



Cambridge
Public Health
Department

Agenda
Cambridge COVID-19 Expert Advisory Panel
2 pm, Tuesday May 5th, 2020

Call-in: [REDACTED]

- 1) **How to educate the public about how to safely handle and wear the mask.**
Can we recommend the City post Graphics and FAQs on face masks from N95Decon.org?
Also print-outs to be given out with masks by the police and to outdoor ambassadors working with Sam.
- 2) **Connect to new small business advisory panel to help strategize safe reopening strategies- zoom?**
 - Use of <https://analytics-tools.shinyapps.io/covid19simulator/>
 - Evaluate outcomes at Ragon Institute.
- 3) **Advise City to publish PSA about how to care for COVID-19+ at home.**
Publish WHO guidelines*
- 4) **Are people dying at home in Cambridge?**
If yes, PSA to advise people to go to hospital because early medical care saves lives.
- 5) **Update on availability of sera and virus testing.**
Assess quality control.
PSA to inform people when and where testing is available and at what cost.
Consider contact-tracing when testing is widely available and information about how they can self-isolate to protect their families if possible.

* Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces – such as bedside tables, bed frames and other bedroom furniture – daily with regular household disinfectant containing a diluted bleach solution (that is, 1-part bleach to 99 parts water). For surfaces that cannot be cleaned with bleach, 70% ethanol can be used.

- Clean and disinfect bathroom and toilet surfaces at least once daily with regular household disinfectant containing a diluted bleach solution (that is, 1-part bleach to 99 parts water).
- Clean clothes, bed linens, and bath and hand towels using regular laundry soap and water or machine wash at 60–90 °C (140–194 °F) with common laundry detergent, and dry thoroughly.
- Cleaning personnel should wear disposable gloves when cleaning surfaces or handling clothing or linen soiled with body fluids, and they should perform hand hygiene before putting on and after removing their gloves.

