Dallas County reports 100 new positive COVID-19 cases

As of 10 a.m. April 1, 2020, DCHHS is reporting 100 additional positive cases of COVID-19, bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 731. The 14th and 15th deaths from COVID-19 are being reported, including a man in his 50’s who was a resident of the city of Mesquite, and a woman in her 80’s who was a resident of the city of Garland. These individuals had been critically ill in area hospitals.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends taking everyday preventive actions to help prevent the spread of respiratory diseases, including:

- Staying at home when you are sick, except to seek medical care.
- Washing your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Help young children to do the same. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipes.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash. If you do not have a tissue, use your sleeve or your elbow, not your hands.

Census Day in America

April 1 is Census Day in America - a key reference date for the 2020 Census. When you respond to the Census, you’ll tell the Census Bureau where you live as of April 1, 2020, and include everyone who usually lives and sleeps in your home. Please respond as soon as you can.
Responses for the 2020 Census can be made online, by phone, or by mail. When responding online, you will be prompted to enter your unique Census ID. This ID number acts like a PIN and can be found on the Census Bureau invitation to respond. However, if you do not have this ID number, you can also respond by using your address.

For more information, visit the Census Bureau's [website](#).

**Help for local businesses**

If you are a local business and need assistance, please click this button for a list of resources.

**Support Local Businesses**

- Purchase a gift card to use for another time.
- Schedule a service for a later date.
- Give your favorite local businesses a shout-out on your social media channels.
- Order take-out or delivery from a local restaurant.
- Share your experiences via social media or online reviews.

**Amended and executive Orders: March 31**

Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins amended the shelter-in-place Order on March 31, adding language for laboratory reporting, safety rules for essential businesses, and language clarifying that COVID-19 causes property loss or damage.

Judge Jenkins also issued an executive Order that orders all Dallas County departments in possession of unused or unneeded medical equipment and supplies to provide the unused or unneeded medical equipment and supplies to nursing homes, long term care facilities, organizations serving homeless individuals, and hospitals in Dallas County. This Order exempts departments that are in possession of equipment and supplies that are needed for Dallas County's ongoing operations. It is also ordered that Dallas County departments who receive a donation of medical supplies or equipment to immediately notify the Dallas County Emergency Operations Center.
Summary of Changes: March 31 amended Order

1. Added Laboratory Reporting Language
   - All public, private, and commercial laboratories operating within Dallas County and performing COVID-19 testing shall report by 5:00 p.m. each day for the prior 24-hour period:
     i. The number of COVID-19 tests performed; and
     ii. The number of positive COVID-19 tests.

2. Added Safety Rules for Essential Retailers
   - All essential retail establishments, including grocery stores, gas stations, and pet supplies stores must follow the safety rules set out in Exhibit A (see Order below)

3. Added language clarifying that COVID-19 causes property loss or damage.
   - This clarification helps trigger business interruption insurance.

March 31 amended Order
AMENDED ORDER OF COUNTY JUDGE CLAY JENKINS

Stay Home Stay Safe
DATE AMENDED ORDER ISSUED: March 31, 2020

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108, Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins issued a Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency on March 12, 2020, due to a novel coronavirus now designated SARS-CoV2 which causes the disease COVID-19;

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020, Judge Jenkins issued an Order in furtherance of his authority to protect the safety and welfare of the public by slowing the spread of the virus;

WHEREAS, the on-going evaluation of circumstances related to the virus and the updated recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and the Texas Department of State Health Services warrant the March 12, 2020 Order of County Judge Clay Jenkins be amended;

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Trump acknowledged the gravity of the COVID-19 pandemic, releasing strict new guidelines to limit people’s interactions, including that Americans should avoid groups of more than 10 people;

WHEREAS, The COVID-19 virus causes property loss or damage due to its ability to attach to surfaces for prolonged periods of time; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, the Dallas County Commissioners Court issued an Order of Continuance of Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency that affirmed the activation of the Dallas County Emergency Management Plan and extends the Declaration of Local Disaster until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, unless rescinded by order of the Commissioners Court.

THEREFORE, the March 12, 2020, Order of County Judge Clay Jenkins is hereby AMENDED as follows:

Summary: The virus that causes 2019 Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) is easily transmitted through person to person contact, especially in group settings, and it is essential that the spread of the virus be slowed to protect the ability of public and private health care providers to handle the influx of new patients and safeguard public health and safety. Because of the risk of the rapid spread of the virus, and the need to protect the most vulnerable members of the community, this Order requires all individuals anywhere in Dallas County to shelter in place – that is, stay at home – except for certain essential activities and work to provide essential business and government services or perform essential public infrastructure construction, including housing. This Order takes effect at 11:59 p.m. on March 31, 2020 and will continue through 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, subject to the limited exceptions and under the terms and conditions more particularly set forth below.

UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE
SECTION 418.108, DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE CLAY JENKINS ORDERS:

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1. Effective as of 11:59 p.m. on March 31, 2020, and continuing until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020:

(a) All individuals currently living within Dallas County are ordered to shelter at their place of residence. For the purposes of this Order, residences include hotels, motels, shared rentals, and similar facilities. To the extent individuals are using shared or outdoor spaces, they must at all times as reasonably as possible maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any other person when they are outside their residence. All persons may leave their residences only for Essential Activities, or to provide or perform Essential Governmental Functions, or to operate Essential Businesses, all as defined in Section 2.

