

Zika virus prevention



The current Zika virus outbreak is expanding, and Kaiser Permanente is monitoring it closely. As always, your health and well-being are our top priorities.

In an effort to prevent the spread of Zika virus, Kaiser Permanente of the Mid-Atlantic States will be stocking insect repellent at all Kaiser Permanente pharmacies. A prescription will NOT be required to receive the insect repellent. Virginia Medicaid members can get **one can per fill and one refill per calendar month, at no cost**, by visiting a Kaiser Permanente pharmacy and showing a Virginia Medicaid ID card.

In addition to this effort, as a courtesy, small 2 oz. bottles of insect repellent lotion will be stocked and given, free of charge, to all pregnant women seen in Kaiser Permanente OB/GYN clinics.

Member education regarding the Zika virus and prevention will be provided to all pregnant members, as well as those members who are trying to conceive and their partners.