WHAT IS A STROKE?



that occurs when your brain is not getting enough blood flow. It could be because of either of the reasons:

LIFE-THREATENING CONDITION

A blood vessel in the brain ruptures resulting in bleeding (HEMORRHAGIC STROKE)²

Blockage in the blood supply to the brain (ISCHEMIC STROKE)²

Brain cells start to die within minutes due to lack of oxygen²

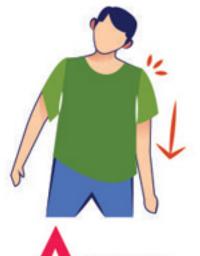


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LISTEN TO YOUR HEART

Be aware of the signs of stroke & recognize it as early as possible!

Droop on one side, especially while smiling due to muscle weakness or paralysis



When raising arms, one muscle weakness

Remember to think FAST!



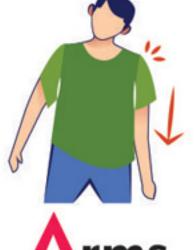
Slurred or garbled speech and unable to talk properly1



Time is critical, don't wait to get help. Note the time to tell the doctor when the symptoms started

Some other symptoms:

- CONFUSION
- VISION PROBLEMS
- LOSS OF BALANCE
 - DIZZINESS •
- SEVERE HEADACHE



arm might sag down due to

RISK FACTORS FOR STROKE³







Obesity



Diabetes



High cholesterol

STROKE

can lead to brain damage, long-term disability and death. So, if you think you or someone with you is having a stroke, call the emergency services immediately!2

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONSULT YOUR DOCTOR

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