

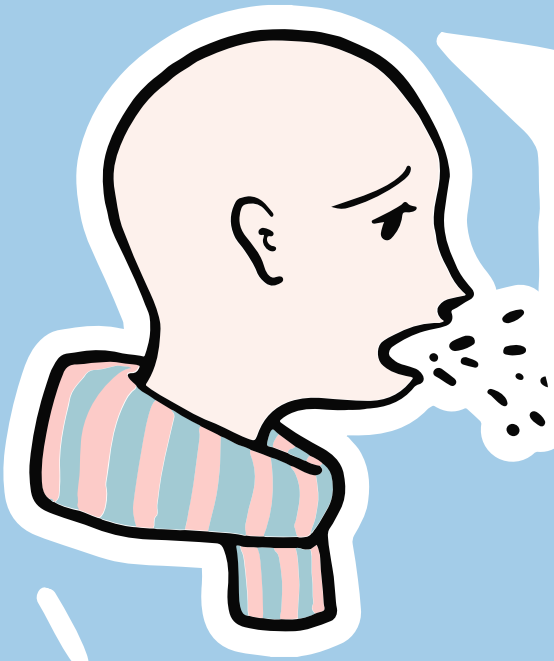
## RESPIRATORY DISEASE



### HEALTH ADVISORY

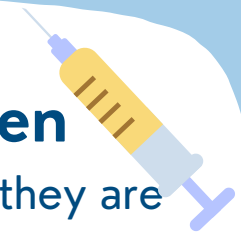
#### Washington State is experiencing..

an overwhelming number of children and babies being hospitalized for respiratory diseases. The CDC has issued a Health Advisory for the state as the rise in the Flu, Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV), and COVID pushes the limits of pediatric hospitals



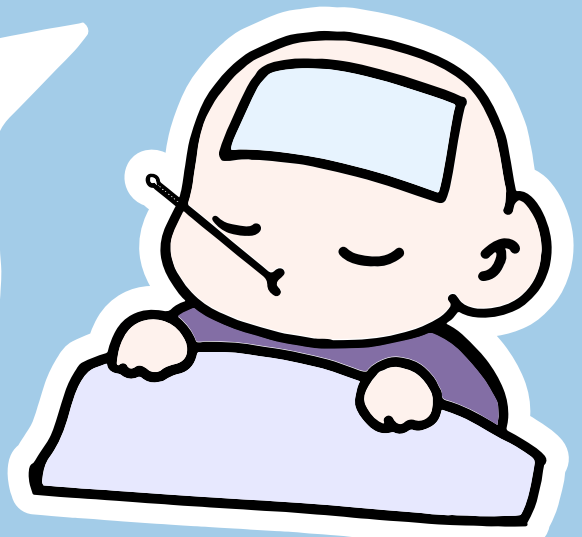
#### Protect Children

by making sure that they are up to date on flu shots and COVID boosters. Vaccinations reduce the severity of an infection if a child is exposed.



#### Remember the lessons...

learned in the first COVID surges. Wear masks in crowded spaces. Wash hands frequently, and use hand sanitizer to reduce the risks of infection



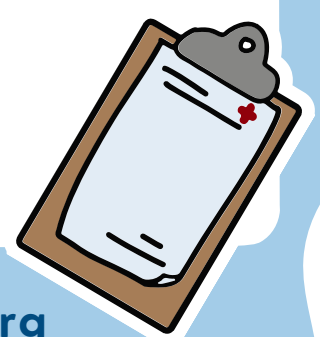
### WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

If your infant or child is sick, here are some online resources to help:

Seattle Children's Bronchiolitis Care Packet at [seattlechildrens.org](http://seattlechildrens.org), and get information at [kidshealth.org](http://kidshealth.org)



If your child is on Apple Health, here are the nurse support line numbers:  
Amerigroup (AMS) 1-866-864-2544  
Community Health Plan (CHPW) 1-866-418-2920  
Coordinated Care (CCW) 1-877-644-4613  
Molina Health Care (MHC) 1-888-275-8750  
United Health Care (UHC) 1-877-543-3409



For more information visit [wapave.org](http://wapave.org)