# CDC's Response to Zika

# **HOW ZIKA SPREADS**





## Mosquito to person

Infected mosquito spreads Zika through bite



#### Person to mosquito

Infected person passes Zika to other mosquitoes when bitten



# Through sex

Infected person passes Zika to partner through unprotected sex



Zika infection during pregnancy can cause birth defects

### **Pregnant woman to fetus**

Infected woman passes Zika to fetus during pregnancy



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