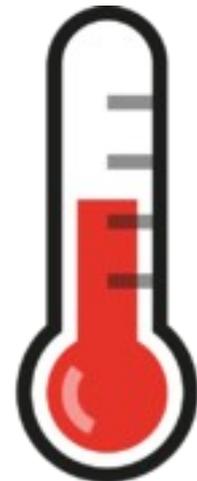
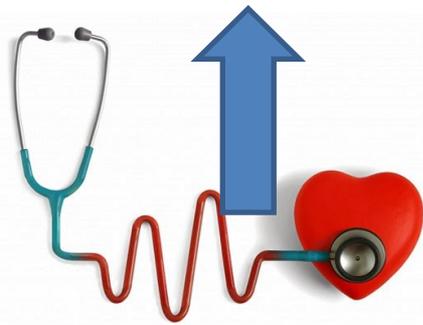


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- Often, the first signs are rapid breathing, a fast heart rate, and muscle rigidity, especially in the jaw. Temperature usually becomes extremely high (**usually over 104° [40° C] and sometimes higher than 109° F [43° C]**). Abnormal heart rhythms, nausea, and vomiting may occur.

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- **Immediate treatment of malignant hyperthermia includes:**

1. Medication. A drug called dantrolene (Dantrium, Ryanodex, Revonto) is used to treat the reaction by stopping the release of calcium into the muscle. ...
  2. Oxygen. You may have oxygen through a face mask. ...
  3. Body cooling. ...
  4. Extra fluids. ...
  5. Supportive care.
- DRUG OF CHOICE: **dantrolene**