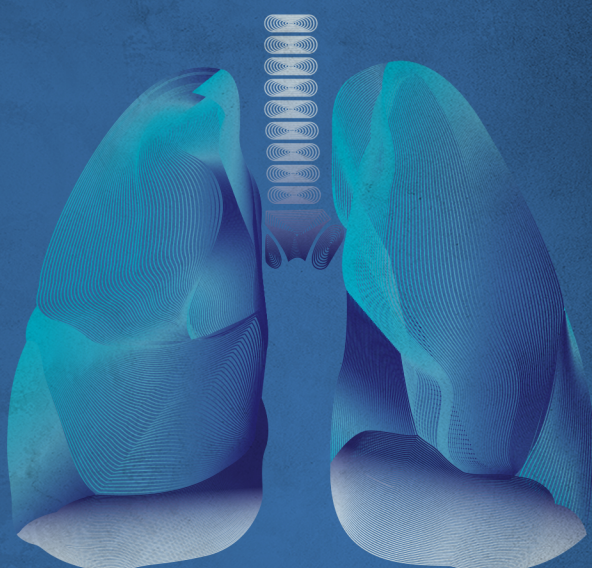


WHEN BRONCHITIS BECOMES AN EMERGENCY



Can you care for your bronchitis at home or do you need to seek medical attention? Here are the signs that your symptoms are too serious to leave to chance:



EXTREME BODY TEMPERATURE

If your body temperature has dropped below 95 degrees Fahrenheit or jumped above 104 degrees, you'll need to seek prompt medical care. Your bronchitis may have become a dangerous infection.



BLOODY MUCUS

Coughing up blood is a sign that your bronchitis is severe and requires immediate attention.²



RACING HEART RATE

A resting breathing rate exceeding 30 breaths per minute or a resting heart rate above 125 beats per minute (BPM) can lead to shortness of breath, discoloration of your nails or lips and fatigue.¹



SYMPTOMS LASTING LONGER THAN 3 WEEKS

A cough, body aches, fatigue and chest discomfort are typical symptoms of bronchitis. If they last more than three weeks, you should see your doctor to rule out the possibility of infection.

DON'T TREAT YOUR SERIOUS BRONCHITIS CASE ALONE!

VISIT THE COMPLETE CARE LOCATION NEAR YOU FOR 24/7 MEDICAL SERVICES.



¹ <https://www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/bronchitis/symptoms-causes/syc-20355566>

² <https://www.cdc.gov/antibiotic-use/community/for-patients/common-illnesses/bronchitis.html>