



Healthy Campus Case Study



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Does making condoms freely available on a university campus reduce the percentage of students diagnosed with chlamydia or gonorrhoea?

Name of institution and initiative lead

University of Limerick
Practice Nurse Manager, Student Health Centre

Date and timeframe

February 2017 to November 2017, February 2019 November 2019

What was the reach?

1,374

Aims and Objectives

This was a study that was undertaken on foot of anecdotal stories relating the point that it was the punitive nature of cost associated with having to purchase condoms that prevented students from using them.

Aligned frameworks, policies, or strategies

Healthy UL Framework
National Sexual Health Strategy, 2020-2025.
Healthy Ireland Framework, 2013 – 2025.

Project Collaborators

Internal: Student Health Centre staff, Student Life and PSU?

External: HSE, Sexual Health and Crisis Pregnancy Agency

Key Learning Points

Having statistics, data, and evidence-based practice to bolster your argument/request is beneficial especially when dealing with people that may not be clinical.

Healthy Campus Process	Whole Campus Approach	Topic	Population Group
Create	Campus Environment (Facilities & Services)	Sexual Health & Wellbeing	Students
	Personal & Professional Development	Health & Sustainability	Staff

