MEASLES

With measles cases reappearing, know what signs and symptoms to look for and how contagious it is.

WHAT TO LOOK FOR:
- Fever
- Red eyes
- Runny nose
- Cough
- Rash

Within 3 days of infection, a red rash appears, starting on the head and spreading down the body.

Highly contagious and spreads through the air when an infected person coughs or sneezes.

Virus can live in air nearly 2 hours

If one person has measles, 9 out of 10 people will also become infected if they are not vaccinated.

People are contagious 4 days before and 4 days after the measles rash appears.