

MEASLES



ED TRIAGE MEASLES SCREENING

1. Has your child or an ill caregiver traveled outside of the US in the last month and does the child have any symptoms of illness? *
2. Has your child been exposed to measles?
3. Does your child have a fever and a rash?

* If the answer to **1, 2, or 3** is “yes,” **immediately room in an airborne infection isolation (All) room and implement airborne precautions. Triage and further assessment should occur in the All room.**

* If the answer to **1, 2, and 3** is “no,” **continue to the questions below.**

4. Does your child have at least one documented dose of MMR at least one month ago? †

† Check MIIC

† If the answer to **4** is “yes,” continue with the usual ED triage process. This patient may wait in the lobby.

† If the answer to **4** is “no,” continue with the question below.

5. Does your child have any of the following symptoms: fever; runny nose; congestion; red, watery eyes; cough; or rash? ‡

‡ If the answer to **5** is “no,” continue with the usual ED triage process. This patient may wait in the lobby.

‡ If the answer to **5** is “yes,” immediately room in an airborne infection isolation (All) room and implement airborne precautions. Triage and further assessment should occur in the All room.

NOTE: This form is to be used for the duration of the 2017 Minnesota measles outbreak only. This form will expire 42 days after the last confirmed measles case in Minnesota when the end of the outbreak is declared.

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