## Physical Distancing and Family Gatherings

Family gatherings have been a driver of COVID-19 case spread. Unfortunately, being related to someone doesn't mean you can't make them sick (or vice-versa). So what kinds of family gatherings are safe?



A gathering of your *immediate* family (family members who live together in the same home) is a *safe* gathering.



A gathering of your extended family (relatives and other family friends who do not live together in the same home) is not a safe gathering.

Don't risk exposing your loved ones to COVID-19. Instead, stay connected with family and friends *safely* – by telephone, email, or virtually via other digital tools.



