

I/AP RECOMMENDED WEBSITES

www.medicineau.net.au (this is a web site from Australia but it has some informative and interesting information. There is a Hepatitis C Manual that is excellent (in the search section type Hepatitis C" once in the log click on Hepatitis C Manual)

www.liver.ca (Canadian Liver Foundation web site)

www.geocities.com/HotSprings/5670 (Canadian site for Hepatitis C support group with listings for support groups available in the Province of British Columbia)

www.hepatitis-central.com (Canadian site with support group available in British Columbia)

www.junction.net/hepcure (located in Armstrong B.C. an international network on education, support and research)

www.hep-c-alert.org (a nonprofit organization founded and run by people with Hepatitis C)

www.hepatitiscsociety.com (Hepatitis Society of Canada)

www.cdn AIDS.ca (Canadian Aids Society. Promotes education awareness, information and resources)

www.hemophilia.ca (Canadian Hemophilia Society. Lists contact number for information on details of compensation package)

www.cPCA.net (Canadian Palliative Care Association)

www.aidsvancouver.bc.ca (Vancouver Aids Resource Center. Library also has information on Hepatitis C. Also excellent links to other centers including the Dr. Peter Center.)

www.bcpwa.org (B.C. Persons with Aids Society. Click on BC AIDS Groups..will link to map from here one can click on to any B.C. location for information.)

www.death-dying.com (information for patients, family, friends and other care givers)

www.yahoo.com (in search area type Hepatitis C a number of web sites are listed here. Although mostly American many will have links to Canadian sites.)

www.pan.ca (Pacific Aids Network. Information services that will link to all of Canada)

www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca (basic newsletters from the BTF. Contact information through email)

www.about.com (scroll down index site to "health/fitness" click on scroll down to list of "diseases" click on to HIV/AIDS and/or HEPATITIS)

HEPATITIS SITE: click on HEPC links to Harvard Medical School "What I Need to Know About HEPC" HEPC information Booklet from the Canadian Hemophilia Society. HEPC Lookback Information for Consumers. Click on GLOSSARY links to about.com glossary and University of Chicago Hospital Glossary

HIV/AIDS SITE: click on GLOSSARY links to IntelliHealth Glossary from the Harvard Medical School. Aids 101.com. Click on HEPATITIS. Links to Hepatitis Foundation (International). United States Surgeon General's Health Finder (although a US link interesting information)

www.brad.ac.uk/staff/ihodgson/hivlinks (University of Bradford in the United Kingdom. Interesting information and international links)

www.projectinform.com (Information, Inspiration, and Advocacy for People Living with HIV/AIDS)

www.aids2000.com (XIII International AIDS Conference held in Durban South Africa)

www.thebody.com/ (The Body. An HIV and AIDS Information Resource)

www.clearinghouse.cpha.ca (Canadian HIV/AIDS Information Clearinghouse)

www.cdc.gov/hiv/pubs/brochures.htm (ignore "sorry" message. On left side of page under CDC Contents click on HEALTH TOPICS A-Z scroll down to AIDS/HIV click onto BROCHURES lots of

Internet brochures listed here. Of special interest PREVENTING INFECTION FROM PETS. Lots of information from the Center for Disease Control)

www.cdc.gov/ncidod/disease/hepatitis/c/index.htm (ignore “sorry” message. On left side of page under CDC Contents click on HEALTH TOPICS A-Z scroll down to HEPATITIS click on “C” Interesting information from the Center for Disease Control)

(The two sites listed above are from the Center for Disease Control in the United States. It may seem a little complicated to access but hopefully I have made it as easy as possible. I think the site is worth the effort for it does have some information I have not come across before. (example: infection from pets)

http://content.health.msn.com/content/asset/adam_disease_hepatitis_c#defination

http://content.health.msn.com/content/asset/adam_disease_hiv_infection

http://content.health.msn.com/content/asset/adam_disease_aids

(Above 3 listings will give an account of information under the following headings: Alternate names; Definition; Causes, Incidence and Risk Factors; Symptoms; Signs and Tests; Treatment; Expectations (Prognosis); Complications; Speaking with your Health Care Provider; Prevention. All the underlined areas within the text will connect you to that link. In any of these sites you can reach a Medical Encyclopedia by scrolling down the green area on the left hand side of the page to Quick Reference.

www.who.int/World Health Organization (Click on Health Topics)

www.tthivclinic.com University Health Network. The Immunodeficiency Clinic. Toronto General Hospital, Toronto Western Hospital, Princess Margaret Hospital.

www.bchealthguide.org British Columbia Health Guide. Endorsement from the B.C. Association of Physicians, Nurses, and Pharmacists. Must have B.C. Care Card number to enter site. Also in (paperback) printed version delivered to all B.C. residence. (In this version see pages 287-290 for HIV/AIDS and page 107 for HEPC.)

www.nimh.nih.gov/publicat/depression.cfm National Institute of Mental Health information on depression

www.about.com (click on “D” in alphabet list. Scroll down to “Depression” excellent site and links to explain depression and how to cope.)

www.asia.bc.ca (a web site for the Asian community dealing with HIV/AIDS)

http://content.health.msn.com/content/asset/adam_disease_hepatitis_c#definit

www.hiv-tgroup.com (blood transfused)

www.navta.org (National Association for Victims of Transfusion-Acquired AIDS -US)

<http://www.bloodtrail.com/news/recent.html>

http://ca.fullcoverage.yahoo.com/full_coverage/canada/tainted_blood_scandal/

<http://www.aidslaw.ca/>

<http://www.canoe.ca/cnewskrever/home.html>

http://www.canoe.ca/cnewskrever/nov26_victimshhtml

<http://www.growthhouse.org>

<http://www.hepnet.com>

<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/> (click English or French. Then click on Aids or Hepatitis)

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