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COVID-19: Ohio's Safe Return

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Understand the Hazard – Envision the Options

How does the virus transmit to you?

- Droplets
- Surfaces
- Cross contamination

How does this happen?

- Viruses must be coughed/sneezed
- Viruses contact mucous membranes
 - Droplet contact
 - Hand-to-surface-to-face
 - Close contact with infected person
 - Less than 6 10 feet for more than 5 minutes



Understand the Environment – Envision the Options

Infection Process



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Interrupted Infection Process



Model the Environment – Support the Decisions



Fomite

Ceramic Plastic Stainless.Steel Wood.Laminate Combined