

# DISEASE

- Causes Anthrax, a potentially deadly disease
- Three types:
  - Cutaneous (most common)
    - 1-day incubation
  - Pulmonary (most deadly)
    - 1-to-7-day incubation (up to 60 in some cases)
  - Intestinal/oropharyngeal (very rare outbreaks in developing countries)
    - 3-to-7-day incubation

# SYMPTOMS

- Cutaneous Anthrax
  - Lesions on parts of skin that came in contact with bacteria
  - Generally painless
- Pulmonary Anthrax
  - Fever, malaise, cough, chest pains
  - Then respiratory distress, hypoxia, shock and cyanosis
  - Death follows shortly
  - Near 100% mortality rate if untreated