COVID rates are a moving target. [CDC Guidelines for Gatherings](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/events-guidance/gatherings.html)

Always follow your local ordinances to stay safe in your area.

If you are at risk or are uncomfortable with any of these guidelines, we recommend a virtual sukkah experience where you invite 2 of your friends of another faith.

**Planning**

**No More Than 10 People in the Total Group.** It’s called 2 for Seder: in the Sukkah, not 20! Everyone should be in your “pod” and have not travelled recently.

**Let the Air In.** While opening your Sukkah flaps may not make the Sukkah perfectly kosher, it increases the air circulation, which the CDC says is a critical part of keeping germs away. Close the sukkah back up after your guests have enjoyed the meal together and are headed back home. Disinfecting common-area surfaces can help you and your guests feel safe in your Sukkah.

**When Your Guests Arrive**

**Bring Your Own Food** – Set the table before anyone comes with separate water and utensils. Consider disposable. If you must cook, make sure to wear a mask while preparing food and wash hands regularly just like a chef at a restaurant.

**Stay 6-Feet Apart.** Mark 6-feet apart with tape or chalk because it’s easy to lose track of where we are when we’re together!

**Mask Where Practical.** While you can’t wear masks while eating, start off wearing masks and sanitize as necessary.

**No One in Your House.** Don’t let anyone inside the house where germs might linger. If there’s an emergency, anyone in the house must wear a mask, wash hands before and after they are in the house. Things should be sanitized afterwards for an abundance of safety.