## OUR HOUSE RULES TO KEEP COVID19 AWAY (LEVEL 3)

Description	In this project, we will learn what COVID19 is, its symptoms, how it spreads, how to avoid it and decide on our house rules to keep Covid19 away from our house and family.
Leading Question	What rules does our family need to keep COVID19 away?
Total Time Required	4 ½ hours over 3 days.
Supplies Required	Paper and pencil. (Optional: Coloring pens).
Learning Outcomes	<ol> <li>Define COVID19, its symptoms, and how to avoid it.</li> <li>Develop communication skills.</li> </ol>
Previous Learning	Not Applicable

## Day 1

Today you will learn about what COVID19 is and how to make sure you are maintaining health!

Suggested Duration	Activity and Description
15 minutes	<ul> <li>All family members must be called for a serious meeting. It is preferred that they sit in a circle, giving everyone an equal voice.</li> <li>As parents are usually busy with work or other household chores, the younger family members are required to educate the family on COVID19.</li> <li>As a group, come up with a list of no more than five driving questions for learners to find answers for.</li> </ul>
10 minutes	In order to find answers, learners need to understand what are "good," reliable, sources of information about Covid19. As a family, come up



	with criteria for reliable sources. Probing questions for parents or supervisor:	
	<ul> <li>Is WhatsApp a reliable source?</li> </ul>	
	- What about social media?	
	<ul> <li>Can someone put a formal logo on a fake document and share it via WhatsApp or SM?</li> </ul>	
	- If yes, then we must be careful with information we receive via such	
	channels. How can we be more careful about it?	
	- What news sources/websites should we go to in order to get reliable	
	information on this matter?	
	- What are the risks of getting information from an unreliable source?	
20 minutes	Input: Examples of reliable sources:	
	- Ministry of Health ( ex:	
	https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/Pages/Coronavirus2019.aspx#)	
	<ul> <li>World Health Organization (WHO)</li> </ul>	
	https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019	
	- Centers for Disease Control (USA):	
	https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/faq.html	
	Read flyers or watch videos with information from at least 2 reliable sources.	
	Reflect about what these sources have in common. What makes them reliable?	
	Come up with three criteria that define a reliable source. Write those down as	
	questions that they will use to guide their research.	
	(If there is no internet access available, parents may use the information and	
	flyers provided as paper based along with this document: Frequently Asked	
	Questions 11-13 and Useful Infographs.	
30 minutes	Read, extract information, and then present, in a clear and thorough manner, the answers to the initial questions.	
15 minutes	Think of how you will present this to your family and then present.	
10 minutes	The presentation must:	
	<ul> <li>Respond thoroughly to the family's questions</li> </ul>	
	- Be interesting	
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	<ul> <li>Be informative: includes all necessary information, yet as short as possible.</li> <li>Use drawings, visuals, or role play when relevant to ensure understanding</li> </ul>
10 minutes	Discuss with your parents/family:
	<ul> <li>what you learned from the presentation</li> <li>At least one clarifying question</li> <li>Come up with additional questions that would be worth investigating</li> </ul>

## DAY 2

Today we will understand the scope of the impact of the pandemic in your country.

Suggested Duration	Activity and Descri	ption		
30-45 minutes	<ul> <li>Numeracy extens</li> </ul>	ion		
	• Find out the following information either from your governme			
	office, local newspaper, parents or internet (in a reliable s			
	information).			
	<ul> <li>How many people do you have in your country (total population)?</li> <li>How many people in your country have gotten infected with COVID19?</li> <li>How many people have recovered from it in your country?</li> <li>How many people have died from COVID19 in your country?</li> </ul>			
		Number of people	% of the population	
	COVID19 infections			
	Recovered			
	Died			



15 minutes	Reflect based on the table:	
	<ul> <li>What is the ratio of the number of people infected to the total population?</li> <li>What is the ratio of the number of deaths from COVID19 to the number of people who got infected with COVID19?</li> <li>What do you learn from the above computations in relation to COVID19? Some possible lessons learnt: <ul> <li>It is a fast-spreading sickness and is heavily infectious. The number of infections keeps increasing much faster</li> <li>Few people are dying from it.</li> <li>Most people who get the virus recover from it. It just may take longer than the flu.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
10 minutes	<ul> <li>Add these numerical details to your presentation and include further adjustments based on the initial feedback.</li> </ul>	
10 minutes	inutes • Present again to family members and receive their feedback	

## Day 3

Today we want to make a plan of how to protect our family from Covid19!

