

# ARIZONA COVID-19 RESPONSE

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## What can you do?

### To prepare your faith-based organization?

- Stay informed about COVID-19 in your community.
- Develop or review your organization's emergency response plans.
- Identify activities, rituals, and traditions that may need to be temporarily suspended or modified during a pandemic or community outbreak.
- Assess the risk of attending gatherings for those at high risk for medical complications.
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### To prepare your employees, volunteers and members?

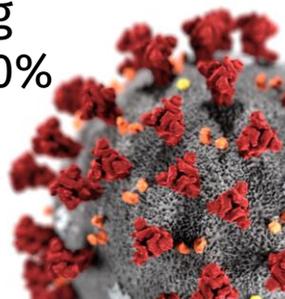
- Educate about everyday preventative actions such as:
  - Staying home when sick.
  - Covering coughs and sneezes with a tissue or elbow.
  - Washing hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available use hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.
- Encourage individuals to get the seasonal influenza vaccine.

### To help prevent COVID-19?

Perform routine environmental cleaning:

- Routinely clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces and objects, such as tables, countertops, doorknobs, telephones, railings, toys, etc.
  - Use bleach-and-water solution or disinfectant with a label that says "EPA approved" for killing bacteria and viruses. Always follow directions on product labels.
- Provide supplies that promote healthy hygiene, including tissues, soap, and hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.

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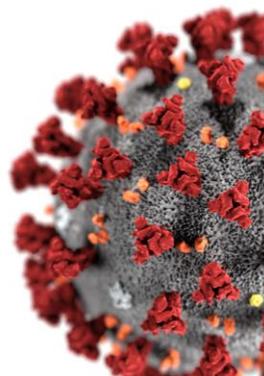
### Who to contact if you have questions?

Please contact your local health department for more guidance and information.

[azhealth.gov/localhealth](https://azhealth.gov/localhealth)

### Additional Resources

- [Get Your Community- and Faith-Based Organizations Ready for Coronavirus Disease 2019](#)
- [azhealth.gov/coronavirus](https://azhealth.gov/coronavirus)
- [cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov](https://cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov)
- [CDC's pandemic influenza guidance for community and faith-based organizations](#)
- [Arizona Pandemic Influenza Response Plan](#)
- [Travel Guidance](#)
- [Interim Guidance for Businesses and Employers to Plan and Respond to Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Resources for Households](#)
- [Interim Guidance for Administrators of US Childcare Programs and K-12 Schools](#)
- [EPA Approved Disinfectants](#)



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