(b) All businesses operating within Dallas County, except Essential Businesses as defined in below in Section 2, are required to cease all activities at facilities located within the County except Minimum Basic Operations as defined in Section 2. For charity, businesses may continue operations consisting exclusively of employees or contractors performing activities at their own residences (i.e. working from home). To the greatest extent possible, all Essential Businesses shall comply with the Social Distancing Rules attached, including maintaining six feet social distancing for both employees and the general public.

(c) All public or private gatherings of any number of people occurring outside a single household or living unit are prohibited, except as otherwise provided herein. Nothing in this Order prohibits the gathering of members of a household or living unit.

(d) All elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures are prohibited anywhere in Dallas County. Hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers, dental offices, and other medical facilities are directed to identify procedures that are deemed “elective” by assessing which procedures can be postponed or cancelled based on patient risk considering the emergency need for redirection of resources to COVID-19 response.

2. Definitions:

a. For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence only to perform any of the following “Essential Activities”:
   i. To engage in activities or perform tasks essential to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (for example, obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, or obtaining supplies need to work from home).
   ii. To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members, or to deliver those services or supplies to others (for example, food, pet supply, and any other household consumer products, and products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences).
   iii. To engage in outdoor activity, provided the individuals comply with social distancing requirements of six feet (for example, walking, biking, hiking, running, golfing, and tennis).
iv. To perform work providing essential products and services at an Essential Business or to otherwise carry out activities specifically permitted in this Order.

v. To care for a family member or pet in another household.

vi. To move to another residence either in or outside Dallas County.

vii. To engage in “Essential Travel,” which includes travel for any of the following purposes: (1) travel related to the provisions of or access to Essential Activities, Essential Governmental Functions, Essential Businesses, Essential Critical Infrastructure, and Minimum Basic Operation; (2) travel to care for elderly, minors, dependents, persons with disabilities, or other vulnerable persons; (3) travel to or from educational institutions for purposes of receiving materials for distance learning, for receiving meals, and any other related services; (4) travel to return to a place of residence from outside the jurisdiction; (5) travel required by law enforcement or court order; (6) travel by church staff or clergy for the purpose of production of remote delivery of religious services and other ministries requiring travel; (7) travel related to attending a funeral service; or (8) travel required for non-residents to return to their place of residence outside the County.

b. For purposes of this Order, “Essential Businesses” means:

i. Essential Healthcare Operations. Healthcare Operations includes but is not limited to hospitals, clinics, dentists, chiropractors, physical therapy, optometry offices, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, other healthcare facilities, healthcare suppliers, mental health providers, substance abuse service providers, blood banks, medical research, laboratory services, certified doula, or any related and/or ancillary healthcare services. Home-based and residential-based care for seniors, adults, or children are also considered healthcare operations. Healthcare operations also includes veterinary care and all health and welfare services provided to animals. This exemption shall be viewed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare. Healthcare operations do not include elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures as established in accordance with Subsection 1(f) of this Order.

ii. Essential Governmental Functions. All services provided by local governments needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government agencies to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the public. Each governmental body will determine its Essential Governmental Functions and identify the employees and/or contractors necessary to the performance of those functions. Further, nothing in this order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing “Essential Governmental Functions.” All Essential Governmental Functions shall be performed in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet, to the extent possible. This Order does not apply to Federal or State Government.
iii. **Essential Critical Infrastructure.** All public and private facilities and assets, including both physical and cyber systems, and other functions and sectors vital to the security, governance, and public health, safety of Dallas County. Critical infrastructure includes, but is not limited to, utilities such as electricity, gas, water and wastewater, roads and highways, public transportation, solid waste and recycle collection and removal, oil refining, and national security-related operations, and manufacturing operations supplying essential items to Essential Businesses, Essential Governmental Functions, and Critical Infrastructure. Critical Infrastructure employers should implement screening precautions to protect employees and all activity shall be performed in compliance with social distancing guidelines attached. For reference, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security in its Guidance on the Essential Critical Infrastructure Workforce, Version 2.0, can be found here: [https://www.dhs.gov/publication/guidance-essential-critical-infrastructure-workforce](https://www.dhs.gov/publication/guidance-essential-critical-infrastructure-workforce)

iv. **Stores that Sell Groceries and Other Essential Supplies.** Grocery stores, supermarkets, warehouse stores, big-box stores, bodegas, liquor stores, convenience stores, and farmers’ markets that sell food products and household consumer products (such as cleaning and personal care products). This includes stores that sell groceries and also sell other non-grocery products. The sale of self-service food items is prohibited. Stores that sell groceries and other essential supplies shall comply with the Rules for Essential Retail Establishments set out in Exhibit A.

v. **Restaurants.** Restaurants with or without drive-in or drive-through services and microbreweries, micro-distilleries, or wineries may only provide take out, delivery, or drive-through services as allowed by law. In-person service is prohibited. Customers may order and pay inside, but are prohibited from waiting inside the restaurant for their food. All food must be brought outside to customers. To allow for increased access to restaurants, this Order hereby suspends all laws and regulations prohibiting people from walking in a drive-through.

vi. **Food Cultivation.** Food cultivation, including farming, fishing, and livestock.

vii. **Delivery of Groceries and Essential Supplies.** Businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, hygiene products, and essential supplies directly to residences or essential businesses.

