

352a Infectious Diseases-Acute

Kansas Risk Factor Summary

Risk Factor Code	Kansas Risk Factor Title	High Risk	Auto-Assigned	Based on MD Diagnosis	Category and Priority					USDA Revised Date
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352a	Infectious Diseases-Acute	X		X	1	1	3	1	3	06/16

Kansas Risk Factor Definition

A disease which is characterized by a single or repeated episode of relatively rapid onset and short duration. Infectious diseases come from bacteria, viruses, parasites, or fungi and spread directly or indirectly from person to person. Infectious diseases may also be zoonotic, which are transmitted from animals to humans, or vector-borne, which are transmitted from mosquitoes, ticks, and fleas to humans. These diseases and/or conditions include but are not limited to the following table. An extensive listing of infectious diseases can be found at <https://medlineplus.gov/infections.html>.

Common Acute Infectious Diseases	
Hepatitis A	Listeriosis
Hepatitis E	Pneumonia
Meningitis (Bacterial/Viral)	Bronchitis (3 episodes in last 6 months)
Parasitic Infections	

The infectious disease must be present within the past six months and diagnosed by a physician as self-reported by the client/caregiver; or as reported or documented by a physician or someone working under a physician’s orders.

USDA Justification

Note: USDA Justification is provided because it explains nicely why the risk is important. However, you must use the Kansas risk factor names and definitions which may differ slightly from the USDA document.