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Staying safe from COVID-19 during winter

ANNEX – Infographic: Non-Pharmaceutical measures, ECDC¹

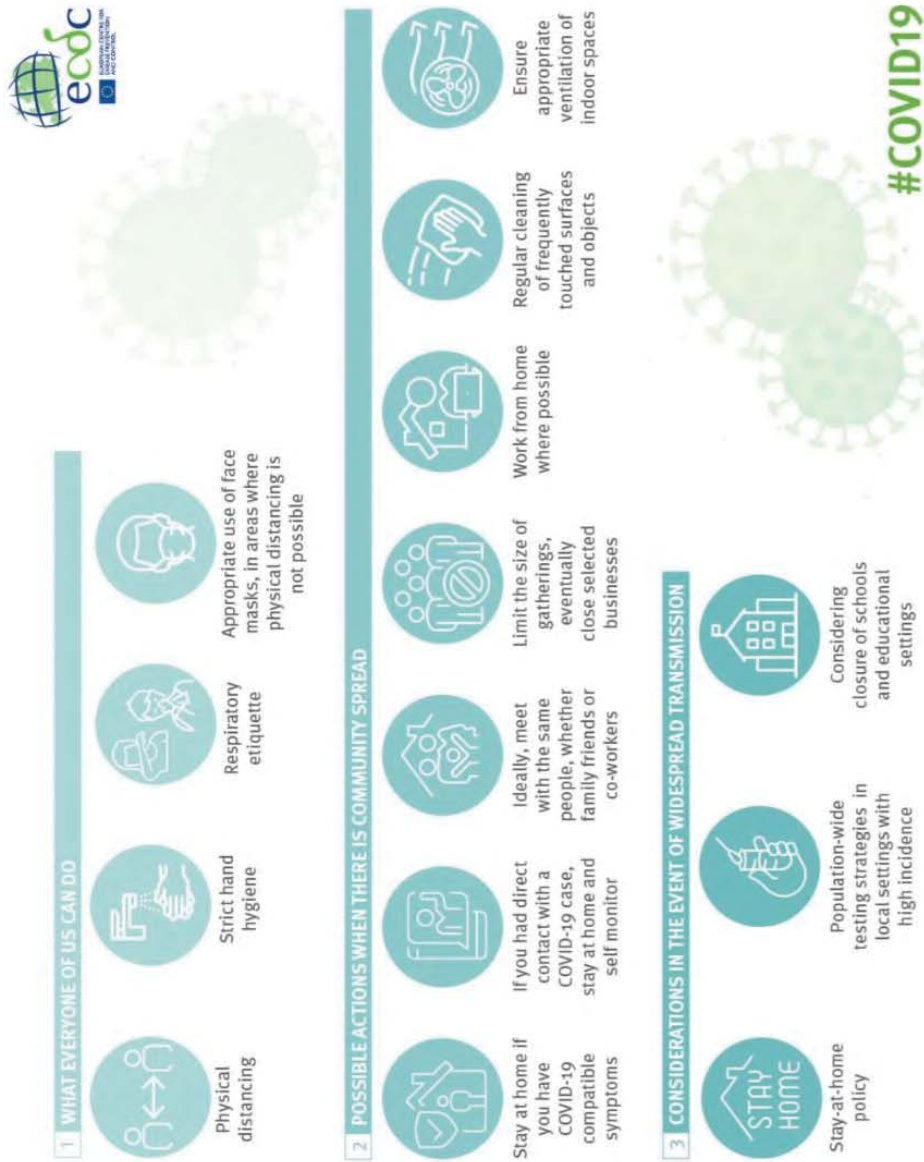
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Non-pharmaceutical interventions (NPI) are actions that people and communities can take to help slowing down the spread of viruses such as SARS-CoV-2. Such community mitigation strategies, ranging from individual actions such as regularly practising good hand hygiene to more restrictive measures like limiting size of gatherings, should ideally be implemented in combination and applied at the same time.

The mix of chosen NPI should differ based on the local transmission situation.

It can take several weeks before any implemented NPI might show an effect.

More on NPI and how to apply them: http://bit.ly/COVID19_NPIs



¹ <https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/publications-data/covid-19-guidelines-non-pharmaceutical-interventions>