

## Sesame Street Offers “New Normal” Brainwashing for the Very Young and Vulnerable

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*“Hello everybody! It’s your old pal Grover with some health tips...” begins the spindly blue monster in a [Sesame Street PSA](#).*

*After teaching kids to wash their hands Grover transitions into some new normal brainwashing: “Another way for everyone to stay healthy is by practicing physical distance and staying six feet away from people in public. That is right, six cute little feet like this...”*

Grover takes a step to his left, yells and slips on the soap he dropped during his hand washing class. When his furry blue head appears on camera again a pink mask is draped overtop.

“Here’s another tip to stay healthy,” he continues with [dwindling scientific efficacy](#). “Wear a mask in public to protect yourself and others.... You should wear a mask securely on your face covering your mouth and nose. Everyone can do their part to stay healthy and...” He then slips again.

This clumsy puppet also makes a guest appearance on World Economic Forum’s [The Great Reset Podcast](#) where he offers more dehumanizing advice to lonely and depressed children in lockdown: “At first it was hard when nobody could go to school. And I could not visit my friends like Elmo or, well, even Oscar the Grouch. But then we learned to have video play time; which was a lot of fun and made us feel better.”

In [Your Guide to the Great Reset](#), James Corbett sums up “this propaganda for the whole family” rather succinctly: “Remember kids, wash your hands, wear a mask and keep six feet away from other human beings — because they are icky, biological being that can shed their disgusting viruses around you and we have to be protected at all times. Yay!”

Rather appropriately, the [Muppet Wiki](#) says that Grover “loves to help people, but is very bad at it.” This appears to be the case when we can consider that there is [no evidence social distancing works](#) and [SickKids](#) warns it “could cause significant psychological harm.” Likewise, masks have [many known and potential harms](#), including [tooth decay](#). And “video play,” formerly known as “screen time,” is the very thing the [Journal of Pediatrics](#) attributes to rising obesity among teens; and the [Journal of Mental Health](#) cites as a major cause of depression among youngsters.

Hey Grover! what about [time-tested health advice](#) like running around and playing ball,

eating your vegetables and getting kids to bed before nine?

Just goes to show you and your children shouldn't take health advice from a propaganda puppet — whether it looks like a monster, government official or a newscaster.

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