viii. **Transportation.** Operation, maintenance, and repair of airlines, taxis, and other private transportation providers (such as Uber and Lyft) that provide transportation services necessary for the performance of essential activities and essential travel.

ix. **Gas Stations and Businesses Needed for Transportation.** Gas stations, auto-supply stores, auto-repair, and bicycle repair. Auto-dealerships, for in-person mechanical services or to complete an online transaction on an appointment basis only. Gas stations and convenience stores are prohibited
from selling self-service food items. Gas stations and businesses needed for transportation shall comply with the Rules for Essential Retail Establishments set out in Exhibit A.

x. **Critical Trades.** Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, janitors, lawn care services, pool cleaners, maintenance and security, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operations of residences, Essential Businesses, Essential Government Functions, and Critical Infrastructure. Critical Trade does not include discretionary maintenance or improvements. Union representatives and their staff for the purpose of performing critical labor union functions, including the maintenance of health and welfare funds and checking on the well-being and safety of members.

Construction. Construction for public works, residential, commercial, and schools. Elective additions and maintenance are prohibited. Protecting construction worker from the spread of COVID19 is extremely important for their safety and for public health, all construction sites must follow the COVID-19 Safety Recommendations issued by the Construction Industry Safety Coalition, including, but not limited to, the Rules for Construction Industry set out in Exhibit B. Failure to strictly comply with this Order can result in penalties described below. Additionally, the general contractor and non-compliant subcontractor can be removed from the essential business list.

xi. **Professional Services.** Professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legally mandated activities or services necessary to avoid imminent harm to a client. Real estate and inspection services, but only for the purpose of title work and closing; in-person open houses and showings are prohibited.

xii. **Financial Institutions.** Banks and related depository financial institutions, credit unions, insurance companies, title companies, payroll and accounting services. Non-depository institutions (such as payday lenders) are prohibited.

xiii. **Information Technology Services/Telecommunications Services.** IT and IT services and their essential service vendors, including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services, and critical manufacturing, as well as telecommunications services, internet access and broadband/communications services.

xiv. **Essential Retail.** Laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers, hardware stores, and related facilities. Firearm and ammunition suppliers and retailers for purposes of safety and security. Hardware stores and business that sell electrical, plumbing, and other materials necessary to support Essential Businesses, and Essential Government Functions, and Critical Infrastructure. Essential retail establishments shall comply with the Rules for Essential Retail Establishments set out in Exhibit A.
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xv. **Hotels and Motels**. Hotels and motels, to the extent used for lodging or delivery or carry-out food services.

xvi. **Providers of Basic Necessities to Economically Disadvantaged Populations**. Businesses or organizations that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals.

xvii. **Essential Services Necessary to Maintain Essential Operations of Residences or Other Essential Businesses**. Businesses or services that supply other Essential Businesses, Essential Government Businesses, and Critical Infrastructure with the support or supplies needed to operate; including but not limited to mail, shipping and delivery services, warehouse/distribution and fulfillment, storage, moving services, janitorial services, laundry services, computer, audio or video electronics, sanitary equipment, and medical equipment. To the extent possible, services shall be provided in compliance with Social Distancing Rules attached, including distancing of six feet and routine use of hand sanitizer.

xviii. **Supplies to Work From Home**. Businesses that supply products needed for people to work from home.

xix. **Public and Private Education**. Public and private educational institutions, only for the purposes of facilitating distance learning or performing essential functions, provided compliance with the Social Distancing Rules is maintained.

xx. **News Media**. Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services.

xxi. **Childcare Services**. Childcare facilities providing services or community service providers offering childcare services under the following mandatory conditions:

   1. Childcare services shall only be provided to employees of Essential Businesses;
   2. Childcare must be carried out in stable groups of 12 or fewer ("stable" means that the same 12 or fewer children are in the same group each day);
   3. Children shall not change from one group to another;
   4. If more than one group of children is cared for at one facility, each group shall be in a separate room. Groups shall not mix with each other;
   5. Childcare providers shall remain solely with one group of children.

xxii. **Animal Care Services**. Animal shelters, veterinary care, and pet food and supply stores. Grooming, if necessary for the health and well-being of the animal. Pet daycare, but only for employees of Essential Businesses. To the greatest extent possible, all services must be performed in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet. Pet food and supply stores shall comply with the Rules for Essential Retail Establishments set out in Exhibit A.
xxiii. Religious and Worship Services. Religious and worship services may only be provided by audio, video, and teleconference. Religious institutions must limit in-person staff to ten (10) people or less at one time, and twenty-five (25) people total per day, when preparing for or conducting video or teleconference services, and all individuals must follow the Social Distancing Rules including the six feet social distancing.

xxiv. Funeral Services. Funeral, mortuary, cremation, burial, cemetery, and related services, provided that social distancing of six feet per person is maintained to the greatest extent possible.

c. For purposes of this Order, Minimum Basic Operations means the following, provided that employees comply with the Social Distancing Rules:
   i. The minimum necessary activities to maintain the value of the business's inventory, ensure security, process payroll and employee benefits, or for related functions.
   ii. The minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their residences.

3. The Dallas County Sheriff's Office, the Dallas County Fire Marshal's Office, and other peace officers, are hereby authorized to enforce this Order. A violation of this order may be punishable through criminal or civil enforcement. A violation of this Order is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed $1,000 and/or confinement in jail for a term not to exceed 180 days.

