



Ebola Awareness Information for Travelers

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WHAT IS EBOLA?

- Ebola is the cause of viral hemorrhagic fever disease.
- It spreads through bodily fluids from a person who is sick with or has died from Ebola, or from exposure to contaminated objects, such as needles.

SYMPTOMS:

- Fever, headache, joint and muscle aches, weakness, diarrhea, vomiting, stomach pain, lack of appetite and abnormal bleeding.
- May appear anywhere from 2 to 21 days after exposure to Ebola virus, though 8–10 days is most common.



Have you been to Sierra Leone, Guinea or Liberia in the past month?

Are you from that area or have you traveled there in the past month?

There is a possibility that you may have been exposed to Ebola.



<p>Yes, I had contact with someone sick with Ebola.</p>	<p>Yes, but I did not have contact with someone sick with Ebola.</p>	<p>No.</p>	<p>No, but I know someone that has been to an affected area.</p>
<p>Stay calm. Get informed.</p>	<p>Stay calm. Get informed. Contact your county health department.</p>	<p>Stay calm. Get informed.</p>	<p>Stay calm. Get informed. Share this information.</p>
<p>“CONTACT” MEANS YOU TOUCHED THESE BODY FLUIDS: Blood Vomit Sweat Diarrhea</p>	<p>YOUR COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT WILL WORK WITH YOU TO monitor for fever for 21 days.</p>	<p>YOU CAN'T GET EBOLA THROUGH: Air Water Food</p>	<p>EBOLA IS NOT SPREAD LIKE A COLD OR FLU. You can live with a roommate or attend class with a student who has been to an affected area without putting yourself at risk.</p>
<p>If this defines you, immediately call your county health department.</p>	<p>If you have a fever, immediately call your health care professional or local emergency room.</p>	<p>You can only get Ebola from contact with bodily fluids from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ A person who is sick with or has died from Ebola. ■ Exposure to contaminated objects such as needles. 	<p>You can only get Ebola from contact with bodily fluids from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ A person who is sick with or has died from Ebola. ■ Exposure to contaminated objects such as needles.

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