

## **Safe ways to Celebrate THANKSGIVING**

- If you are sick or have symptoms, don't host or attend a Thanksgiving gathering.
  - Get <u>tested</u> if you have symptoms of COVID-19 or have a close contact with someone who has COVID-19.
- Avoid crowded or poorly ventilated spaces.
  - o If the event is indoors and crowded consider the following
  - Opening up windows to increase ventilation (only recommended if you can maintain a comfortable temperature in the house).
    - Having one window open with a window fan is a great strategy
  - o Use a portable air purifier or cleaner if you have one
  - o Consider leaving on your bathroom and kitchen fans on
  - o Open outdoor air intake on your HVAC system if you have one.

Discuss behaviors and expectations early so everyone is on the same page for your
Thanksgiving gathering. Such as vaccinations, high risk individuals, mask wearing and capacity.

## o Tips:

- Wear a mask
- Have hand sanitizer & disinfecting wipes readily available
- Increase ventilation
- Social Distance (6 feet apart)

