

Can my foster animal spread COVID-19?



Good news! The CDC and the veterinary community have found no evidence that companion animals can spread COVID-19 to people, because the virus doesn't stay alive on pet fur for long.

In the rare cases where animals caught the virus, they likely got it from humans.

If you get sick, keep your pet safe!



Don't share food.



Avoid contact if possible.



If you have to care for your animal, wash your hands before and after any interactions.

Based on findings from the Center for Disease Control, American Veterinary Medical Association, Humane Society Veterinary Medical Association, World Health Organization and World Small Animal Veterinary Association.