COVID-19 Mythbusters





FICTION: Cold weather kills COVID-19

All parts of the world, including places with colder weather, have COVID-19 infections.



FICTION: Humidity and warm temperatures stop the transmission of COVID-19

The virus has been transmitted to all areas of the globe, including warmer climates.



FACT: Rubbing alcohol and chlorine bleach kill COVID-19

Rubbing alcohol and chlorine bleach can both be used to disinfect *surfaces* contaminated with the COVID-19 virus.



FACT: Antibiotics do not prevent or treat COVID-19

Antibiotics only work against bacterial infections. They do not work against viruses such as COVID-19.



FACT: COVID-19 affects everyone, young and old

This virus is affecting both younger and older populations. While older people and those who are vulnerable may have more risk of serious complications, it is VERY IMPORTANT that you take precautionary measures to protect yourself and others from this infection, as it can be deadly.

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