

# 2020 Halloween in Milford: Guidelines from the Board of Health

### If you are trick-or-treating:

- Wear your cloth masks or face coverings with your costume.
  - Costume masks are not a substitute for your normal face covering or mask.
- Keep trick-or-treating groups small (maximum of 6 people).
- Do not gather in large groups.
- Allow other groups to leave a house before getting close.
- Only trick-or-treat with people from your household.
- Maintain at least six (6) feet of distance from people giving you candy.
- Bring hand sanitizer to clean your hands since you will not be able to wash hands.
- Quarantine the candy for 72 hours after trick-or-treating, if you want to be extra careful.

# If you are at home, welcoming trick-or-treaters:

- Wear a mask if you choose to answer the door or sit outside.
- Wash your hands before greeting anyone and between trick-or-treaters.
- Maintain six (6) feet of distance from trick-or-treaters:
  - Yeet the treats! (Yeet = throw)
    Extra points for successful catches or treats directly in the bags.
  - Offer grab and go! Stay inside, and place candy on tables or platters (or in a spider's web!) instead of in bowls so people can touch only some candy, not all of it.
- Provide hand sanitizer to trick-or-treaters.

# If you do not want trick-or-treaters:

• Leave your light off and no candy out. The monsters will find their treats elsewhere!

### Everyone should:

- Avoid indoor celebrations of any kind.
- Avoid large gatherings anywhere.
- Avoid settings where people might be screaming.
- Respect how other people choose to celebrate (or not).



