbrushes, razors or clippers



Needle stick injury

B VACCINATED

There is a life-long vaccination for hepatitis B. Adults have 3 jabs. Bubs have 4 jabs just after birth.

Have a yarn about getting tested for hep B at your nearest clinic today.



NO RISK



Sharing food, or eating food made by someone with hepatitis



Hugging, kissing or shaking hands



Being spat on



Having a blood transfusion in Australia



Washing someone, sharing toilets, showers and bathrooms

B STRONGER AND LOOK AFTER YOUR LIVER









Alcohol and smoking



Drinking lots of water





Eat healthy food (low-fat, low sugar), lots of fruits, veggies





Some drugs, medicines and herbs



Rest and sleep when tired

Stress



Exercise regularly



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