4. Any manufacturer who retools their business for the purpose of manufacturing and producing ventilators, masks, personal protective equipment, or any supply necessary for Essential Healthcare Operations may apply for an “essential business” exemption under this Order. Submit requests for an exemption to BusinessCOVID19@dallascounty.org.

5. All public, private, and commercial laboratories operating within Dallas County and performing COVID-19 testing shall report by 5:00 p.m. each day for the prior 24-hour period:
   a. The number of COVID-19 tests performed; and
   b. The number of positive COVID-19 tests.

Reports shall be made to Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins at Clay.Jenkins@dallascounty.org and Dallas County Health and Human Services Director Dr. Philip Huang at Philip.Huang@dallascounty.org. Reporting laboratories shall not provide names or any other identifiable health information that could be used to identify an individual patient.

6. Under this Order, no person shall sell any of the following goods or services for more than the regular retail price the person charged for the goods or services on March 16, 2020, except where an increased retail price is the result of increased supplier or other costs (including the loss of supplier supporting funds):
   a. groceries, beverages, toilet articles, and ice;
   b. restaurant, cafeteria, and boarding-house meals; and
   c. medicine, pharmaceutical and medical equipment, and supplies.
7. Grocery stores, supermarkets, warehouse stores, hospitals, and medical facilities are experiencing high levels of demand for a large number of products, requiring more deliveries from manufacturers and distribution centers to serve their customers. A number of Texas cities and local associations have implemented restrictions on delivery hours to stores to mitigate truck noise and traffic. Due to the need to deliver products as quickly and efficiently as possible during this critical timeframe, this Order hereby suspends all delivery hour restrictions for transport to or from any entity involved in the selling or distribution of food products, medicine, or medical supplies in Dallas County for the next 60 days.

8. Due to increased demand for bath or toilet tissue resulting from stock up buying and individuals who purchase for resell, a mandatory limit on toilet paper sales is instituted until the supply chain meets the demand or two weeks, whichever comes first. All sales of bath or toilet tissue occurring in Dallas County are limited to the greater of: (a) twelve (12) rolls per purchase or (b) one (1) package per purchase.

9. Due to the public health emergency, the Office of the Dallas County Judge hereby advises the Dallas County Justices of the Peace to suspend eviction hearings and writs of possession for at least the next 60 days to prevent renters from being displaced.

10. If someone in a household has tested positive for coronavirus, the household is ordered to isolate at home. Members of the household cannot go to work, school, or any other community function, except for workers included in Essential Healthcare Operations who may continue to work in accordance with CDC guidance.

11. Nursing homes, retirement, and long-term care facilities are instructed by this Order to prohibit non-essential visitors from accessing their facilities unless to provide critical assistance or for end-of-life visitation.

12. Public and private schools and institutions of higher education are instructed by this Order to provide a safety plan to Dallas County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management 72 hours before students return to a classroom setting.

13. Additionally, the Office of the Dallas County Judge and the Health Authority instructs all employees to remain at home if sick. Employees of private businesses and nonprofits with six (6) or more employees in the City of Dallas can use their paid sick leave when they are sick or to care for sick family members.

14. This Order shall be in effect until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, or until it is either rescinded, superseded, or amended pursuant to applicable law.

15. The County of Dallas must promptly provide copies of this Order by posting on the Dallas County Health and Human Services website. In addition, the owner, manager, or operator of any facility that is likely to be impacted by this Order is strongly encouraged to post a copy of this Order onsite and to provide a copy to any member of the public asking for a copy. If any subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this Order or any application of it to any person, structure, gathering, or circumstance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, then such decision will not affect the validity of the remaining portions or applications of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED

CLAY JENKINS

DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE
EXHIBIT A

Rules for Essential Retailers

This document provides guidance for persons and business associated with essential retail on the meaning and application of Order issued by Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins on March 31, 2020 (the “Order”).

Reason for Rules. The purpose of these rules is to outline the steps that every employer and employee must take to reduce the risk of exposure to COVID-19. The rules describe how to prevent worker exposure to coronavirus and protective measures to be taken in all establishments.

Definition of Essential Retailers.

1. Stores that Sell Groceries and Other Essential Supplies. Grocery stores, supermarkets, warehouse stores, big-box stores, bodegas, liquor stores, convenience stores, and farmers' markets that sell food products and household consumer products (such as cleaning and personal care products). This includes stores that sell groceries and also sell other non-grocery products.

2. Gas Stations and Businesses Needed for Transportation. Gas stations, auto-supply stores, auto-repair, and bicycle repair. Auto-dealerships, for in-person mechanical services or to complete an online transaction on an appointment basis only.

3. Other Essential Retailers. Pet food and supply stores. Laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers, hardware stores, and related facilities. Firearm and ammunition suppliers and retailers for purposes of safety and security. Hardware stores and business that sell electrical, plumbing, and other materials necessary to support Essential Businesses, and Essential Government Functions, and Critical Infrastructure.

