Protect Your Family from hepatitis B

Hepatitis B is an infection of the liver caused by the hepatitis B virus.

It can be a serious disease that you will likely have for the rest of your life.

If you have hepatitis B, you can take control of your health and protect your family by seeing a doctor and following your treatment plan.

There are medications available for hepatitis B, but not everyone needs them.

It is important to see a doctor to find out if treatment is right for you.

There is no cure for hepatitis B, but treatments can:

- slow the damage to your liver
- make it less likely you will get liver cancer
- help you live longer.

The treatments are safe and do not cause many side effects.

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Keeping your medical visits are important,
even when you feel healthy.

Your doctor can advise you about ways you can improve your health and protect your family if you have hepatitis B.

Protect your family with hepatitis B vaccines.

Because hepatitis B might not make you feel ill, you could give it to your loved ones without knowing.

The best way to keep loved ones safe from hepatitis B is to make sure they get hepatitis B vaccines.

Tell your doctor if you use:

- prescriptions
- herbal remedies
- traditional medicines
- vitamins
- alcohol
- tobacco

They could affect your hepatitis B medications or even damage your liver.

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