

When someone close to you has

Acute post-streptococcal glomerulonephritis (APSGN)

What is APSGN and how is it caused?



Streptococci (chain)

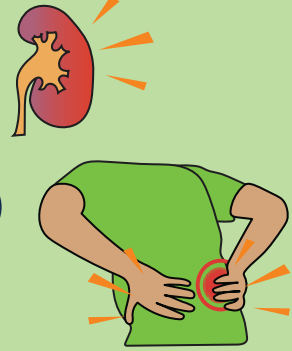
Bacteria
(Group A Strep)



Skin sores
(School sores)



Sore throat

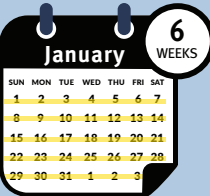


Causes sick kidneys



If APSGN is not treated it can cause kidney sickness and you or your family might end up in hospital.

Watch yourself for symptoms of APSGN



Watch for symptoms for 6 weeks



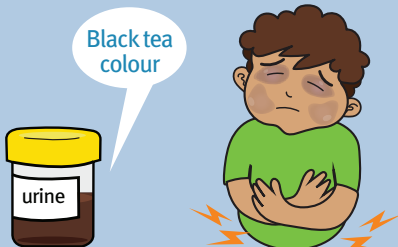
HEALTHY SICK
Puffy eyes, swollen face or swollen feet



Headache



Fever



Black tea colour
Dark coloured urine, tummy pain or swelling



SEE YOUR CLINIC OR DOCTOR
if you think you or your family have APSGN

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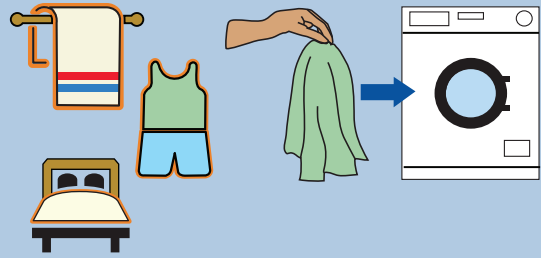
To find out more, visit www.qld.gov.au/health/condition/infections-and-parasites/bacterial-infections



What can I do to stop APSGN?

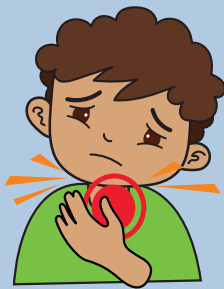


Wash hands and bodies regularly



Keep clothes and bedding clean

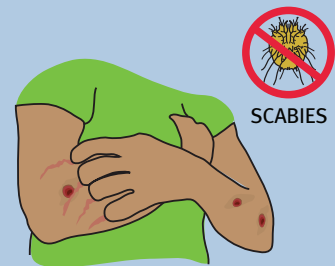
Do you have any of these?



Sore throat



Skin sores



Itchy skin



Go and see your clinic or doctor

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