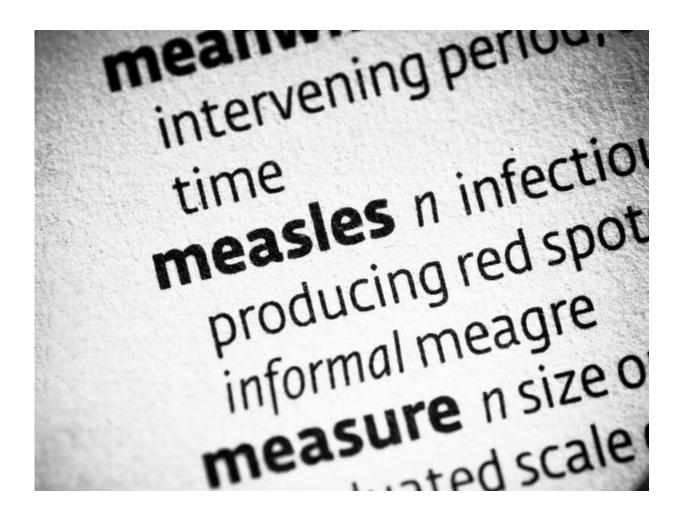


Tourist with measles visited Southern California attractions

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People who were at Disneyland and other Southern California tourist



attractions earlier this month may have been exposed to measles by a tourist from New Zealand, say health officials from Los Angeles and Orange counties.

The officials said the teen girl had measles when she arrived at Los Angeles International Airport on Aug. 11 and booked into the Desert Palms Hotel in Anaheim, the *Associated Press* reported.

After going to Disneyland and Disney California Adventure Park on Aug. 12, it is believed she went to Universal Studios, the TCL Chinese Theatre, and Madame Tussauds in Hollywood and the Santa Monica beach and pier on Aug. 14 and 15.

The teen has since returned to New Zealand, according to officials. No cases of measles have been linked to the girl yet, but the California Department of Public Health is continuing to investigate, the *AP* reported. However, it can take up to 21 days after exposure for measles symptoms such as fever and rash to appear, local health authorities noted.

More information: <u>AP News Article</u>

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