



ATHENS COMMUNITY COUNCIL ON AGING

Age Well. Live Well.

As we all shelter in place, we love hearing how neighbors are helping neighbors including running errands for older friends. We want these acts of kindness to continue, but we also want to make sure everyone is staying safe while doing so.

Working with public health experts, we have developed a safe, no contact home delivery protocol for ensuring the best way to keep both you and the senior you are visiting safe.

Please follow the below procedures to ensure a safe delivery.

- Open your trunk or rear back seat where the items are being kept.
- **Thoroughly cleanse your hands with sanitizer.**
- Remove the item or bag of groceries without touching any other surface.
- Place the item/s on the porch and then knock on the door.
- Immediately step back at least 6 feet.
- Wait for your neighbor to come to the door, have a quick chat and make sure they are doing ok.
- Return to your vehicle and cleanse your hands with sanitizer.

**Thank you for thinking of the older seniors in your community.  
Even while practicing social distancing, you are providing  
reassurance!**

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