



COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN DURING RELIGIOUS EVENTS, NATIONAL HOLIDAYS, CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS AND UN CEREMONIES

This guidance reminds all UN personnel and managers of the necessary precautions that must be implemented to avoid the spread of COVID-19 during any religious events, national holidays, cultural celebrations or UN ceremonies.



Conduct regular sensitization to create awareness on how to prevent COVID-19 transmission (e.g. using texting, flyers, loudspeaker announcements, posters) and remind personnel to stay 2 meters apart from other individuals, wash their hands, and cover their cough with elbow/sleeve.

Meals in the dining area during religious events, national holidays and other cultural celebrations should be taken in small groups, and meal times staggered at different times, with a 2 metres distance between chairs.

Ensure regular cleaning and disinfecting of common spaces (ablutions/toilet, kitchen, dining hall) regularly and pay special attention to frequently touched surfaces. More information on cleaning/disinfection can be found at [https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-\(ncov\)-infection-presenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-(ncov)-infection-presenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts)

All personnel who are feeling unwell or have any symptoms of COVID-19 must avoid attending such mass gathering events and immediately notify the UN medical hotline for follow up and management.

All personnel categorized as high risk for COVID-19 must avoid such mass gatherings or any events that may expose them to infection.

For any clarification and additional information, please reach out to DHMOSH's Public Health unit at dosh-dhmosh-public-health@un.org



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Ces orientations rappellent à l'ensemble du personnel et des responsables de l'ONU les précautions

