



We can make allergy history

Food Allergy:

The Scale of the problem



1 child in every class in every school in the UK has a food allergy (up to 8% of children) ¹



Developing at any age, food allergy impacts a whole family's food choices – it's not a lifestyle choice and not food intolerance



2-3 million people in the UK with food allergy (up to 2% of adults) ¹



615% increase in A&E admissions since 2005 ²



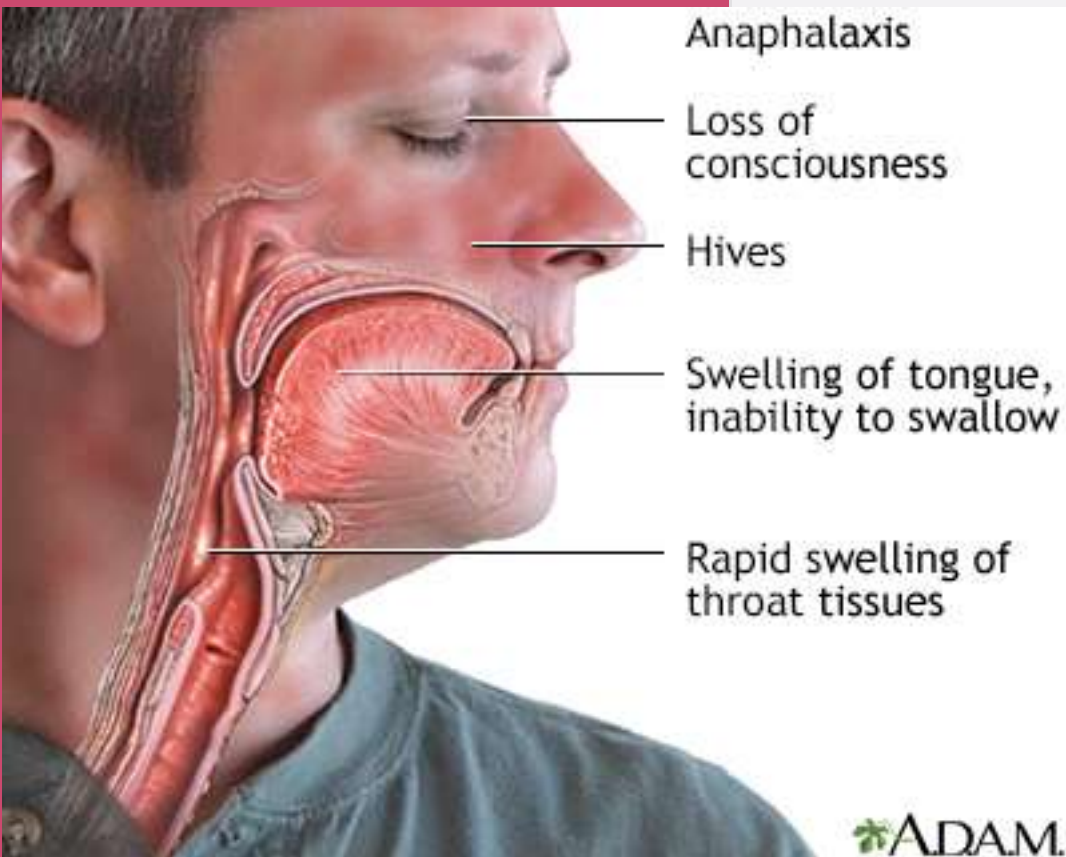
A food allergen acts like a deadly poison to someone with food allergy



Food allergies are a major public health concern

¹ Nwaru et al 2014; Food Standards Agency 2016

² Turner et al 2021



Food allergy can cause a life threatening allergic reaction called 'anaphylaxis'.

This is a terrifying situation for all involved and requires immediate treatment.



Food Allergy
starts at any age
in anyone



Why do we get Food Allergy?

The Body's Reaction

Immunoglobulin E is the 'Allergy Antibody'

- IgE has been subverted to attack common proteins – we don't know why.
- This change to our immune system means food allergies will continue to increase.
- A severe allergic reaction (anaphylaxis) acts like a deadly poison and kills in minutes.
- One allergic reaction doesn't predict the severity of the next.



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Our Story





Natasha

Natasha Ednan-Laperouse died
17th July 2016

The Natasha Allergy Research
Foundation was founded
27th November 2018

Natasha's Law will be implemented
across the UK
1st October 2021





**Food Allergy
prevalence
= one child
in every class
in every school**





If one of us
has a food
allergy,

we are all
affected



**Natasha's Law
is not about labelling,**

**It is about life
and death**





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