Safety Rules for All Essential Retailers. All employers involved in essential retail activity must follow the requirements set forth in the rules below:

1. All workers must take their temperature at their residence before going to an Essential Retailer. If a worker has a temperature above 99.6 degrees Fahrenheit, then they are prohibited from going to an essential retailer or other place of business, and must remain at their residence;

2. To the greatest extent possible and as equipment becomes available, an Essential Retailer must implement a system whereby supervisors must check the temperature of all workers and contractors with a forehead thermometer before the worker begins work. If a worker has a temperature above 99.6 degrees Fahrenheit, then they are to be sent home immediately;

3. Gatherings during meals or breaks are prohibited;

4. Workers must keep a 6 foot distance between people at all times, unless the work being performed requires multiple individuals for the safety of the workers;

5. Employers must allow non-essential personnel to work from home when possible;

6. Employers must provide soap and water, or hand sanitizer if no soap or water is available, in the workplace, including all restrooms and food preparation areas. Ensure that adequate supplies are maintained;
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7. Workers must wash their hands for at least twenty (20) seconds before beginning work, before any food preparation, before and after the use of shared items, after any meal or restroom breaks, and immediately prior to the end of the work shift.

8. Rest breaks of at least fifteen (15) minutes for every four (4) hours worked must be provided so workers may follow hygiene guidelines;

9. There shall be no adverse action taken against a worker who has, due to possible exposure to coronavirus, (1) been quarantined or advised to self-quarantine; (2) have not reported to work because the worker has a temperature of 99.6 degrees or higher; and (3) requested to use paid sick leave under the employer’s policy; and

10. Employers must designate both a member of management as the COVID-19 Safety Monitor and a senior hourly worker (that is not a member of management) as the COVID-19 Vice Safety Monitor on each store to have the authority to work together to enforce these rules. Employers in unionized workplaces should consult with the employee’s representatives on this designation.

General Rules for Essential Retailers.
1. Employers shall implement an organized line system where workers, customers, and other persons are not less than six feet apart at all times;
2. To the greatest extent practicable, designate shopping times for at risk populations (seniors, pregnant people, and people with underlying health conditions);
3. To the greatest extent possible, implement a system to restrict the number of customers who are physically present at an Essential Retailer so that six foot spacing may be maintained;
4. Employers shall implement purchase limits on high-demand items (toilet paper, soap, hand sanitizer);
5. To the greatest extent possible, employers shall offer pick up services or delivery services of grocery items and other essential supplies; and
6. Self-service food stations are prohibited. Self-service stations are defined as items that customers use common serving utensils to serve themselves, including but not limited to, salad bars, hot dog stands, self-service bulk food items, and other related food items. This section does not apply to self-checkout stations, so long as the checkout stations are cleaned at least every 30 minutes.

Enforcement. Failure to strictly comply with this Order can result in penalties described below. Additionally, any essential retailer who fails to comply with these rules can be removed from the essential business list.
EXHIBIT B

Rules for the Construction Industry

This document provides guidance for persons and business associated with the building and construction industries and trades on the meaning and application of Order issued by Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins on March 29, 2020 (the “Order”).

Reason for Construction Rules. The purpose of these rules is to outline the steps that every employer and employee must take to reduce the risk of exposure to COVID-19. The rules describe how to prevent worker exposure to coronavirus, protective measures to be taken on the jobsite, and cleaning and disinfecting procedures.

Construction as Critical Infrastructure. The Order classified construction for public works, residential, commercial, and schools as critical infrastructure. Elective additions and maintenance are prohibited.

Requirements for Construction. All employers involved in construction activity must follow the requirements set forth in the COVID-19 Safety Recommendations issued by the Construction Industry Safety Coalition, including the rules below:

1. All workers and contractors (hereafter referred to as “workers”) must take their temperature at their residence. If a worker has a temperature above 99.6 degrees Fahrenheit, then they are prohibited from going to work and must remain at their residence.
2. To the greatest extent possible, implement a system whereby supervisors must check the temperature of all workers and contractors with a forehead thermometer before the worker begins work. If a worker or contractor has a temperature above 99.6 degrees Fahrenheit, then they are to be sent home immediately.
3. To the greatest extent possible, shift work must be implemented such that each shift shall have no more than fifty percent (50%) of the workers who were on shift on March 16, 2020. Once assigned to a shift, workers shall not change from one shift to another.
4. To the greatest extent possible, limit crossover of subcontractors;
5. Gatherings during meals or breaks are prohibited;
6. Workers must keep a 6 foot distance between people at all times, unless the work being performed requires multiple individuals for the safety of the workers;
7. Workers must not use a common water cooler. Employers shall provide individual water bottles or instruct workers to bring their own;
8. Employers must allow non-essential personnel to work from home when possible;
9. Employers must provide soap and water and hand sanitizer in the workplace, including all restrooms. Ensure that adequate supplies are maintained;
10. If running water is available at the site, workers must wash their hands for at least twenty (20) seconds before beginning work, when they remove gloves, and before and after the use of shared items such as tools or multi-user devices, before and after any meal or restroom breaks, and when their shift or work time ends.
11. Rest breaks of at least fifteen (15) minutes for every four (4) hours worked must be provided so workers may follow hygiene guidelines;
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12. Employers must provide one (1) working flushing toilet for every fifteen (15) workers on site or one (1) outdoor portable toilet for every 10 workers on site;
13. There shall be no adverse action taken against an employee who has been quarantined, or advised to self-quarantine, due to possible exposure to coronavirus; and
14. Employers must designate a COVID-19 safety monitor on each site who has the authority to enforce these rules;

Enforcement. Failure to strictly comply with this Order can result in penalties described below. Additionally, the general contractor and non-compliant subcontractor can be removed from the essential business list.
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DCHHS Social Distancing Rules

1) Vulnerable Populations: Limit Outings
   • Vulnerable populations include people who are:
     o 60 years old and older.
     o People with certain health conditions such as heart disease, lung disease, diabetes, kidney disease and weakened immune systems.
   • For vulnerable populations, don’t go to gatherings unless it is essential. Stay home. Avoid people who are sick.

