# **Dengue Virus**

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#### Cause

### **Spread**

Dengue is a **viral disease** caused by any of the four related viruses: dengue virus 1, 2, 3, and 4.



Dengue 1



Dengue 2



Dengue 3



Dengue 4

Dengue viruses are mainly spread to people by the **bite of an infected** *Aedes* mosquito.



#### **Symptoms**

## **Warning Signs**

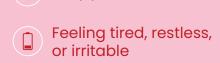
The most common dengue symptom is **fever** with...



Symptoms typically last 2–7 days.

Dengue can become severe within a few hours. Watch for warning signs 1–2 days after fever has gone away.





Belly pain, tenderness

