

## Trichomoniasis

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The protozoa infection (*Trichomonas vaginalis*) &ndash; the treatment is with antibiotics.

Women &ndash; infection of vagina and the surrounding organs that could lead to cystitis. Among women, the disease is usually discovered on a routine PAPA test.

Men &ndash; it causes a light urethra infection, and sometimes it could result in bacterial urethritis

Children &ndash; transmission of the disease is possible during birth, usually without any symptoms.

The symptoms among women are:

- Abundant, yellow and foamy vaginal secretion of unpleasant smell
- A painful vagina infection
- Itching and soreness of the vulva
- Stinging during urination
- Unpleasantness during a sexual intercourse

The symptoms are also rare among men, but if they ever occur, these are the symptoms:

- Complications during urination
  - Secretion from the penis
- Infection confirmation is done by a smear test of the infected area and a protozoa presence test. Sexual partners and newborns of diseased mothers should also be tested even if they don't have any symptoms and should be treated if necessary.