

Infants: Phase 1 & 2 - Large Group Time

Recommendations:

- Limit number of children per activity to 2-3 with space (space of at least 6ft apart between each other is recommendable).
- If more than one group of children is cared for at one facility, each group shall be in a separate room and not mix or interact with each other.
- Sanitize flat surfaces regularly between activities.
- Use mats or a fabric blanket that are easy to clean and disinfect. Remove RUGS. (Rugs are not recommended).
- Intensify cleaning and disinfection efforts-focus on toys, games, and other objects that are frequently used for infants.
- Rotate toys daily to create extra space for cleaning and sanitizing.
- Do not share toys with other groups of infants or toddlers, unless they are washed and sanitized before being moved from one group to the other.



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- Toys that children have placed in their mouths or that are otherwise contaminated by body secretions or excretions should be set aside until they are cleaned by a person wearing gloves. Clean with water and detergent, rinse, sanitize with an EPA-registered. Set aside toys that need to be cleaned.
- Contaminated clothes should be placed in a plastic bag or washed in a washing machine.

Things to Consider:

- Toys that cannot be cleaned and sanitized should not be used at this time
- Machine washable cloth toys should be used by one individual at a time or should not be used at all. These toys should be laundered before being used by another child.
- Books and paper based materials are not considered high risk for transmission and do not need to be sanitized between use.