

Corona virus preventive measures in Flakstad municipality.

In light of the recent outbreak of corona virus in Norway, Flakstad municipality has taken preventive measures. Practical measures are of most use. To contain the spread of the corona virus, we are able to prioritize the ones needing health care the most. Flakstad has a significant number of senior citizens, and knowing these are in a high-risk group we cannot disregard future priorities which makes it necessary to enforce restrictions. Together we need to slow down the spreading and impact of the corona virus.

- 1). Wash your hands. Use soap and water thoroughly, avoid physical contact with other people and objects, avoid touching your face. Clean surfaces others come in contact with, and cough away from other people. When coughing, use a tissue and throw it away after use.
- 2). Stay indoors if you feel unwell or may have the virus. Should you display symptoms such as cough, fever, shortness of breath, call the emergency room at 116117
- 3) Keep your distance to other people. Avoid crowds. Do not sit close to people if you have to be in public spaces or venues.
- 4) Stay in touch with your next-of-kin. Help others if needed. Remain calm.

Gatherings or events with more than 50 people are prohibited. When in public, keep a distance of at least one meter to others.

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