



# What Travelers Need to Know About **ZIKA**

## **RETURNING FROM A PLACE WITH ZIKA?**

## **YOU MAY HAVE ZIKA VIRUS AND NOT KNOW IT.**

Talk to your doctor if:

- You are pregnant, or planning to become pregnant
- Have a pregnant partner
- Have symptoms of Zika (fever, rash, joint pain, red eyes)

Zika virus is spread primarily through the bite of an infected mosquito.

Zika can also be spread by a man to his sex partners.

Zika infection during pregnancy can cause birth defects in babies.

**For information about areas with Zika:  
[www.health.ri.gov/zika](http://www.health.ri.gov/zika)**

