Using Public Transport

Protect yourself and others from coronavirus (COVID-19)

COVID-19 is similar to flu, causing cough, fever, sore throat, fatigue and aching muscles.

When a person with COVID-19 coughs or sneezes, they leave the virus on surfaces and in the air. You can catch COVID-19 if:

- You touch these surfaces and then touch your face, eyes, nose or mouth or
- You have close contact (1,5 metres) with a person who has coronavirus.

When you use public transport, you usually have short casual contacts with many people. This could increase your risk of catching COVID-19.

Always wear a mask when in public and follow the 5 Golden Rules

1. Wash hands
2. Don't touch face
3. Keep 1,5m apart
4. Cover your cough
5. Sick? Stay home
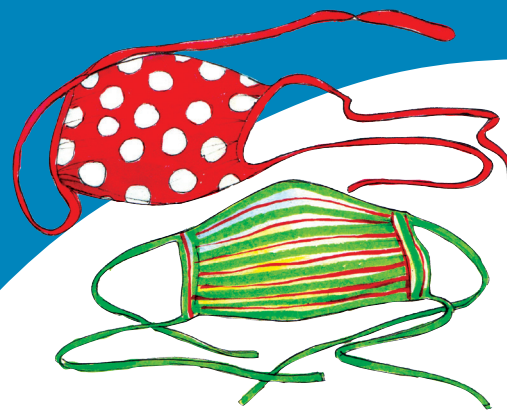
Use a cloth mask safely

1. Wash hands before use.
2. Ensure mask covers nose and mouth.
3. Do not touch mask once on.
4. Do not share masks.
5. Remove mask if wet.
6. Only touch straps to remove.
7. Wash hands immediately after removing.
8. Wash mask with soap and water.
9. Dry and iron to disinfect mask.
10. Have at least 2 masks so that you always have a clean one ready.

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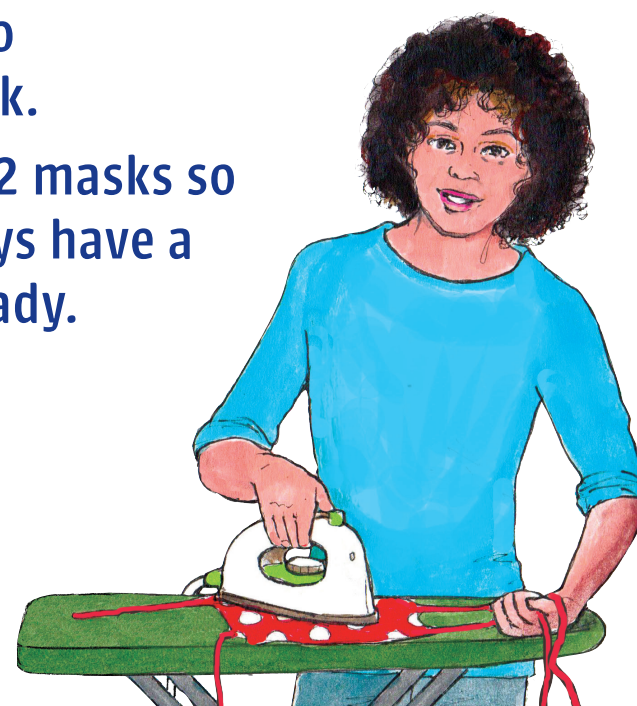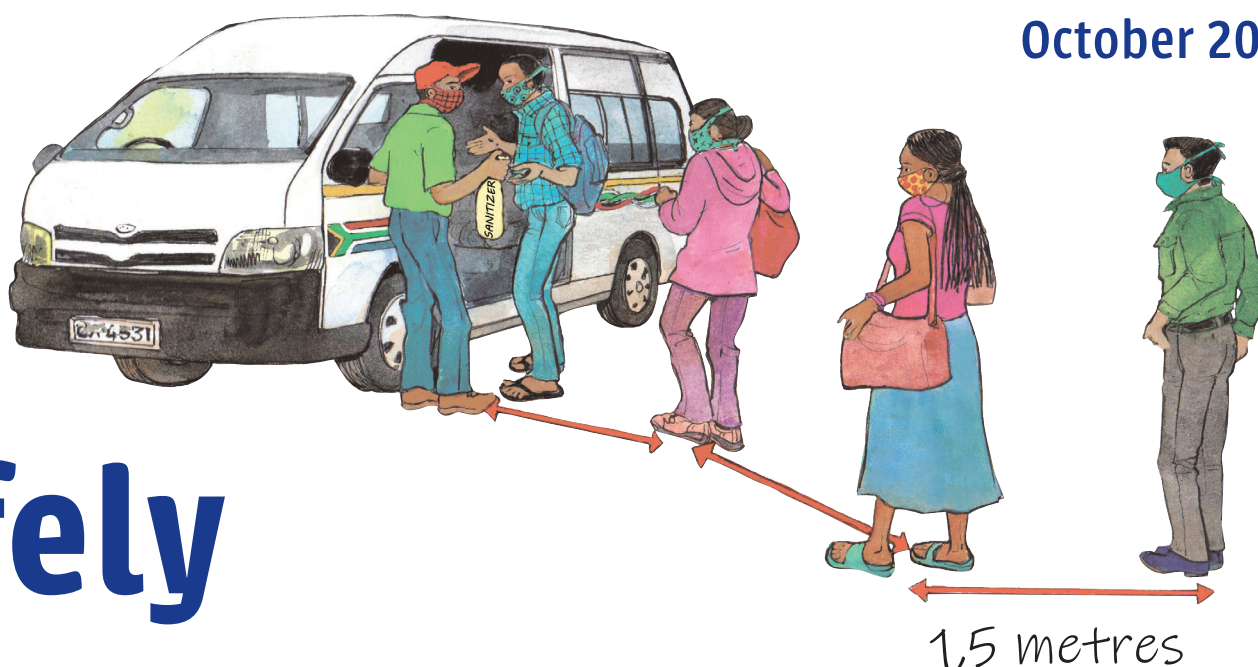
Travel safely