Suggested Duration	Activity and Description		
60 minutes	In order to protect our family, we need you to think and write down a list of three actions that we need to take in the following scenarios and present them:		
	<ul> <li>Going out to buy groceries (get insight from the useful infographics appendix)</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Back to the house from the outside (get insights from the <u>Useful</u> <u>Info graphs</u> appendix)</li> </ul>		



	• Present your written rules ar for improvements from your		
	<ul> <li>Incorporate the feedback into your set of rules. After the rules are settled, think of how you might creatively share those rules with your family and encourage that they follow them.</li> </ul>		
	• Discuss with parents your ide sheet (look at the infographi about how to present your r	cs on the appendix to	
	• Design your "Rules sheet"		
	For every rule, there must be a Ch and a strategy to encourage peop	•	is being followed
	Sections that you may include: - Rules to follow who - What to do after co - Hand washing tuto - What we now know Fhis is one example of what the "	oming back rial w that is different fro	
	Rule	Champion	Strategy to encour people to follow t rule
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5	Showcase your Rule Sheets to par	rents.	
	Receive feedback from you	ur parents	
	Incorporate the feedback	received into your pr	esentation
	• Discuss with your parents wh and least about this process faced, etc.	•	• •



Place the rules in visible places around the house and start implementing them straight away!

### **A**SSESSMENT CRITERIA

- Checklist criteria for presentations and rules are shared respectively.
- Identification of reliable and unreliable sources of information on COVID19
- Presentation of the COVID19 rules for the family

## **ADDITIONAL ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES**

- -Learners write a thank you letter to a doctor or nurse they know
- -Learners research food and home-based exercises that improve the immunity.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS 11-13

#### ANSWERING QUESTIONS TEENS MAY HAVE ABOUT THE NEW CORONAVIRUS,

SOURCE: https://www.health.harvard.edu/blog/how-to-talk-to-teens-about-the-new-coronavirus-2020031419192

#### WHAT CAUSED THIS NEW CORONAVIRUS?

Coronaviruses cause the common cold and the flu. This coronavirus is believed to have <u>started in animals</u> and then passed on to humans at a live animal market in China.

#### WHY NOW?

This is actually not the first time that there has been a widespread virus that started in animals and spread to humans. Another example is the severe acute respiratory syndrome (<u>SARS</u>) outbreak in 2002 that was caused by a different coronavirus. That virus eventually was contained. Doctors, scientists, and government officials are working hard to do the same with this newest coronavirus.

One reason why we are hearing more about this virus is because of how fast it is spreading and how much it has affected people in many different countries. Another reason is that we also have many more ways of sharing information than we did in 2002, and posts now have the ability to "go viral" themselves. If you notice that you are becoming distressed after reading all of the posts about the virus, then it might be helpful to limit how much you read about the virus in the news and on sites or apps, to be informed just enough.

#### CAN OUR PETS GET SICK?

There is little evidence that domesticated pets, including dogs and cats at home, are likely to get sick from this new coronavirus, or <u>spread the virus</u>.

#### CAN YOU DIE FROM THE NEW CORONAVIRUS?

Most people — probably more than 95% and possibly more than 99% — who have gotten sick from the new coronavirus have not died. The death rate is likely even lower than has been reported in the news because, just like with the flu, some people with mild cases of the virus may not have gone to the doctor to get tested.

## WILL MY SCHOOL CLOSE BECAUSE OF CONCERNS REGARDING THE NEW CORONAVIRUS?

Some communities may decide to temporarily close places, including schools, to give communities affected by illness caused by the virus a chance to prevent it from spreading quickly. This has happened before when some schools have had high rates of other viruses, including the norovirus. Those schools reopened later. If your school makes the decision to close temporarily, we will hear more about that.

