

Appendix

Incubation period (period from infection to appearance of illness) of measles ranges from seven days to up to 21 days. The general public who has visited the public places during the period listed below should observe if they develop relevant symptoms, such as fever, skin rash, cough, runny nose and red eyes in seven to 21 days (medical surveillance period). If symptoms arise, they should wear surgical masks, stop going to work or school and avoid going to crowded places. They should also avoid contact with non-immune persons, especially persons with weakened immunity, pregnant women and children aged below one. Those suspected to have infected are advised to seek medical attention as early as possible. If they need to visit any health care facilities during the period of medical surveillance, they should also report whether they have symptoms and prior measles exposure history to the healthcare workers so that appropriate infection control measures can be implemented at the concerned healthcare facilities to prevent any potential spread.

List of public places the measles patient visited during the period of communicability:

	Date	Time	Place	End of medical surveillance for contacts
Male / aged 35	July 5	22:15 – 23:25	Hong Kong Baptist Hospital	July 26
	July 7	12:05 – 13:45	Hong Kong Baptist Hospital	July 28
	July 8	13:00 – 13:15	Dr Joseph Tsang Medical Clinic Room 927, 9/F, Grand Plaza Office Tower One, 639 Nathan Road, Mong Kok	July 29