

Facts, Dispelling Myths and Helpful Tips about COVID-19



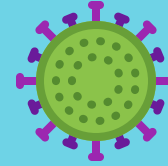
Facts and Myths about COVID-19

- FACT:** Cold weather and snow cannot kill COVID-19
- FACT:** Taking a hot bath does not prevent COVID-19
- FACT:** COVID-19 cannot be transmitted through mosquito bites
- MYTH:** Spraying alcohol or chlorine all over your body will kill COVID-19
- MYTH:** Garlic help prevents COVID-19



How is COVID-19 Transmitted?

While the first cases probably involved exposure to an animal source, the virus now seems to be spreading from person-to-person. It spreads via respiratory droplets produced when someone coughs or sneezes, similar to how the flu spreads.



Coronavirus Facts

"Corona" is Latin for Crown. Under a microscope these viruses look like a crown with spikes ending in little blobs. The 2019 Novel Coronavirus name is now COVID-19, the new term now used.



Need More Resources?

- Centers for Disease Control
- Talking to Children about COVID-19
- Talking Tips for Parents and Educators
- Frequently Asked Questions about COVID-19



Kids and COVID-19

Most people who have gotten sick with this coronavirus have had a mild case. There are not a lot of cases in children. If they do get the virus, it tends to be very mild.

[Kid Video on Handwashing](#)

[Just for Kids Comic Strip Video on Reducing Anxiety](#)



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For information to share with your child and to help combat the spread of the virus, please learn as much as you can about COVID-19. Here is a video clip you can watch with your child.

[Kid Version of COVID-19](#)



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