# SHOULD WE STAY HOME TO REMAIN SAFE, SO WE DON'T CATCH THE NEW CORONAVIRUS?

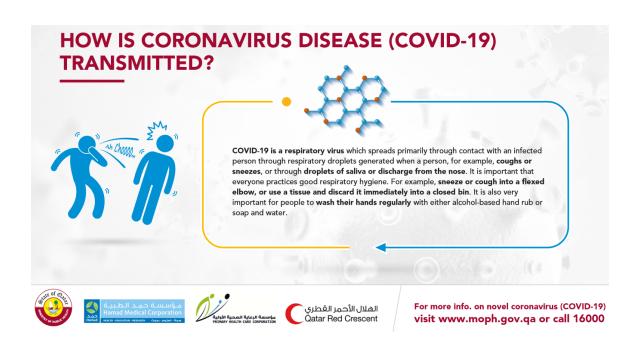
People who are infected with the new coronavirus are asked to stay home for about two weeks. Also, people who might have been exposed to the virus are asked to stay home for a period of time to make sure they don't develop any symptoms of the virus.

If you don't have the virus, then you should continue to do what you need and love to do. Practice the same everyday healthy habits that you would (or should) do anyway. You'll be on track if you:

- Sneeze or cough into tissues (and throw them away) or sneeze or cough into your elbow. These behaviors help keep germs from traveling and making other people sick.
- Wash your hands with soap and water after going to the bathroom, before eating, and after blowing your nose. When you wash your hands, remember to count slowly to 20.
- Try to avoid touching your mouth, eyes, and nose, which are places where the germs can enter your body.
- Try to get enough sleep and eat well to help your body stay healthy.



### **USEFUL INFO GRAPHS**



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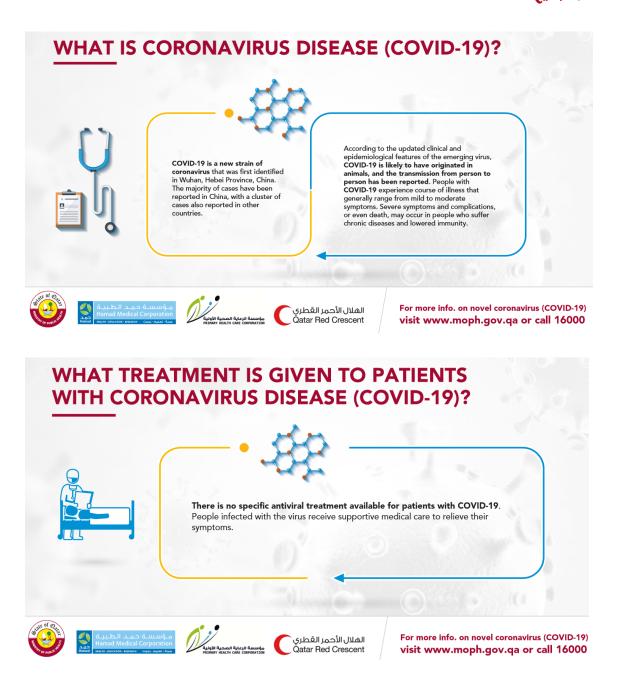
## PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE-2019 (COVID-19)



#### For Further Information, Contact Our Call Center: 16000



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dry thoroughly with a single use towel

use towei to turn off faucet

...and your hands are safe.

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## HOW TO PUT ON, USE, TAKE OFF AND DISPOSE OF A MASK



Before putting on a mask, clean hands with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water



Cover mouth and nose with mask and make sure there are no gaps between your face and the mask



Avoid touching the mask while using it; if you do, clean your hands with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water



Remove the mask from behind (do not touch the front of the mask); discard immediatly in a closed bin; clean hands with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water

Replace the mask with a new one as soon as it is damp and do not re-use single-use masks