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The homosexual activists would have you believe that homosexual behavior is just an alternate way of living that is both normal and natural. If you examine the medical consequences of homosexual behavior, you must ask the question of why something that is considered by some to be an acceptable way of living would be associated with such devastating effects on health. A survey several years ago revealed that seventy-eight percent of homosexuals have been affected at least once by a sexually transmitted disease. Although the AIDS epidemic resulted in some decline in this risky behavior, there has been an upsurge again in the risky behavior characteristic of homosexuality.

Although the percentage of homosexuals in the United States is less than five percent, they are responsible for half of the nation's cases of syphilis and more than half of the cases of gonorrhea of the throat and of intestinal infections. Major outbreaks of amebiasis and hepatitis A infections in San Francisco and Minneapolis have been associated with diseased homosexual food handlers in public restaurants. There is a twenty to fifty fold greater rate of hepatitis B among male homosexuals and a much higher rate of hepatitis A; between one-half to three-fourths of homosexual men have had hepatitis B. If you look at rates of chronic or recurrent infections with herpes virus, CMV, and hepatitis B, you would find them in ninety percent of homosexually active men.

San Francisco passed "gay rights" laws and saw a rate of increase of twenty-two times over the national average of venereal disease over the first ten years. Over this same period, the rate of amoebic colon infections increased 25 times and the rate of hepatitis B increased 3 times. Clinics that treated venereal diseases in the city saw seventy-five thousand patients every year of which close to eighty percent were homosexual males and twenty percent of them carried rectal ..

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gonorrhoea. There are also a group of rare bowel diseases usually limited to the tropics that are common in male homosexuals. In this country, AIDS has been transmitted primarily by homosexual sex.

If homosexual behavior was ever meant to be a normal part of human behavior, it would not be associated with such deleterious effects. The Bible could not be clearer in its condemnation of homosexual behavior. Just read Romans 1:24-28. Our society should not promote a behavior that results in such a danger to public health.

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