

Since *Shigella* is found in the feces, people with diarrhea should not return to work. People may return to school or work when they no longer have diarrhea. People who handle food, should be treated, and have no *Shigella* in stool cultures) before they return to work.

What can be done to prevent the spread of *Shigella*?

Everyone should carefully wash their hands after using the toilet.