

PROTECTING YOURSELF FROM MPOX IN 2024

WHAT IS MPOX?

Mpox (formerly known as 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



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WHAT YOU CAN DO



**STAY
INFORMED**



**GET
VAXXED**



**PLAN YOUR
PLEASURE**

Visit the **STICKITIN.LA** for up-to-date info.
The situation may change over the course of Pride season!



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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