



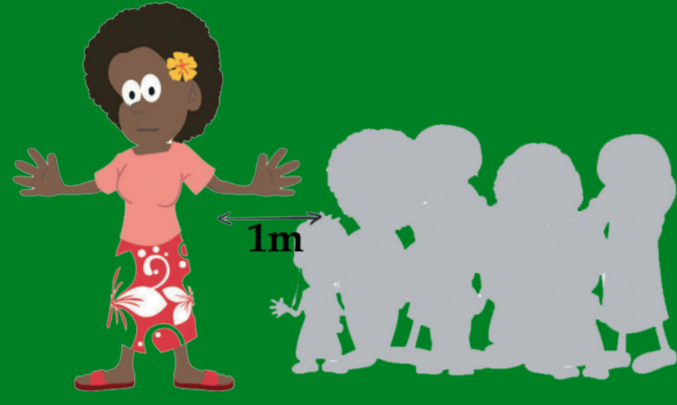
# Beating H1N1 together

## 1. Wash



Wash your hands frequently and thoroughly with soap and water

## 2. Avoid



Avoid close contact with people coughing and sneezing

## 3. Cover



Cover your mouth when you cough or sneeze. Wash your hands with soap

## 4. Stay



Stay at home if you are sick.

## 5. Care



Give a sick person a separate space at home and assign a single caregiver. Monitor the patient regularly.

## 6. Ventilate



Ensure proper ventilation of your home every day by opening up doors and windows regularly.

## 7. Breastfeed



Mothers, even if sick, are the best carers for infants and young children who are still being breast-fed

## 8. Masks



If you are close to sick people, use a mask or cloth to cover your mouth or nose. Replace masks and cloths often for maximum protection

## 9. Recover



Persons with flu like symptoms should take plenty of fluids and keep warm and dry

## 10. Seek



Seek medical attention only if the patient's condition worsens dramatically

## 11. Danger



Danger signs are: weakness, lethargy, unconsciousness, convulsions, very difficult/obstructed breathing or shortness of breath, inability to drink fluids, dehydration and high fever

Keep up to date through the media and public information services to stay informed.

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