How to Recognize

Multisystem Inflammatory Syndrome in Children (MIS-C)

A Delayed Immune Response Related to COVID-19

Children, adolescents, or young adults who develop certain symptoms after having COVID-19 might have MIS-C. They should see a doctor if they had COVID-19, or have been in close contact with someone who had COVID-19, within the past 6 weeks and now have the following:

Ongoing Fever



PLUS more than one of the following:



Stomach Pain



Diarrhea



Vomiting



Skin Rash



Blood Shot Eyes



Dizziness or Lightheadedness

Go to the nearest hospital Emergency Room if your child is showing any severe MIS-C warning signs such as:

Trouble breathing | Pain or pressure in the chest that does not go away

Confusion or unusual behavior | Severe abdominal pain | Inability to wake or stay awake

Pale, gray, or blue-colored skin, lips, or nail beds; depending on skin tone



