## **Typhoid Mary**



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## History

- ➤ Mary Mallon aka Typhoid Mary.
- ➤ September 23, 1869 November 11, 1938.
- > Born in Ireland and immigrated to the U.S.
- First person in the US to be identified as a healthy carrier of typhoid fever.
- ➤ Worked as a cook and infected 53 people, 3 died of the disease.
- ➤ Notoriously known for denial of her role in spreading the disease, and her refusal to cease working.
- Quarantined twice and died there.



## Present

- Typhoid Mary is a generic name of healthy carrier of a dangerous disease.
- Especially one that refuses to cooperate and minimize the risk of infection.
- "Typhoid adware"- a person who spreads malicious software with naïve and refusal to use protective software.



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