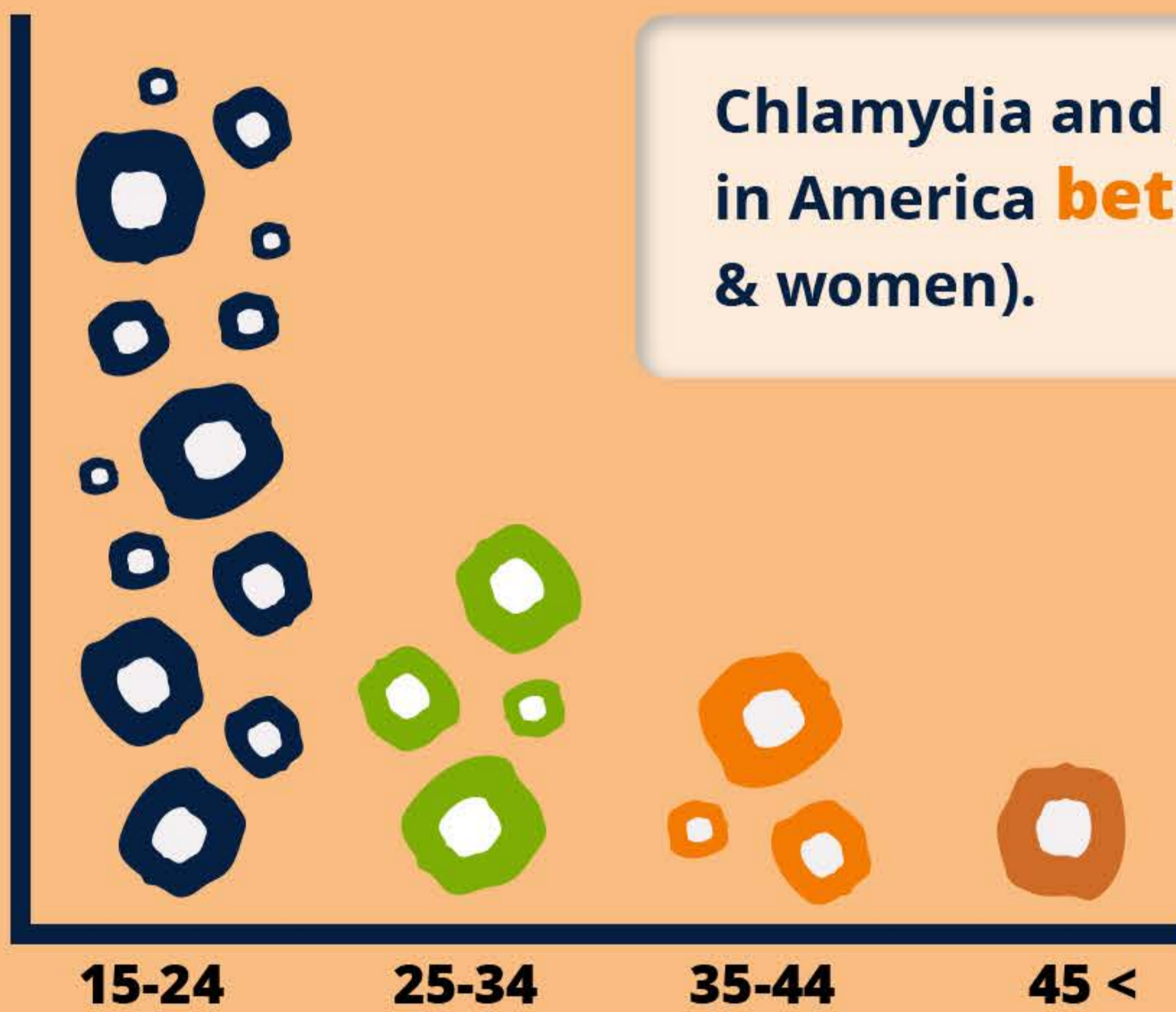


The Reality: STI



Young people (15-24) acquire **half of all** new STI/STD.
1 in 4 sexually active adolescent females **have an STI/STD.**



Chlamydia and gonorrhoea are the highest in America **between ages 15-24** (men & women).

Texas youth 15-24 comprised **20% of new HIV cases** (2006, TX Dept. of State Health Services).

HIV and the Hispanic Population



HIV/AIDS prevalence is **on the rise** among Hispanic populations.

Latino/Hispanic populations, **56% of new infections** were among those ages 15-34.

HIV is the **5th leading cause of death** among Hispanics ages 35-44 (2010).