

HAVE A COVID-SAFE HALLOWEEN



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Stay Safe this Halloween

- Stay home if you are sick or currently under a quarantine or isolation order
- Trick- or- treat with people you live with
- Encourage neighbors to participate in alternative Halloween festivities
- If you go out, wear a facial covering over both your mouth and nose

Low Risk Activities



Carving or decorating pumpkins inside with members of your household or outside and at a safe distance with neighbors or friends

Having a Halloween themed movie night

Hosting a virtual Halloween costume contest

Moderate Risk Activities

Attending a costume party held outdoors where protective masks are used and people can remain 6 feet apart

Participating in one way trick-or-treating where individually wrapped goodie bags are lined up for families to grab while continuing to social distance

Having a small group, outdoor, open-air costume parade where people are distanced more than 6 feet apart



Visiting pumpkin patches or orchards where people use hand sanitizer before touching pumpkins or picking apples, wearing masks is enforced, and people are able to maintain social distancing



Avoid High Risk Activities:

Traditional trick-or-treating where treats are handed to children who go door to door

Trunk-or-treat where treats are handed out from trunks of cars lined up in large parking lots

Indoor haunted house where people may be crowded together and screaming

STAY HOME if you feel like a zombie, especially if you have any of the following symptoms:

- Fever or Chills
- Dry Cough
- Sore Throat
- Shortness of Breath
- Difficulty Breathing
- Congestion
- Runny Nose
- New Loss of Taste or Smell



- Tiredness
- Fatigue
- Muscle or Body Aches
- Headache
- Diarrhea
- Stomach Ache
- Nausea or Vomiting

Have a safe and fun Halloween!

Information recommended by the CDC



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