

# Measles

## Symptoms:

- **fever**  
(temperature of 38°C or above)
- **cough**
- **runny nose**
- **rash**  
(usually appears on head and neck first and spreads to rest of body)



If you think you or your child has measles:

1. Phone your GP
2. Keep your child out of childcare or school
3. Get information by searching 'HSE measles'

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## Keep up to date with free vaccines

**Vaccine 1:** 12 months at GP

**Vaccine 2:** Junior infants (at school) or from GP (Sligo, Leitrim and Donegal)

If your child missed their MMR (measles, mumps and rubella) vaccine, contact your GP and see [immunisation.ie](https://www.immunisation.ie)