

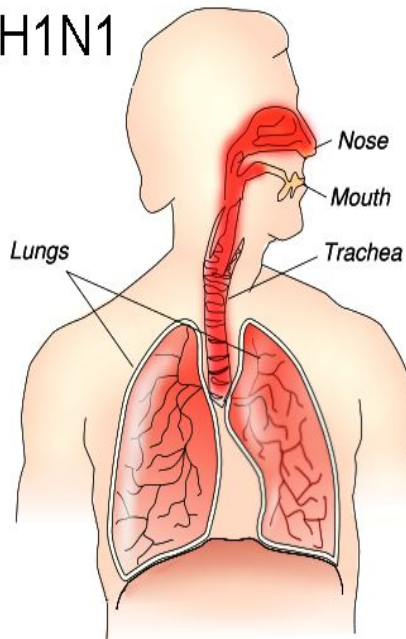


Infectious Diseases

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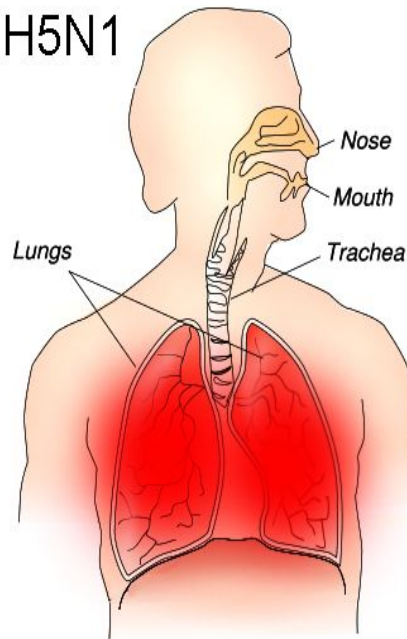
Avian Influenza A

H1N1

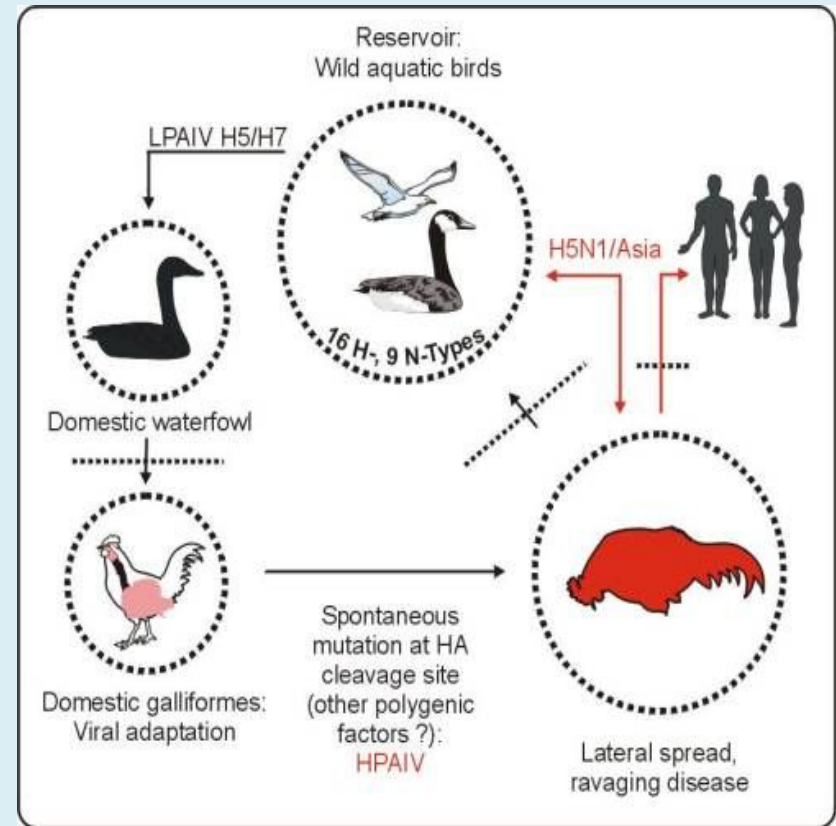


Easily spread
Rarely fatal

H5N1



Spreads slowly
Often fatal



Symptoms: There is a range of symptoms of avian influenza in humans. These can include flu-like symptoms (fever, cough, sore throat, and muscle aches), severe respiratory distress (pneumonia or difficulty breathing), and eye infections.

Hepatitis

The term is derived from the Greek *hêpar* (ἥπαρ), meaning "liver", and the suffix *-itis* (-ῖτις), meaning "inflammation"

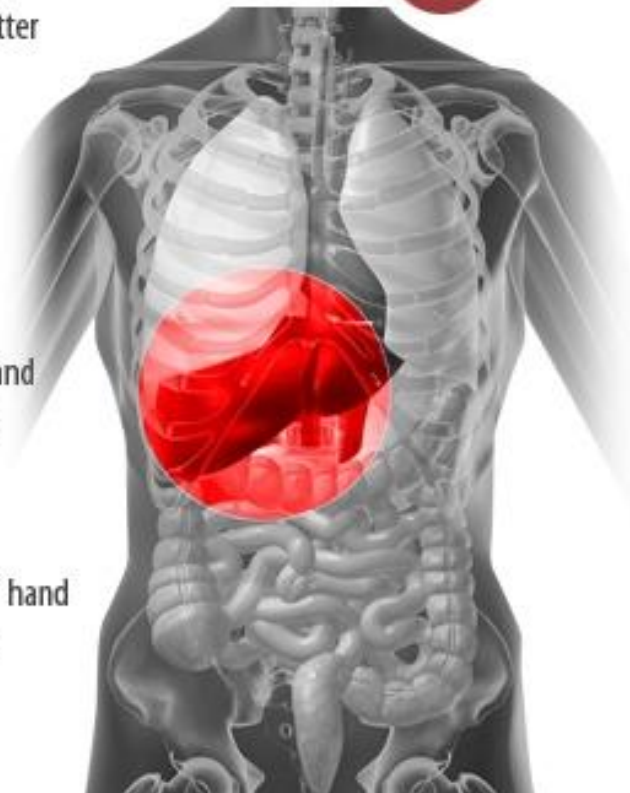
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In the US and other industrialized countries, hepatitis is most often caused by viral infection. More than five types of hepatitis virus have now been identified.

The most common is hepatitis A virus (HAV), which is spread by fecal-oral contamination.

Hepatitis B virus (HBV) may be transmitted sexually, by sharing needles used for injection, and by close interpersonal contact.

Hepatitis C is spread through blood and blood products or by close contact with an infected person.

The name hepatitis simply means «inflammation of the liver», but this disease also causes necrosis (death) of liver cells.

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