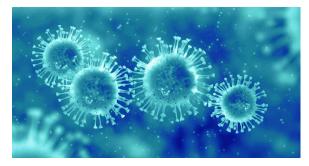
The Coronavirus

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Do we know when the next outbreak will be?

Centuries ago there was a pandemic called the Black Plague. The Black Plague killed millions of people. Now there is a virus that spread across China. This is the coronavirus, and it is not only in humans but also in animals. Will we stop this virus?

The lethal illness originated from China's seafood market selling infected fish. The coronavirus has now reached the United States and has infected a few people according to (**nbcnews.com**). Not only that, but the virus has also been found in Britain and Russia. According to some sources, it has killed over 200 people (**theGurardian.com**). In China alone there have been many deaths and even more cases of infection. The main symptom is pneumonia. Pneumonia causes breathing difficulties by filling air sacs with fluids. Some other symptoms are: fever, chills, headache, and etc. The first case of the coronavirus was in February, 2003.

The coronavirus is spreading, infecting new people, and many people think it might be the next pandemic. This virus is contagious and has killed many humans but many have been cured. We don't know what will happen next. We can just hope for the best outcome. The virus might worsen. Let this be a warning to protect our bodies.