2) Workplace and Businesses: Minimize Exposure
   • Suspend nonessential employee travel.
   • Ensure employees practice social distancing and do not work within six feet of one another.
   • Urge essential employees to stay home when they are sick and maximize flexibility in sick leave benefits.
   • Do not require a doctor’s note for employees who are sick.
   • Maximize telecommuting options.
   • Persons who need to be at work to provide essential services of great benefit to the community must take steps in their workplace to minimize risk.

3) Cancel Non-essential Events
   • Cancel non-essential events.
   • Do not attend any events or gatherings if sick.
   • For events that aren’t cancelled, we recommend:
     o Having hand washing capabilities, hand sanitizers and tissues available.
     o Frequently cleaning high touch surface areas like counter tops and hand rails.
     o Finding ways to implement social distancing.

4) Schools: Safety First
   • Do not have your child attend school if sick.
   • If you have a child with chronic health conditions, consult the child’s doctor about school attendance.
   • Schools should equip all classrooms with hand sanitizers and tissues.
   • Recommend rescheduling or cancelling events that are not essential.
   • Explore remote teaching and online options to continue learning.
   • Schools should develop a plan for citywide school closures, and families should prepare for further closures.

5) Transit: Cleaning and Protection
   • Increase cleaning of vehicles and high touch surface areas.
   • Provide hand washing/hand sanitizers and tissues in stations and on vehicles.
   • Ensure social distancing practices are implemented to the full extent possible.
6) Health Care Settings: Avoid as possible, protect the vulnerable
- Long-term care facilities should have a COVID-19 plan in accordance with CDC or state guidelines.
- Long-term care facilities should restrict all visitation except for certain compassionate care situations, such as end of life situations.
- The general public should avoid going to medical settings such as hospitals, nursing homes and long-term care facilities, even if you are not ill.
- If you are ill, call your health care provider ahead of time, and you may be able to be served by phone.
- Do not visit emergency rooms unless it is essential.
- Follow guidance and directions of all facilities.

7) Everyone: Do your part
The best way for all Dallas County residents to reduce their risk of getting sick, as with seasonal colds or the flu, still applies to prevent COVID-19:
- Wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow or a tissue. Throw the tissue in the trash.
- Stay home if you are sick.
- Avoid touching your face.
- Try alternatives to shaking hands, like an elbow bump or wave.
- If you have recently returned from a country, state or region with ongoing COVID-19 infections, monitor your health and follow the instructions of public health officials and CDC guidance.
- There is no recommendation to wear masks at this time to prevent yourself from getting sick.

You can also prepare for the disruption caused by an outbreak. Pre paredness actions include:
- Prepare to work from home if that is possible for your job, and your employer.
- Make sure you have a supply of all essential medications for your family.
- Prepare a child care plan if you or a caregiver are sick.
- Make arrangements about how your family will manage school closures.
- Plan for how you can care for a sick family member without getting sick yourself.
- Take care of each other and check in by phone with friends, family and neighbors that are vulnerable to serious illness or death if they get COVID-19.
- Keep common spaces clean to help maintain a healthy environment for you and others. Frequently touched surfaces should be cleaned regularly with disinfecting sprays, wipes or common household cleaning products.
EXECUTIVE ORDER OF COUNTY JUDGE CLAY JENKINS

DATE ORDER ISSUED: March 31, 2020

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108, Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins issued a Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency on March 12, 2020, due to a novel coronavirus now designated SARS-CoV-2 which causes the disease COVID-19; and,

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020, Judge Jenkins issued an Order in furtherance of his authority to protect the safety and welfare of the public by slowing the spread of the virus; and,

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Trump acknowledged the gravity of the COVID-19 pandemic, releasing strict new guidelines to limit people’s interactions, including that Americans should avoid groups of more than 10 people;

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, the Dallas County Commissioners Court issued an Order of Continuance of Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency that affirmed the activation of the Dallas County Emergency Management Plan and extends the Declaration of Local Disaster until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, unless rescinded by order of the Commissioners Court.

WHEREAS, Dallas County and its departments have received donations of medical equipment and supplies from private entities and Dallas County has some medical equipment and supplies on hand that are unneeded for use by Dallas County.

THEREFORE, County Judge Clay Jenkins hereby makes this EXECUTIVE ORDER to Dallas County departments and staff as follows:

UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE
SECTION 418.108, DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE CLAY JENKINS ORDERS:

1. Dallas County departments in possession of unused or unneeded medical equipment and supplies shall provide the unused or unneeded medical equipment and supplies to nursing homes, long term care facilities, organizations serving homeless individuals, and hospitals in Dallas County.

2. This EXECUTIVE ORDER does not require Dallas County and its departments to provide medical equipment and supplies that are needed for Dallas County’s ongoing operations.

3. This EXECUTIVE ORDER does include any medical equipment and supplies that may be expired per their packaging or manufacturer instructions.

