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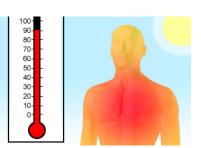
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## **HEAT-RELATED ILLNESSES**

Heat illness includes a range of symptoms, usually starting with mild dehydration, quickly progressing to heat exhaustion and then to heat stroke. Signs of possible heat illness include heavy sweating, feeling weak, headache, nausea or vomiting. In the United States,

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The Library will be open 8am -5pm, Aug 1-5, to allow painting to be done in the evening.

Depending on painting progress, the Library may be closing at 5pm for additional days at the beginning of the next week.

