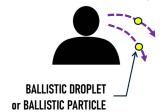


ROUTES OF TRANSMISSION OF SARS-CoV-2

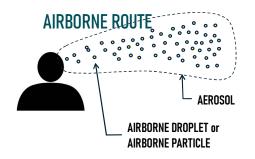
The bulk of the fluid is in the big droplets

BALLISTIC ROUTE



- · Trajectories are governed by gravity.
- · Fall quickly to a few meters.
- Do not travel long distances.

The bulk of the virus is in the small aerosols



- · Is suspended in the air, sometimes for hours.
- · Trajectories are influenced by airflow.
- Can cover long distances.

BIGGER

RESPIRATORY PARTICLES

smaller

90% of total exhaled fluid volume

80% of total SARS-CoV-2 RNA exhaled

Transmission routes

a virosol is a virus-laden aerosol

https://aerosol.nsysu.edu.tw/en/scopes/108