

Ebola workers use chlorine spray to kill viruses like Ebola.



Chlorine is a chemical used to clean. It is mixed with water to kill germs and viruses like Ebola.

- You may be able to smell chlorine but the smell is not dangerous.

Chlorine spray will not harm you.

- Burial teams, ambulance workers, health care workers and other Ebola responders use a strong chlorine spray to kill Ebola in ambulances, at the patient's home, and at burial sites.
- Healthcare workers know how to mix chlorine safely so that it kills germs and protects you.



Ambulances take sick people to get medical care at a clinic, hospital, or Ebola Treatment Unit.

Ambulances are the best and safest way to get medical care.

- Ambulance drivers will treat you with respect.
- Ambulance drivers have been asked to turn off their sirens, though some drivers may keep them on.
- Sirens are not harmful. They are loud because they want to warn people and vehicles to not get in the way.



Ambulance teams wear protective clothing to keep you, others, and themselves safe while working with sick people.

- ✓ The ambulance team will help you if cannot walk on your own.
- ✓ When you are in the ambulance, the ambulance team may start giving you medical care.

Ambulance teams use chlorine to kill Ebola. Chlorine spray will not harm you.

- ✓ The ambulance will smell like chlorine, but it is still safe to breathe.
- ✓ The stretcher is cleaned with chlorine after each patient leaves, so the stretcher will be clean and safe for the next person.