1,5 metres

- When waiting in the queue, stand 1,5 metres away from other passengers.
- Avoid touching door handles, rails and windows.
- Avoid touching other passengers.
- Sit as far from other passengers as possible. No standing allowed in the bus.
- Try not to touch any surfaces.
- Use hand sanitizer after handling money.
- Wash hands for 20 seconds when you reach your destination.

- A taxi or bus may carry 100% licensed capacity for travel less than 200km.
- A taxi or bus should not carry more than 70% licensed capacity for travel 200km or more.
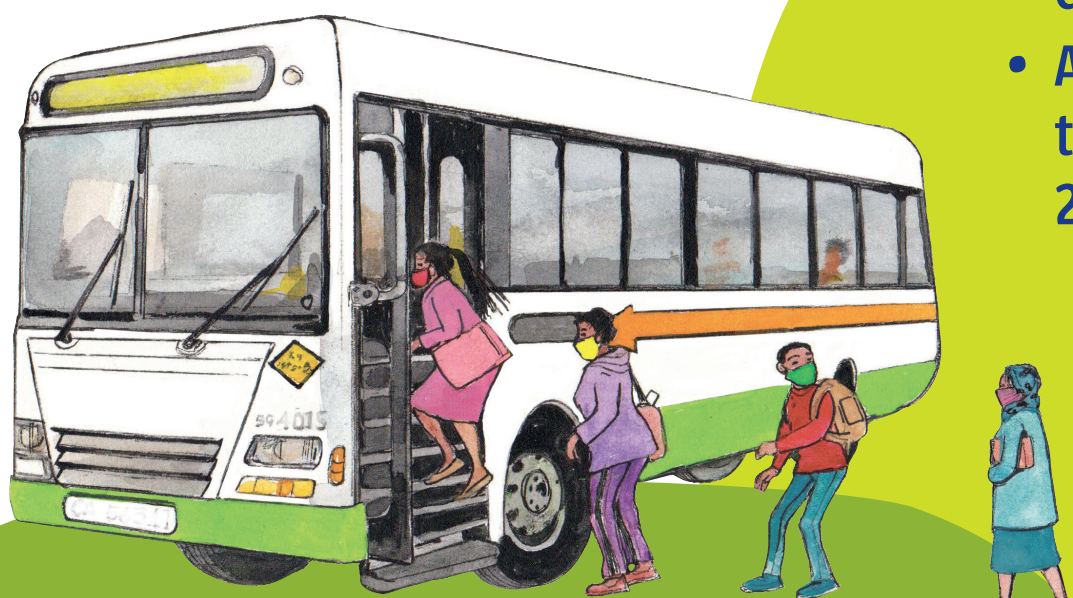
Western Cape Government COVID-19 Hotline

021 928 4102 or **080 928 4102** (tollfree)

National WhatsApp **0600 123 456**

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