60-Second Version (Read by Elder)

I am ______ from ______.

Elders in my community know how important it is to protect against COVID-19. To stop the virus, we all must wear a face mask. Face masks that fully cover the nose and mouth and fit tightly on the sides of the face can block germs from entering and exiting the body and prevent someone who is sick from spreading the virus to others. Masks that do not cover the mouth and nose or are loose on the face will not block germs.

Masks should be worn any time anyone is around people who do not live in their household. Masks should also be worn in the home when someone at home has symptoms of COVID-19. Indoor gatherings with friends and family should be avoided. At outdoor gatherings, wear a mask and make sure to keep six feet of distance.

Stopping the spread of COVID-19 in our community is possible, but only if we all do our part. Visit CDC-dot-gov-slash-Coronavirus for more information.

30-Second Version (Read by Elder)

I am ______ from ______.

Elders in my community know how important it is to protect against COVID-19. Wearing a face mask is essential to stopping the virus. Face masks that cover the nose and mouth and fit tightly on the sides of the face can block germs from hurting others in our community.

Masks should be worn any time anyone is in public. Avoid gathering indoors with friends and family. At outdoor gatherings, wear a mask and keep six feet of distance.

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60-Second Version (Read by Youth or Young Adult)

I am _________ from ________.

Younger people like myself are an important part of protecting our community from COVID-19. To stop the virus, we all must wear a face mask. Face masks that fully cover the nose and mouth and fit tightly on the sides of the face can block germs from entering and exiting the body and prevent someone who is sick from spreading the virus to others. Masks that do not cover the mouth and nose or are loose on the face will not block germs.

Younger people can be major spreaders of the virus, so it’s important for us to wear our masks when we are around people who don’t live with us at home. We also must avoid gathering indoors with friends and family. At outdoor gatherings, wearing mask and keeping six feet of distance are essential to keep everyone safe.

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30-Second Version (Read by Youth or Young Adult)

I am _________ from ________.

Younger people are essential to protecting our community from COVID-19. To stop the virus, we all must wear a face mask. Face masks that cover the nose and mouth and fit tightly on the sides of the face can block germs from infecting others.

Masks should be worn any time we are in public. Avoid gathering indoors with friends and family. At outdoor gatherings, wear a mask and keep six feet of distance.

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