

# What do you know about lupus?

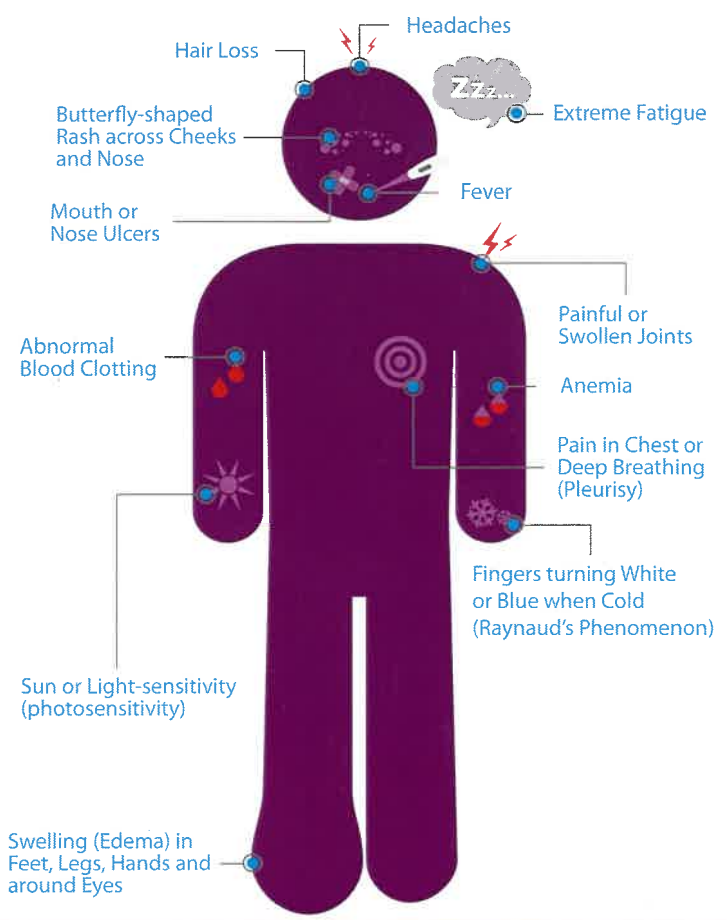
- ? Lupus is a disease where the body attacks its own cells. This causes tiredness, swelling, pain and damage to organs like the skin, lungs and kidneys.**
- ? Nine out of ten lupus patients are female, and it is much more common in people of color. Kids and males can have lupus too.**
- ? Lupus can be hard to diagnose, as its symptoms are common in other diseases. Doctors consider symptoms, lab tests and family history.**
- ? Scientists and doctors don't know what causes lupus or how to cure it. Most patients can be treated with drugs and lifestyle changes.**
- ? Lupus can be different in each person who has it. Some people with lupus may not look or act sick, while others feel ill all the time.**

**The Lupus Foundation of America, Mid-South Chapter can help you find answers and support.**

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# Signs & Symptoms of Lupus

Lupus is one of the world's most mysterious and devastating diseases that ravages different parts of the body. Most common symptoms include:



Learn more about lupus and join the fight to end this devastating disease.

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