

# Get the Hepatitis A Vaccine

Florida is responding to a hepatitis A virus outbreak. Hepatitis A is a highly contagious, short-term liver infection caused by the hepatitis A virus.

Getting vaccinated and practicing good hand hygiene are the best ways to protect against hepatitis A.

## Outbreak-Associated At-Risk Groups:

Although anyone can get hepatitis A, the following groups should consider vaccination with a hepatitis A vaccine during this outbreak.

### Men who have sex with men who are:

- Experiencing homelessness or unstable housing.
- Using illicit recreational drugs.
- Wanting protection (immunity) from the virus.
- Diagnosed with chronic or long-term liver disease, including hepatitis B or C.
- Age 60 or older and have a serious underlying medical condition.
- Diagnosed with a clotting-factor disorder.

## Vaccination:

Vaccination is the best way to protect against hepatitis A.

Find hepatitis A vaccines by contacting a health care provider, county health department, or pharmacy.

**Find your CHD at: [bit.ly/FindYourCHD](https://bit.ly/FindYourCHD)**

**Vaccines are available at these local locations:**