

Missouri's Third Leading Cause of Death

Do you suspect
someone may be
having a **STROKE?**

Think **FAST**

Face numbness or weakness, especially
on one side

Arm numbness or weakness, especially
only on one side of the body

Speech slurred or difficulty speaking,
understanding or sudden confusion

Time to call **911** - especially if there is a
sudden loss of vision, loss of balance
with dizziness, or severe headache

Any of these symptoms may indicate stroke. Only a qualified health care provider can diagnose stroke. Time is critical for optimal treatment.



health.mo.gov/living/healthconditions/chronic/stroke/index.php
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