

Pertussis

Also known as whooping cough

Early Symptoms



- Runny nose
- Low-grade fever (above 99 degrees)
- Mild cough

Later Symptoms

- Coughing fits, followed by “whoop” sound
- Vomiting due to coughing
- Exhaustion after coughing

Prevent Pertussis



- Vaccination
- Early Detection from a medical provider
- Wash hands
- Antibiotics after significant exposure

Pertussis affects all people



Flathead County is seeing an increased amount of persons coming into contact with Whooping Cough.

