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| **"STD 101 in a Box” -** **Ready-to-Use Presentations** **Discussion Questions****June 9, 2014**1600 Clifton Rd.Atlanta, GA 30333U.S.A. |

**Discussion Questions by Objective**

These questions are designed to initiate discussion between presenters and participants. The presenter should be reasonably familiar with the topic to ensure an interesting and informative discussion.

# Objective one: Describe the signs, symptoms, and complications of common STDs

* Which STDs are characterized by a lesion or sore?
* Which STDs are characterized by a discharge?
* What STD complications do you see most often in your setting?

# Objective two: Describe the importance of screening for and early detection of STDs

* Which diagnostic tests does your area use to screen for STDs?
* Which STDs are screened in your area?
* Why do you think screening for and early detection of STDs is important?

# Objective three: Describe the connection between STDs and other public health problems

* What do you see as the connection between STDs and other public health issues in your area?
* What services exist in your area for clients who experience problems with multiple public health issues?

# Objective four: Describe expanded opportunities for STD prevention

* What STD prevention opportunities exist in your jurisdiction?

# Objective five: Identify populations in the U.S. with high and increasing STD morbidity

* What STDs have the highest prevalence in your area?

# Objective six: Describe the function and purpose of state and local STD prevention programs

* What services does your local/state STD prevention program provide?
* Can you describe the function of Disease Investigation Specialist?