Coronavirus is a type of virus transmitted from animals to humans. Once a new strain infects humans, it is called a “novel coronavirus” and can cause sicknesses ranging from a common cold to severe respiratory illness. The novel coronavirus spreading in the United States causes coronavirus disease 2019, or COVID-19.

If you have questions about COVID-19, please call the hotline at 866-941-4785.

WHAT IF SOMEONE IN MY HOUSE BECOMES SICK?

Have a plan. Select room for quarantine. Clean and disinfect frequently-touched objects and surfaces.

WHAT CAN I DO TO PROTECT MYSELF AND MY LOVED ONES?

Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Avoid people with flu-like symptoms. Cover your cough with your sleeve or a tissue and dispose. Don’t touch your face, nose, mouth or eyes. Stay away from others if you have flu-like symptoms.

WHAT IF I THINK I HAVE COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS)?

Before going to a doctor’s office, emergency room, or testing site, call a doctor first to discuss your symptoms.

Don’t have a doctor? Click here to find one.