Coronavirus or COVID-19 is a new respiratory virus that spreads from person to person. Those with pre-existing conditions, such as black lung, are at higher risk. COVID-19 is spread through person to person contact. Symptoms include fever, cough, shortness of breath, new loss of smell and taste. Avoid unnecessary travel. Maintain social distancing in public spaces.

There are confirmed cases of the new COVID-19 variants in the US. You may get infected by touching a surface that has the virus on it. Symptoms include fever, cough, shortness of breath, new loss of smell and taste. Wash your hands frequently. Get the COVID-19 vaccine as soon as you are eligible.

Get tested immediately if you develop symptoms or have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19.