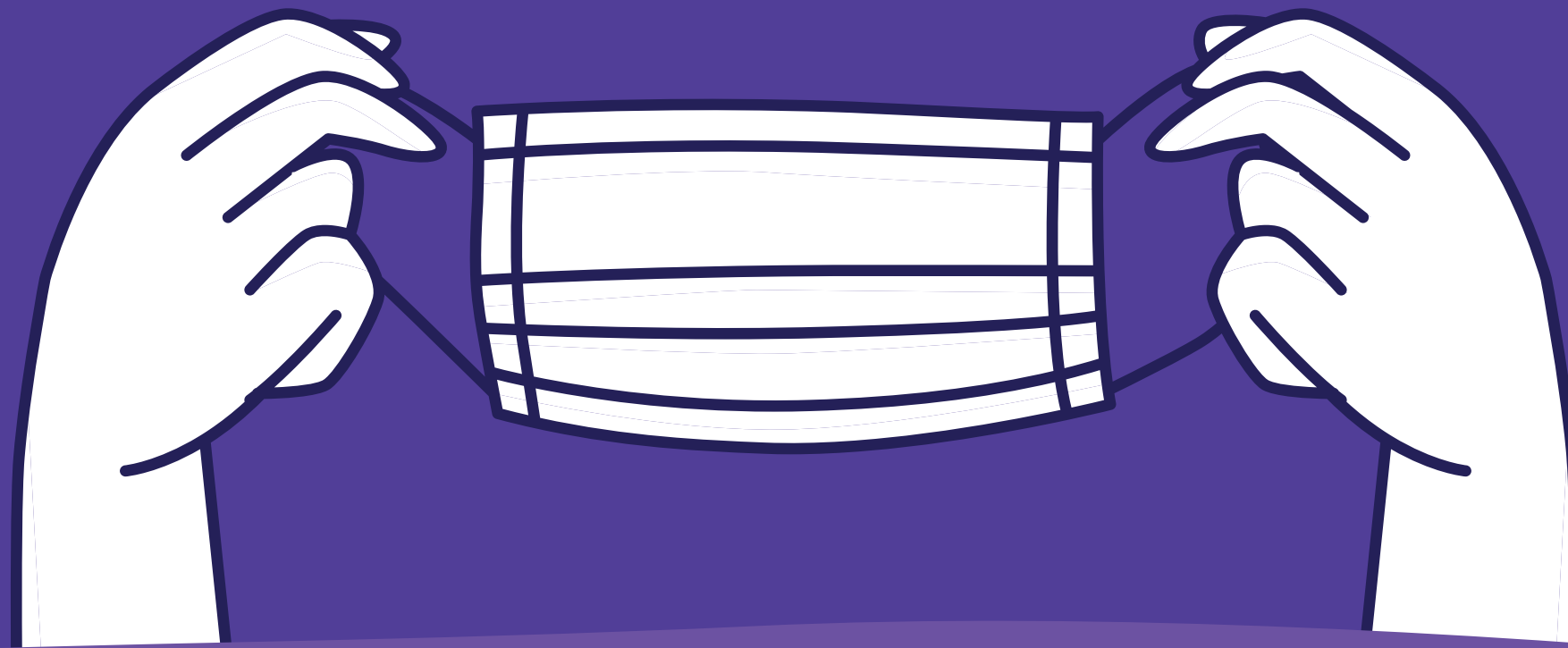# Gathering Safely During COVID-19

How can youth stay safe during COVID-19?

- **Get tested when you notice any COVID-19 symptoms**
- **Get vaccinated & boosted, if eligible**
- **If not fully vaccinated:**
  - **wear a mask***
  - **keep distanced**
  - **avoid large crowds and gatherings**

What are some safe choices to be social?

- **Hike or ski on a trail instead of exercising in a gym**
- **Pick up take out instead of eating in a restaurant**
- **Hang out with friends by a fire pit instead of playing video games inside**

Is it okay to go to concerts or large sporting events?

- **Small, outdoor gatherings are safer choices**
- **Indoor events are riskier than outdoor events**
- **Large, crowded events may increase your chances of being exposed to COVID-19**

How can I protect high-risk family members and friends?

- **Get tested when you notice any COVID-19 symptoms**
- **Get vaccinated & boosted, if you are eligible**
- **Wear a mask***
- **Keep distanced**
- **Visit and hang out outside when possible**

What type of mask* is recommended?

- **A mask of the highest quality possible**
- **Several layers**
- **Snug fit against your face**
- **One that is comfortable for you**

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