



Hepatitis A Outbreak



What is hepatitis A and who's at risk?

Hepatitis A is a liver infection caused by the hepatitis A virus. It is very contagious.

People who use drugs are at risk of getting hepatitis A. The virus is spreading from person to person and causing outbreaks around the country.

If you use drugs, protect yourself and others from hepatitis A

Get vaccinated

The vaccine is safe and effective.



Wash your hands



If you have symptoms, see a health professional as soon as possible



Yellow skin or eyes



Fatigue



Loss of appetite



Abdominal pain



Dark urine and/or gray-colored stools



Joint pain



Nausea



Vomiting



Fever

Hepatitis A can be serious

People can get sick for a few weeks to many months. Some people will need to be treated in a hospital. Sometimes hepatitis A can even cause death.

