Chikungunya is a disease transmitted by the bite of *Aedes aegypti* and *Aedes albopictus* mosquitoes.

Persons at risk for severe complications due to chikungunya:

- Children under 1 year old, especially newborns from mothers with chikungunya at the time of delivery.
- People with other diseases: high blood pressure, diabetes, heart and kidney disease, obesity, tuberculosis and HIV, among others.
- Senior citizens
- Pregnant women

People at risk should immediately go to the nearest health facility.

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