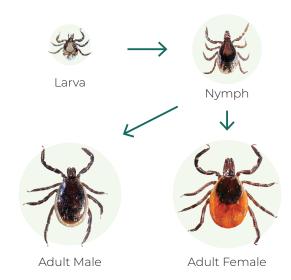


## **TICK IDENTIFICATION**

#### **Black-Legged Tick**

(Deer Tick) Growth Stages



Photos: TickEncounter, University of Rhode Island





### **TICK PREVENTION CHECKLIST**



Wear tall socks and pull over pants if possible.



Apply Tick Repellent.

Use as labeled
(Permethrin for
clothes, ≥20% DEET
or Picaridin for skin).



Wear lightcolored clothing with sleeves.



Toss clothing in dryer on high heat for 15 mins. If washing, use hot water.

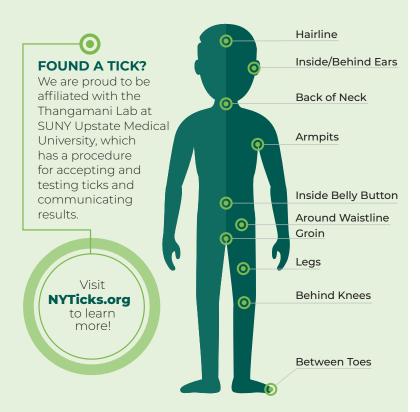


Shower or bathe as soon as you return inside.



Mow lawn regularly. Avoid tall grass in yards, parks and recreation areas and while hiking.

## **WHERE TO CHECK FOR TICKS**



# **LYME DISEASE SYMPTOMS**

