



YOLO COUNTY COVID-19 HALLOWEEN GUIDANCE For Trick-or-Treaters

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ENJOY SAFE TRICK-OR-TREATING THIS YEAR

Fall brings festive holidays. Yolo County Health and Human Services Agency encourages everyone to enjoy their holiday traditions by protecting themselves, their loved ones, and their neighbors from COVID-19.

COVID-19 vaccinations provide the safest and most effective protection against severe health consequences and helps stop the spread of the virus. In addition to getting vaccinated if you are eligible, please follow these tips to keep everyone safe:

- **Gather outdoors and in small groups.** Indoor gatherings increase risk with limited ventilation; avoid crowded spaces. COVID risk is greater when households mix, especially if anyone is unvaccinated.
- **Wear protective and well-fitting masks.** Masks should cover your nose and mouth and are important to protect unvaccinated children from the virus. If you can comfortably breathe while wearing a costume mask over your protective mask, go for it! Otherwise, make your protective mask part of your costume using markers or fabric paint. Wear a protective mask when giving out candy.
- **Keep close interactions short.** Spending a few seconds near someone new while collecting candy outdoors is relatively safe, especially if everybody is masked. But in general, try to stay at least 6 feet apart from people you don't normally spend time with.
- **If you feel sick or have symptoms, stay home.** Get tested if you have symptoms or have close contact with someone who has COVID-19.

Reminder - Yolo County Health Orders require face coverings for indoor public spaces, regardless of vaccination status.

Yolo County Resources

www.yolocounty.org/coronavirus
www.yolocounty.org/covidtesting
www.yolocounty.org/getvaccinated

CDC Resources

www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/holidays/celebrations.html