

Potential Measles Exposure in NH

The only known public exposure site in New Hampshire was the Flatbread Company restaurant in Portsmouth on April 20th between the hours of approximately 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm.

DHHS is asking anybody (1) who was at the restaurant during the above time frame, (2) who was born in 1957 or after, and (3) who has not been adequately vaccinated for measles or found to have evidence of measles immunity to contact the DHHS Division of Public Health Services at 603-271-4496 to discuss risks of infection and transmission of the virus.

Symptoms of measles infection usually begin with high fever, cough, runny nose, and conjunctivitis several days prior to development of a body rash. Anybody who feels sick should call their healthcare provider before going directly to a healthcare facility.

To view the Measles Fact Sheet, go to <http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/cdcs/documents/measles.pdf>