



## High At Risk Population

Those at high risk include people of all ages with underlying medical conditions, particularly if not well controlled, including:

- People with chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma
- People who have serious heart conditions
- People who are immunocompromised -Many conditions can cause a person to be immunocompromised, including cancer treatment, smoking, bone marrow or organ transplantation, immune deficiencies, poorly controlled HIV or AIDS, and prolonged use of corticosteroids and other immune weakening medications
- People with severe obesity (body mass index [BMI] of 40 or higher)
- People with diabetes
- People with chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis
- People with liver disease

Medical professionals including the CDC are closely monitoring a pediatric condition now termed as Pediatric Multi-system Inflammatory Syndrome (MIS-C), a rare disease affecting children that is potentially related to COVID-19. On Thursday, May 14, 2020, CDC released an advisory entitled, Multisystem Inflammatory Syndrome in Children (MIS-C) Associated with Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) to the medical community.

### LINK

[https://emergency.cdc.gov/han/2020/han00432.asp?delivery-Name=USCDC\\_511-DM28431](https://emergency.cdc.gov/han/2020/han00432.asp?delivery-Name=USCDC_511-DM28431)