# **HEPATITIS B:** ARE YOU AT RISK?

### **HEPATITIS B IS A SERIOUS & DEADLY DISEASE**



Hepatitis B virus infects people of all ages & as many as

**2.2M people** in the US are chronically infected



Up to 40% of chronic infections lead to cirrhosis, liver failure, and liver cancer, which may lead to death

### **HEPATITIS B IS EASILY SPREAD**



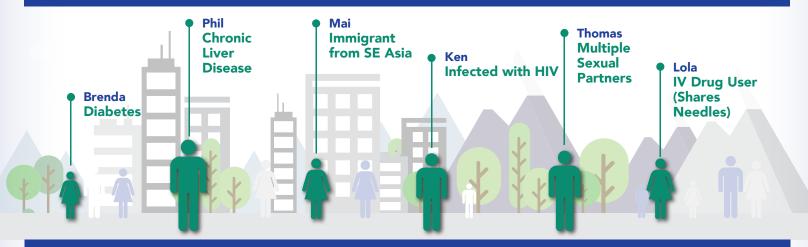
Hepatitis B is

50 to100X more
infectious than HIV and can live
outside the body for 7+ days
and still cause infection



**2/3 of those** living with chronic hepatitis B do not know they are infected but can still spread the virus to others

#### MANY ADULTS ARE AT RISK



## **SAFE & EFFECTIVE VACCINES ARE AVAILABLE**



Only 25% of US adults get vaccinated against hepatitis B as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

TALK TO A HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL ABOUT VACCINATION TO HELP PROTECT YOURSELF AGAINST HEPATITIS B

