

Know the Symptoms of **MEASLES**



Measles can be dangerous, especially for babies, young children, and pregnant women.

Know the symptoms. Know when to get care.



Fever

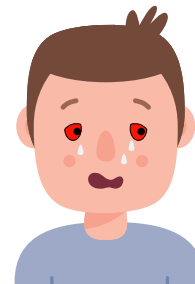
100.4° F
or higher



Cough



Runny Nose



Red and/or Watery Eyes



Rash

3-5 days after
symptoms
start

How Measles Spreads: In the air when a sick person coughs or sneezes.

What to do if you have symptoms:

Stay home and away from others to protect your family and community.

Check your vaccine records. Did you get the measles, mumps, rubella (MMR) vaccine?

Go to the hospital for any sign of severe illness: Trouble breathing, pain when breathing or coughing, dehydration fever or headache will not stop, confusion, severe weakness, blue color around mouth, or difficulty eating

Important: *Call ahead and let the hospital know someone with possible measles is on the way.*

A rash is a common symptom of measles. It usually starts on the face and spreads down the body, appearing as flat or raised red spots.

There is a safe and effective vaccine available to protect against measles. Talk with your doctor.