8 Most Common Food Allergens

- Milk
- Eggs
- Peanuts
- Tree Nuts
- Soy
- Wheat
- Fish
- Shellfish

Note: Any food can cause a reaction

Know the Difference

**Food Intolerance**
when the body has difficulty digesting a certain food—
the immune system is not affected

**Food Allergy**
an immune system response to a certain food

**Anaphylaxis**
a sudden, severe allergic reaction that can cause
difficulty breathing, tongue and throat swelling—
even DEATH

What Does an Allergic Reaction Look Like?

- Hives
- Puffy face, lips, or tongue
- Itchy red skin
- Hard to breathe
- Tight throat
- Hard to swallow
- Tummy ache
- Diarrhea
- Vomiting (Throwing-up)
- Weakness (drop in blood pressure)

In case of an Allergic Reaction
Give Epinephrine then Call 911

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