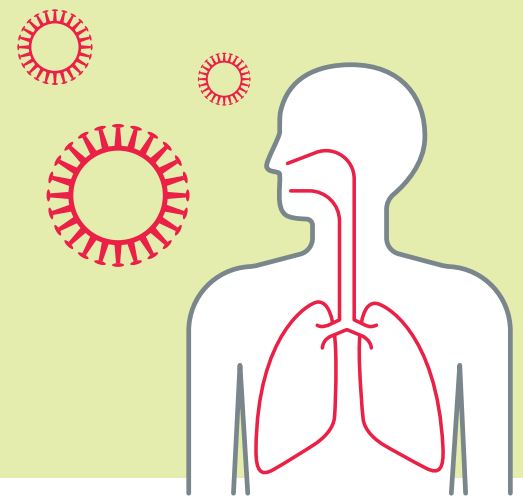


Coronavirus

NEW STRAIN

Coronaviruses (CoV) are a large family of viruses that cause illness ranging from the common cold to more severe diseases such as Middle East Respiratory Syndrome (MERS-CoV) and Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS-CoV).

The **COVID-19** is a new strain that has not been previously identified in humans.



TWO PREVIOUS EPIDEMICS

Two previously deadly coronavirus strains:

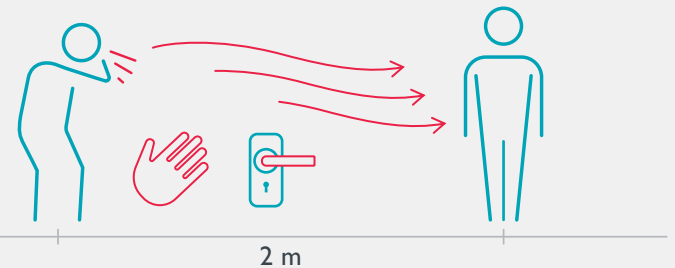
- 1 **Middle East Respiratory Syndrome** (MERS-CoV)
- 2 **Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome** (SARS-CoV)

SYMPTOMS

- Respiratory symptoms
 - Fever
 - Cough
 - Shortness of breath
 - Breathing difficulties
- SEVERE CASES**
- Pneumonia
 - Severe acute respiratory syndrome
 - Kidney failure
 - Death

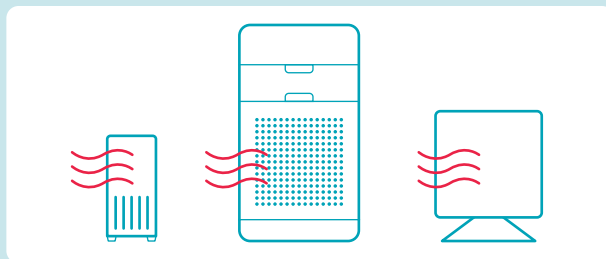
TRANSMISSION

Spread from person-to-person via respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes.



PREVENTION

There are currently no medications or vaccines for the virus. Prevention methods should be followed to stop the spread of infection.



Enhance standard infection prevention and control practices with **24/7 air dis-infection**



Cover mouth & nose when coughing or sneezing



Avoid close contact with those who are unwell



Appropriate use of medical masks



Wash hands regularly