

FOOD ALLERGIES IN THE U.S.

15 MILLION

Americans have food allergy,
a serious medical condition.



People can be allergic to any food, but there are

8 FOODS THAT CAUSE THE MOST REACTIONS.



Milk



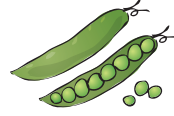
Eggs



Peanut



Tree Nuts



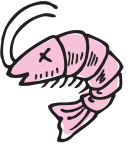
Soy



Wheat



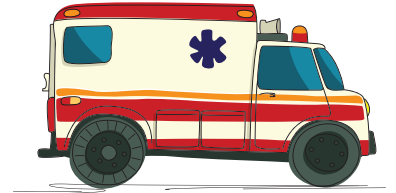
Fish



Shellfish

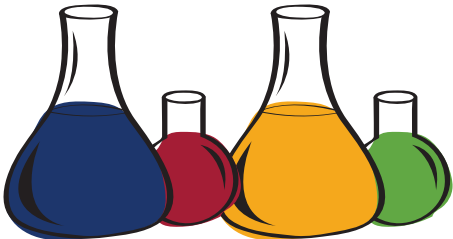
Reactions can range from a mild response to **anaphylaxis**, a severe and potentially deadly reaction.

Every 3 minutes a food allergy reaction sends someone to the **ER**.



It now affects
1 IN 13
children

The number of people who have the disease is growing, increasing **50% among children** between **1997 and 2011**.



There is **no cure for food allergy**, but scientists are working to find treatments to prevent life-threatening reactions.



You can help make the world a safer place for those with food allergies.



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