4. Pursuant to Texas Local Government Code § 81.032, the Commissioners Court can accept donations of property, as such, any Dallas County department that receives a donation of medical supplies or equipment is ordered to immediately notify the Dallas County Emergency Operations Center.

IT IS SO ORDERED

CLAY JENKINS
DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE
TRAFFIC SIGNAL AT COLLINS ROAD AND TRIPP ROAD TO BE CHANGED TO THREE WAY STOP

In preparation for the roundabout construction, the traffic signal at the intersection of Tripp Road and Collins Road will be changed to a flashing three-way stop on Monday, April 13. Stop signs will also be placed at the intersection.

The transition of the signals to a flashing three-way stop allows the public to become accustomed to the change until the traffic signal is taken out of service on Friday, April 17. In addition, contractors will be placing message boards at the location as a notice to the public.

As of now, a date has not be given to the Town as to when the traffic signal will be permanently removed from the location. This information will be shared upon receipt.

DALLAS COUNTY REPORTING 100 NEW POSITIVE CASES FOR THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY

As of 10 a.m. April 2, DCHHS is reporting 100 additional positive cases of COVID-19, bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 831. The 16th and 17th deaths from COVID-19 are being reported, including a woman in her 70's who was a resident of a long-term care facility, and a woman in her 80's who was a resident of the City of Dallas. These individuals had been critically ill in area hospitals. Of cases requiring hospitalization, over three-quarters (77%) have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been a chronic high-risk condition reported in over a quarter (28%) of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19.
GOVERNOR ABBOTT ISSUES EXECUTIVE ORDER MANDATING 14-DAY QUARANTINE FOR TRAVELERS ARRIVING FROM NEW YORK TRI-STATE AREA, NEW ORLEANS

On March 26, Governor Greg Abbott issued an Executive Order that states:
"Every person who enters the State of Texas as the final destination through an airport, from a point of origin or point of last departure in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, or the City of New Orleans, or in any other state or city as may be proclaimed hereafter, shall be subject to mandatory self-quarantine for a period of 14 days from the time of entry into Texas or the duration of the person's presence in Texas, whichever is shorter.

Details on this Executive Order can be viewed [here].

DALLAS COUNTY COVID-19 RESPONSE FUND ESTABLISHED

On April 2, Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins and the Communities Foundation of Texas announced the creation of the Dallas County COVID-19 Response Fund. The Fund was established to provide Dallas County front-line responders with the resources necessary to directly combat the spread of COVID-19. Contributions to the Fund will go directly to the front lines in Dallas County.

"The fight against the spread of COVID-19 can only be won if we protect our front-line responders including police, fire, EMS, and health care workers," said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins. “The Dallas County COVID-19 Response Fund will support those on the front lines by providing them with critically needed resources that will keep them protected.... "

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To learn more about the Dallas County COVID-19 Response Fund or to make a donation, click [here](https://www.townofsunnyvale.org/covid-19).

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Two cases of COVID-19 reported in Sunnyvale

It has been reported that there are two positive cases of COVID-19 in the Town of Sunnyvale.

Please make sure you are abiding by Judge Jenkins' shelter-in-place order and that you are only leaving home to engage in essential activities or to report to an essential business. It is imperative that social distancing guidelines be followed both indoors and outdoors to further prevent the spread of this virus within the Sunnyvale community.

Know the symptoms:
- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath
*Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure.

It is important to remember that some people without symptoms may be able to spread the virus.

Important tips to protect yourself and others:
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially if you have been in a public place, or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing. If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Avoid close contact with others who are sick.
- Stay home if you are sick, except to get medical care.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw used tissues in the trash as soon as possible. If a tissue is unavailable, use the inside of your elbow. Wash your hands after coughing or sneezing.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces, such as doorknobs, countertops, and light switches.
Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins extends disaster declaration

The Dallas County Commissioners Court met on Friday, April 3 to authorize the extension of Judge Clay Jenkins’ declaration of disaster until May 20. Judge Jenkins also extended the shelter-in-place order until April 30. The Order of continuance will be published on the Town of Sunnyvale’s website when it is received from Dallas County.

Library staff remain available

While the Doris Padgett Public Library remains closed to prevent the spread of COVID-19, library staff members are available from 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. seven days a week. Library staff will be proactively reaching out to residents to check on their welfare. For assistance, email library@townofsunnyvale.org or call (972) 226-4491.

Dallas County reporting 90 new positive COVID-19 cases

As of April 3, DCHHS is reporting 90 additional positive cases of COVID-19 in Dallas County, bringing the total case count to 921. For the first time in nearly a week, no new deaths have been reported.

BAYLOR SCOTT AND WHITE PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING TO THE TOWN:
Guidance for patients inquiring about COVID-19 symptoms, screening and testing (if needed)

- If you are experiencing symptoms such as a cough, shortness of breath or are feeling feverish, please take our free COVID-19 screening questionnaire available on the MyBSWHealth app or MyBSWHealth.com. To download the app to your mobile phone, you can text the word BETTER to 88408 or you can visit my-bswhealth.com/download.
- Patients must go through the BSWH app or website to get outpatient testing through Baylor drive-thru locations.
- Patients can use the app while in the ED.

The COVID-19 screening questionnaire is free. The results of this questionnaire may give reassurance about low risk with recommendations for hygiene and social distancing or may recommend further evaluation for those with more significant risk.

