

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19): 10 Tips for At-Home Quarantine or Self-Monitoring

If you have been directed to quarantine or self-monitor at home because of possible COVID-19 contact:

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Stay home from work, school, and away from public places. If you need help getting food or medicine call 2-1-1 or The POINT at 462-4444. Visit RIDelivers.com, Rhode Islanders' connection to help those living in quarantine and isolation due to COVID-19.



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Monitor for symptoms and take your temperature twice daily. If you develop symptoms or a fever, then call your healthcare provider immediately.



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Get rest, stay hydrated, and exercise if possible. If you are able to exercise, do so in your home or yard. Avoid locations where you may come into contact with others.



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If you have a medical appointment, **call the healthcare provider** ahead of time and tell them that you have been exposed to COVID-19.



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For medical emergencies, call 911 and **notify the dispatch personnel** that you have been exposed to COVID-19.



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Take everyday actions to prevent the spread of germs.

- Clean your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol
- Cover your cough/sneeze
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth



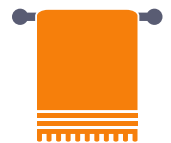
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As much as possible, **stay** in a specific room and **away from other people** and pets in your home. Use a separate bathroom, if available.



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Avoid sharing personal items with other people in your household, like dishes, towels, and bedding.



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Clean all surfaces that are touched often, like counters, tabletops, and doorknobs. Use household cleaning sprays or wipes according to the label instructions.



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Make the best of your time at home by teleworking if you're able or catching up on reading, exercising, or other hobbies.



By executive order of Rhode Island Gov. Gina Raimondo, anyone entering Rhode Island (with the exception of public safety, health care professionals, and pilots/flight crew) must immediately self-quarantine for 14 days. Rhode Island residents who work in another state must work from home, if possible. Rhode Island businesses with employees who are residents of another state must make every attempt to let those employees work from home. People traveling to other states are subject to the laws of those jurisdictions.

For more information, contact the Rhode Island Department of Health at 401-222-8022, email RIDOH.COVID19Questions@health.ri.gov, or visit health.ri.gov/covid.