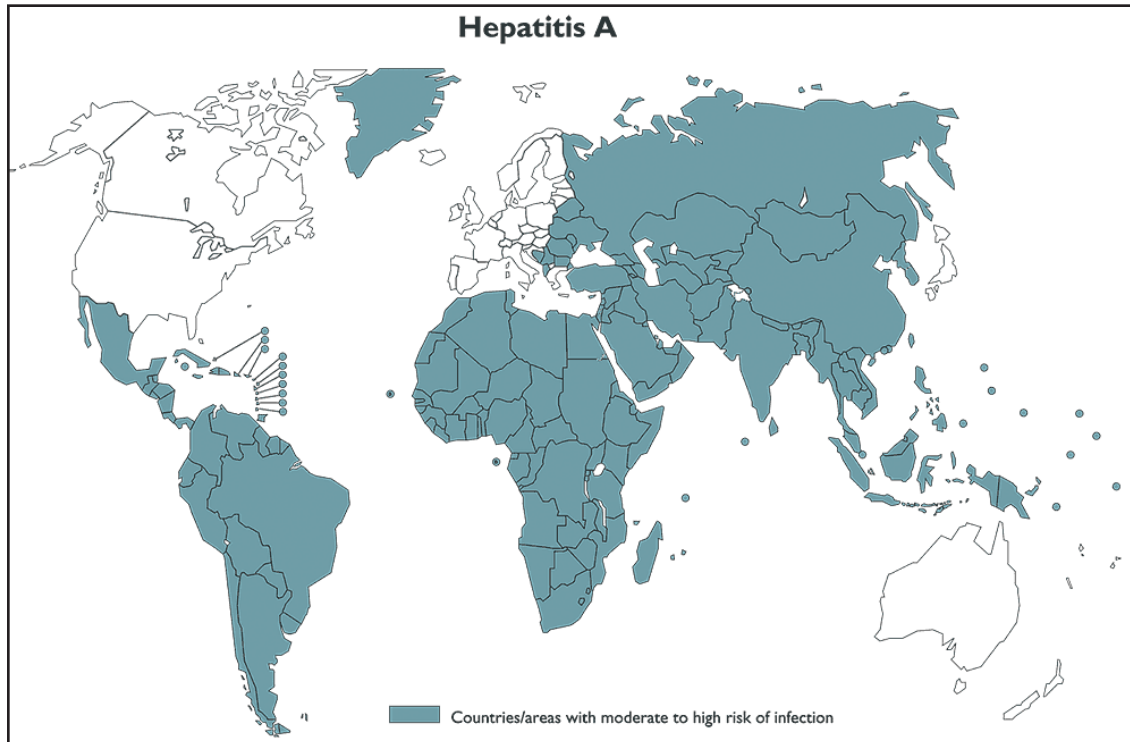


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Risk Factors

Travel to an endemic area (see map below)



Incubation Period

Between 15 - 50 days

Infectious Period

Between 7 - 10 days prior to the onset of symptoms to 10 days after the onset of symptoms

Protection

Two doses of Hepatitis A vaccine

Risk Occupations for Spread

Food service, any handling of food items, child care, and health or dental care. If you are in these occupational or volunteer groups, contact the Boulder Health Department (303-413-7500) regarding possibility of disease and risk for spreading.

For More Information

Boulder County Health Department Fact Sheet: <http://www.bouldercounty.org/health/hpe/pdfs/hepa.pdf>

Centers for Disease Control: <http://www.cdc.gov/hepatitis/HepatitisA.htm>

Wardenburg Health Center: 303.492.5101 or www.colorado.edu/healthcenter