Protect yourself & your customers.

Hepatitis A is on the rise in our area.



Get vaccinated.





Hepatitis A virus is in the feces of people who have the virus.

• If a person with the virus doesn't wash his or her hands after going to the bathroom, feces (poop) can transfer to objects, food, drinks or drugs.

• When these things are shared, other people can unknowingly swallow the virus.

• If a person who has the virus comes in close contact with others—like during sex—the virus can spread.



Stop the spread:

• Wash your hands with soap and water after you use the bathroom, and before you eat and drink.

• Don't share personal items, food, drinks or drugs.

The virus can lead to serious liver problems. Symptoms:



- Stomach pain
- Nausea & vomiting
- Jaundice
- Diarrhea
- Loss of appetite
- Joint pain
- Pale- or clay-colored stool
- Fever
- Tired
- Dark-colored urine

Call the information line: 850-595-6500 Mon.–Fri. • 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.

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