

EMS in an Epidemic

Pima County, AZ
February, 2008



Measles

- Viral Illness respiratory transmission
- 90% of close contacts infected
- Incubation period 4-12 days
- Contagious: 1st sxs to 5 days after rash
- Case Fatality Rate: 0.3%
- Serious complications
 - pneumonia, encephalitis

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- Cough, runny nose, red eyes, rash







