

Multi-System Inflammatory Syndrome In Children

CASE DEFINITION

- ◆ An individual aged <21 years presenting with
 - ⇒ Fever ($>38.0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for ≥ 24 hours or report of subjective fever lasting ≥ 24 hours)
 - ⇒ Laboratory evidence of inflammation AND
 - ⇒ Evidence of clinically severe illness requiring hospitalization, WITH multisystem (≥ 2) organ involvement AND
- ◆ No alternative plausible diagnosis AND
- ◆ Positive for current or recent SARS-CoV-2 infection (by RT-PCR, serology or antigen test) OR
- ◆ COVID-19 exposure within the 4 weeks prior to the onset of symptoms

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IF YOU ARE UNSURE, REPORT:

- ◆ Any patient who
 - ⇒ Is <21 years of age, AND
 - ⇒ Required hospitalization AND
 - ⇒ Tests positive for SARS-CoV-2 OR
with history of exposure to SARS-CoV-2 in preceding 4 weeks
- ◆ Any pediatric death with evidence of SARS-CoV-2 infection

REPORTING A SUSPECTED CASE OF MIS-C

COVID-19 HOTLINE

505-827-0006 or 1-855-600-3453

Key Points:

1. Recognize MIS-C.
2. Provide timely clinical care to your patient with MIS-C.
3. Report suspected cases to the New Mexico Department of Health.