

SHOCK REPORT: Dangerous Chagas Disease – Imported from Latin America – Widespread in Southern US

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Thanks to Obama's open border policies there are now hundreds of thousands of cases of Chagas Disease in the United States today.

This tropical disease is extremely dangerous!

Síntomas de enfermedad aguda

- Dolor de cabeza
- Inicio súbito de fiebre alta, superior a 39 grados
- Conjuntivitis
- Rash (alteración de la piel)
- Vómito
- Náuseas
- Dolor difuso de espalda
- Dolores musculares
- Dolor articular severo

Cifras

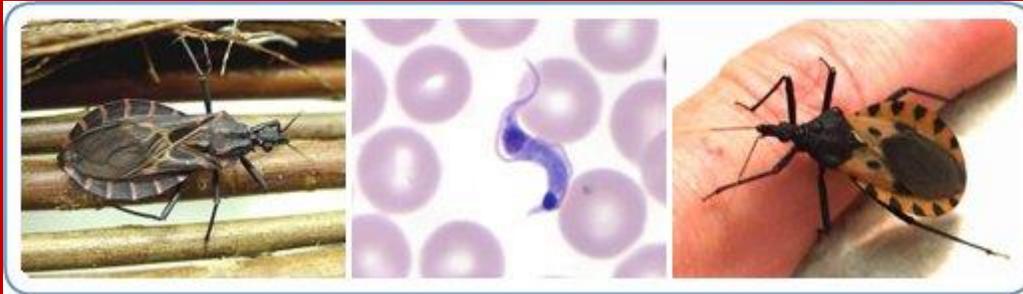
- 4 por ciento es su tasa de mortalidad.
- 3-7 días es el periodo de incubación del virus tras la picadura del mosquito.
- 3-10 días, dura la enfermedad aguda.
- 3-28 por ciento de personas con anticuerpos para el virus tienen infecciones asintomáticas.
- 2-5 días después de la fiebre, aparece el rash en alrededor de la mitad de los pacientes.
- 790 casos, aproximadamente, se han presentado a la fecha en islas de las Antillas Menores.

Virus Chikungunya

- La Organización Panamericana de la Salud (OPS) ha advertido sobre la propagación por las islas del Caribe del virus Chikungunya, que causa la enfermedad del mismo nombre, que es transmitido por los mosquitos *Aedes aegypti* y *Aedes albopictus* (tigre asiático). Esta es una enfermedad con un baja tasa de mortalidad, pero con afectaciones físicas fuertes a las personas que la padecen.

Fuente: OMS, OPS

Chagas disease, also known as American trypanosomiasis, is a potentially life-threatening illness caused by the protozoan parasite *Trypanosoma cruzi* (T. cruzi). It is found mainly in endemic areas of 21 Latin American countries. The disease is transmitted to humans by contact with feces of triatomine bugs, known as 'kissing bugs.'



Chagas Disease is spread by the Kissing Bug in Latin American countries. Chagas often leads to a fatal condition known as Chagasic cardiomyopathy.

The National School for Tropical Medicine at Baylor College of Medicine released a list of facts on Chagas Disease.

According to this prestigious school of medicine there are an estimated 300,000 cases of Chagas disease in the United States today with a high level of cases in Texas. The disease was mostly imported from Latin America.

Via VDare:

Chagas disease, also known as American trypanosomiasis, is a serious infection caused by a parasitic microorganism, *Trypanosoma cruzi*, and is transmitted by kissing bugs.

Chagas disease is a leading cause of heart disease resulting in a debilitating and often fatal condition known as Chagasic cardiomyopathy. One in six people with Chagasic cardiomyopathy will die within five years.

An estimated 9 million people are infected in the Western Hemisphere, mostly in impoverished areas. According to the World Health Organization, the largest number of people living with Chagas disease are in poor areas of Argentina, Brazil and Mexico, while Bolivia has the highest prevalence (percentage of people infected).

The infection can be passed from mother to baby. There are an estimated 40,000 pregnant women in North America alone who have Chagas, and they will transmit the infection to their babies around 5 percent of the time.

The CDC estimates that 300,000 cases occur in the United States, mostly imported from Latin America.

Scientists at the National School of Tropical Medicine at Baylor, including Drs. Kristy Murray and Melissa Nolan Garcia, have uncovered a previously unrecognized level of transmission in the state of Texas.

Chagas disease

Bites from an insect found in Latin America can introduce *Trypanosoma cruzi* parasites into the human blood stream, which can cause Chagas disease. In the U.S. it can be spread by blood transfusions and organ transplants.

Triatomine insect

The insect can pass Trypomastigote parasites to human hosts when it bites.



Insect shown to scale, about 3/4 inch long

T. cruzi parasite

The one-celled parasite feeds on heart and gastrointestinal tissues.

A million *T. cruzi* could fit inside a single photo pixel.



Sources: National Institutes of Health, University of Texas at Arlington

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