

PresbyteryoF Greater Atlanta

PREVENTION & RESPONSE STRATEGIES FOR COVID-19 OUTBREAKS IN FAITH COMMUNITIES



ENVIRONMENT

Sanitize spaces before & after arrival/dismissal

Use areas that allow 6' physical distance

Clean & disinfect all areas

Reassess use of facility

AFTER

BEHAVIOR

Require cloth face coverings

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Take temperatures

Provide pastoral care to congregation

Reassess protocols

CONTACT TRACING

Establish an attendance system for any facility use

Communicate with all participants who were on site & potentially exposed while maintaining confidentiality

Update Emergency Operations Plan to include COVID-19 protocols

> Plan for when a staff or congregant gets sick

Encourage testing & quarantining for 14 days.

GREATER GOOD

Know the numbers in your county: dph.georgia.gov/covid-19-daily-status-report

> Identify the contact information for your local public health department

Inform congregation of exposure and updated facility use policy.

Report case & potential outbreak to your local public health department

REVIEW:

cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/faith-based.html

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