



Could your child have Kawasaki Disease?

If your child has

- a fever that lasts 5 days or more
- redness of the eyes
- redness of the mouth, lips, tongue and throat
- swollen, red hands and feet
- a rash on the body
- swollen glands in the neck
- extreme irritability

Your child could have Kawasaki Disease.

At first, Kawasaki Disease may look like other childhood infections. But it is very different. Kawasaki Disease can cause severe heart problems. These heart problems can be stopped if your child gets an easy and effective treatment during the first ten days of the illness.

So remember, if the fever goes on
for 5 days or more,
take your child to
a doctor or clinic.

Ask if this illness could be Kawasaki Disease.



For more information,
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