

# Signs and symptoms

Anaphylaxis should always be treated as a medical emergency requiring immediate treatment.

Delayed administration of adrenaline can be life threatening.

One or more of these symptoms is a sign of anaphylaxis:

- difficult/noisy breathing
- swelling of tongue
- swelling/tightness in throat
- difficulty talking and/or hoarse voice
- wheeze or persistent cough
- loss of consciousness
- collapse
- pale and floppy (young children).

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