

Hepatitis A



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What You Should Know

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Close personal contact
(sex with infected
partners, caring for ill)



Sharing drug
paraphernalia or other
personal items

HOW YOU GET IT



An infectious person not
washing their hands after
using the bathroom



Drinking/eating foods
contaminated with
Hepatitis A



Yellow eyes
or skin



Vomiting

SYMPTOMS



Fever



Tiredness



Abdominal pain



Diarrhea, pale
stools, dark urine

PREVENTION



Wash your hands with
soap and water



GET VACCINATED!



Don't share food, drinks
or other personal items

Hepatitis A is a highly contagious liver disease. It can make you sick for **weeks to months**. People shed the virus in their stool (poop) and can spread it **before they know they are sick**.

To protect yourself and others, see a doctor if you are sick!