

Cleaning and disinfecting items of someone that has COVID-19

Wear disposable gloves for these tasks and wash your hands after removing gloves. If you don't have gloves, wash your hands immediately following.



LAUNDRY

- Don't shake out laundry before washing.
- Wash clothes in the warmest temperature for the fabric.
- Dry clothes completely.
- Use a separate basket for the person's dirty laundry. Line it with a disposable or washable liner to keep basket clean.



PERSONAL ITEMS OR SURFACES

- Use a detergent or soap and water to clean dirt from surfaces and objects.
- To kill the virus, use a household disinfectant cleaner, a household bleach solution, or alcohol solutions with at least 70% alcohol.
- Use the right product for the surface.



CELL PHONES

- Unplug phone from any device or cable.
- Spray a soft, lint-free cloth with a non-abrasive disinfectant or 70% isopropyl alcohol.
- Gently clean the phone and phone case with the cloth.
- Do not spray liquid on the phone as it could damage it.