

## Opis choroby \*

### Definicja

An acute arboviral infection caused by an *alphavirus* of the *Togaviridae* family transmitted by an infected mosquito, that more frequently affects children and that is characterized by the presence of mild flulike symptoms (fever, chills, headache, nausea, vomiting, and anorexia) but that can progress to weakness, altered mental status, photophobia, mental confusion, seizures, somnolence, coma and/or even death. The disease can leave neurological sequelae, mainly in infants and children, such as seizures, spasticity or behavioral disorders.

### Dane

#### Klasyfikacja

Choroba

#### Synonimy

Western equine encephalomyelitis  
Zachodnie końskie zapalenie mózgu i opon  
mózgowych

#### Kod ORPHA

83593

#### Kod OMIM

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#### Kod ICD10

A83.1

#### Kod ICD11

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