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MEASLES

As of mid-March 2025, 12 states have reported measles cases and multiple ongoing, uncontained outbreaks. **Here are some facts to keep you in the know!**

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MEASLES IS A SERIOUS ILLNESS

Measles is one of the most contagious infectious diseases. According to the CDC, up to 90% of people will get infected if they are not protected by vaccine.



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SYMPTOMS



High Fever



Cough



Runny Nose



Rash

COMPLICATIONS

Measles can lead to serious complications such as pneumonia, swelling of the brain, and death particularly in children or immunocompromised people.

PREVENTION

Vaccination is the **most effective way** to prevent measles. The MMR vaccine provides lifelong protection to **over 97% of people who receive two vaccine doses.**

According to the World Health Organization (WHO), measles vaccination has saved an estimated 23.2 million lives worldwide since 2000.

