

# PROTECTING YOURSELF FROM MPOX IN 2024

## WHAT IS MPOX?

Mpox (formerly monkeypox) is a viral infection that is transmitted through close personal contact, including kissing, sex, and other skin-to-skin contact.

## WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS?

KEY SYMPTOMS



### RASH, BUMPS, OR BLISTERS

These may appear anywhere on the body, including the genitals. This may look similar to syphilis, herpes, or other common skin rashes

OTHER SYMPTOMS



FEVER & HEADACHES



MUSCLE ACHES



SWOLLEN LYMPH NODES

Symptom onset ranges from 3-21 days

## MPOX NEVER WENT AWAY



LOS ANGELES CASES INCREASED IN 2024  
COMPARED TO 2023

Dates compared: 1/1/23-5/1/23 and 1/1/24-5/1/24

## WHAT YOU CAN DO



STAY INFORMED



GET VAXXED



PLAN YOUR PLEASURE

Visit the [STICKITIN.LA](https://stickitin.la) for up-to-date info.  
The situation may change over the course of Pride season!



<1%

## THE MPOX VACCINE WORKS

Less than 1% of mpox cases occurred after 2 doses of the mpox vaccine. And of those receiving at least 1 dose, only 1% were hospitalized during their illness.

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