

SYMPTOMS TO WATCH OUT FOR

**RUNNY NOSE
DECREASE IN
APPETITE
COUGHING
SNEEZING
WHEEZING
FEVER**

RSV

What to look out
for in your child

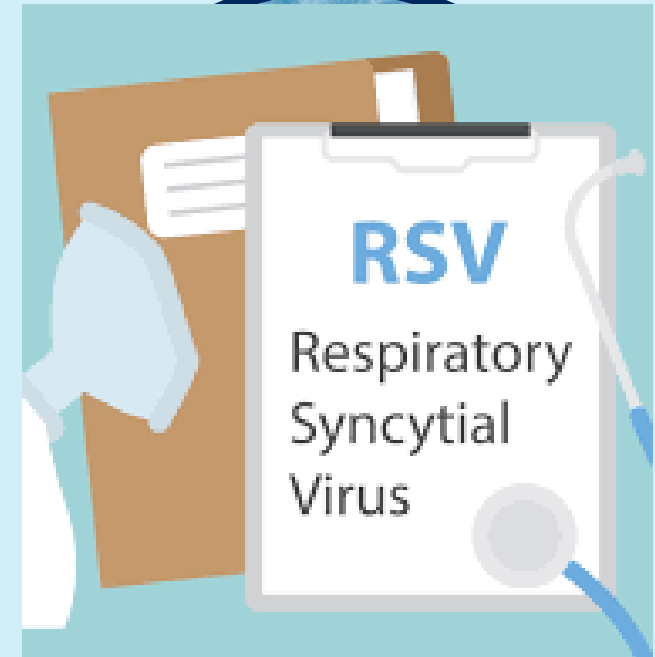


RESOURCES

- <https://www.cdc.gov/rsv/about/symptoms.html>



**CALL YOUR
LOCAL
HEALTHCARE
PROVIDER**



**RSV
RESPIRATORY
SYNCYTIAL
VIRUS**

ABOUT RSV

- COMMON RESPIRATORY VIRUS - USUALLY CAUSES MILD, COLD-LIKE SYMPTOMS
- MOST COMMON CAUSE OF BRONCHIOLITIS & PNEUMONIA IN CHILDREN YOUNGER THAN 1 YEAR IN THE U.S.

Transmission

- AN INFECTED PERSON COUGHS OR SNEEZES
- TOUCHING CONTAMINATED SURFACES
- DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE VIRUS (E.G. KISSING FACE OF CHILD)

PREVENTION

- WASH HANDS
- LIMIT TIME IN CHILDCARE CENTERS
- CLEAN FREQUENTLY TOUCHED SURFACES
- COVER COUGHS & SNEEZES



Treatment

- MANAGE FEVER AND PAIN (TYLENOL OR IBUPROFEN)
- DRINK PLENTY OF FLUIDS
- CONTACT PROVIDER

THOSE AT HIGH-RISK

- PREMATURE INFANTS
- CHILDREN OR ADULTS WITH WEAKENED IMMUNE SYSTEMS
- CHILDREN YOUNGER THAN 3 WITH CHRONIC LUNG DISEASE
- OLDER ADULTS WITH CHRONIC HEART OR LUNG DISEASE
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