LION SAFETY ALERT BULLETIN  18-02

The New Jersey Dept. of Health is warning residents about 4 cases of measles that have been confirmed in Ocean County. Dates of exposure are listed below. Anyone who visited the following locations may have been exposed to measles:

- Schul Satmar  405 Forest Ave. Lakewood, NJ 08701  
  Oct. 13-21  1 pm-4 pm daily
- Eat a Pita  116 Clifton Ave. Lakewood, NJ 08701  
  Oct. 15  7 pm-10 pm
- Chemed Health Center  1771 Madison Ave. Lakewood, NJ 08701  
  Oct. 17  3 pm - 6 pm  
  Oct. 18  10:45 am-1:30 pm
- NPGS  231 Main St. Lakewood, NJ 08701  
  Oct. 25  9 am- 12 pm  
  Oct. 29  2:15 pm -4:45 pm
- Pizza Plus  241 4TH St. Lakewood, NJ 08701  
  Oct. 28  12:30 pm – 3:30 pm
- Chemed Health Center  1771 Madison Ave. Lakewood, NJ 08701  
  Oct. 31  8:45 am – 1 pm.

Measles is a highly contagious disease. The Health Dept. recommends that anyone who visited any of the above locations during the specified date/time should contact a health care provider immediately to discuss potential exposure and risk of developing the illness. If you have not been vaccinated or have not had the measles, you are at risk if exposed.

Measles symptoms include rash, high fever, cough, runny nose and red, watery eyes. Serious complications from measles can include pneumonia and encephalitis (swelling of the brain). In pregnant women, measles can lead to miscarriage, premature birth or low-birth weight baby. Measles are spread from coughing, sneezing or any contact with mucus or saliva from an infected individual.

For further information on measles contact your health care provider or go to:  
www.ochd.org  
https://www.nj.gov/health/news