

Food allergies in the U.S

15 MILLION

Americans have a food allergy,
a serious medical condition



MILK



EGGS



PEANUT



TREE NUTS



SOY



WHEAT



FISH



SHELLFISH

Reactions can range from a mild response to **anaphylaxis**,
a severe and potentially deadly reaction.

Every 3 minutes a food allergy
reaction sends someone to the ER.



The number of people
who have the disease is growing,
increasing 45% among children
between 1997 and 2011.

It now affects
1 IN 3
children



There is **no cure for food allergy**,
but scientists are working to find
treatments to prevent
life-threatening reactions.



You can help make the world a safer
place for those with food allergies.