

# HOW IS HEPATITIS B PASSED FROM PERSON TO PERSON?

Did you know?

Anyone can get hepatitis B. It is not a punishment for doing something bad. Learning if you are living with hepatitis B is important. Know the facts, get tested, and get vaccinated to protect yourself and your loved ones from hepatitis B!

Hepatitis B is passed through:



CHILDBIRTH



BLOOD CONTACT



UNPROTECTED SEX



SHARING



UNCLEAN NEEDLES &  
HEALTHCARE SUPPLIES



UNCLEAN TATTOO &  
PIERCING EQUIPMENT



UNCLEAN RAZORS &  
HAIRCLIPPERS

Hepatitis B cannot be passed through:



SHARING A MEAL



SHARING WATER (CUP OR TOILET)



COUGHING OR SNEEZING



BREASTFEEDING



HOLDING HANDS



HUGGING OR KISSING

Hepatitis B is one of the most common infections and there are 300 million people living with hepatitis B in the world today.