COVID-19
DISINFECTING YOUR HOME
IF SOMEONE IS SICK

CLEAN:
• Wear disposable gloves to clean and disinfect.
• Clean Surfaces using soap and water. Practice routine cleaning of frequently touched surfaces such as tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, sinks, etc.

DISINFECT:
• Use diluted household bleach solutions when appropriate. Check to ensure the product is not past its expiration date. Unexpired household bleach will be effective against coronaviruses when properly diluted.
• Alcohol solutions with at least 70% alcohol or other Household cleaners and disinfectants: Clean the area or item with soap and water or another detergent if it is dirty. Then, use a household disinfectant.

LAUNDRY:
• Dirty laundry from an ill person can be washed with other people's items. Wear disposable gloves. Wash hands with soap and water as soon as you remove the gloves.
• Do not shake dirty laundry. Launder items according to the manufacturer’s instructions. Use the warmest appropriate water setting and dry items completely.

OTHER TIPS FOR HOME SAFETY:
• Clean surfaces with soap & water. Then, disinfect.
• Wash your hands often with soap & water for 20 seconds.
• Stay separated when eating. The ill person should be fed in their room if possible. Wash dishes and utensils in hot soapy water with gloves.
• Use a dedicated, lined trash can for the ill person. Use gloves to remove and dispose of trash. Wash hands afterwards.