- eVisits will be evaluated by a Baylor Scott & White provider. Please note that you will be required to create a MyBSWHealth account to begin eVisit.
- Following your eVisit, you will be provided the appropriate next steps, which could include testing.
- Our other option is to complete traditional testing and send to an outside lab for outpatient testing.

Note: Not everyone needs to be tested for COVID-19, per the CDC. It is important to keep in mind:
- Most people have mild illness and are able to recover at home.
- There is no treatment specifically approved for this virus.
- Healthcare providers are working to conserve testing capabilities for those at highest risk.

If you experience a medical emergency, please call 9-1-1.

* Baylor Scott & White Medical Center – Sunnyvale complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Baylor Scott & White Medical Center – Sunnyvale is a facility in which physicians have an ownership or investment interest. The list of physician owners or investors is available to you upon request.
Lowest number of cases reported in Dallas County in nearly three weeks

As of 10 a.m. on April 6, DCHHS is reporting 47 additional positive cases of COVID-19 in Dallas County, bringing the total case count to 1,155. This is the lowest number of cases that have been reported since March 24. No additional deaths have been reported as of April 6. The number of COVID-19 cases within Dallas County surpassed 1,000 on Saturday, April 4. Currently, the total number of deaths from COVID-19 is 18, with the most recent death being reported on April 4; a man in his 30’s who was as resident of the city of Dallas, and had been critically ill in an area hospital.

"While today’s positive case count is encouraging, I caution about reading too much into this number as several private labs were closed on Sunday. Having said that, the hospital systems are seeing evidence that the Dallas County Safer at Home executive order enacted on March 22 is working to #FlattenTheCurve," said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins.

With confirmed cases in the Town of Sunnyvale, the public has the responsibility, more than ever, to follow recommendations from local and health officials. The best way to keep your family safe is to practice social distancing of at least six feet, wash your hands often, cover your cough or sneeze, and to stay home unless you are engaging in essential activities, such as shopping for groceries, picking up medication, seeking medical attention, or reporting to an essential business. Please continue to do your part to ensure that the curve continues to flatten.

Avoid gathering at Town parks

The Town of Sunnyvale continues to receive complaints of groups gathering at Town parks and other open spaces.

"We have left the parks open so that families have an opportunity to get out of the home for some exercise and fun during these troubling times," said Mayor George. "However, it
is imperative that those using the parks still practice social distancing to continue to curb infection rates and to abide by the County order."

Neighbors helping neighbors

With thousands of people facing layoffs or furloughs, combined with children at home and away from school due to the COVID-19 crisis, the North Texas Food Bank (NTFB) has seen an increase in demand across their 13-county service area. Some of these families are experiencing hunger for the first time. The NTFB team have implemented low-touch distributions with social distancing practices in place and they are working tirelessly to create 25lb family food boxes to distribute to hungry North Texans.

If you are in need of food, please visit [www.ntfb.org/mobile-pantry](http://www.ntfb.org/mobile-pantry) to find a distribution near you, or [www.ntfb.org/agencies](http://www.ntfb.org/agencies) to find a partner agency location.

Donations to help feed hungry families can be made [here](http://www.ntfb.org). Your donation gives NTFB the flexibility to purchase the foods that they need in bulk, to be placed in these family meal boxes.
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TOWN OF SUNNYVALE DESIGNATES DAY OF PRAYER

With the COVID-19 situation affecting people around the country and the fear and anxiety among people, the Town of Sunnyvale Mayor is designating this Sunday as Sunnyvale Prayer Day.

On Sunday, April 12, from 4 p.m. - 4:10 p.m., Mayor Saji George is encouraging you to gather on your front porch or in your front lawn to pray for the following:

- A cure, treatment, and vaccine for COVID-19
- Wisdom for our Federal, State, County and Local government officials
- Protection for healthcare workers, first responders and essential employees
- Swift and full recovery for all who are ill
- Continuing health and safety for our families, friends and neighbors
- Those who have lost jobs and are struggling financially
- The economy and financial well-being of our nation and our people

If you choose to participate in the Sunnyvale Prayer Day, please use the hashtag #SunnyvalePrayerDay on social media, or send your pictures to publicrelations@townofsunnyvale.org for the Town to share.
COVID-19 DRIVE-THRU TESTING LOCATIONS

If you or someone you know believe that you should receive testing for COVID-19*, the Town of Sunnyvale has compiled a list of drive-thru locations. Most of the locations are within about 25 miles from Sunnyvale. Click here to view the available list of drive-thru testing locations.

*Note: some locations require that you exhibit symptoms of COVID-19.

Baylor Scott and White - Sunnyvale is currently not offering wide-spread testing. However, if you believe that you are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19, please utilize the free screening tool on MyBSWHealth (you will need to create an account) or through the MyBSWHealth app. Following the screening tool, you may be prompted to complete an eVisit, which will be evaluated by a Baylor Scott and White provider. Following your eVisit, you will be provided the appropriate next steps, which may include testing.
LIBRARY STAFF AVAILABLE

The Doris Padgett Library remains closed to the public at this time. However, staff members are available from 9 a.m. - 7 p.m., seven days a week to assist you with questions or concerns. Staff members are also proactively making calls to residents to check up on their well-being.

Call: (972) 226-4491
Email: library@townofsunnyvale.org

SMALL BUSINESS RELIEF RESOURCES

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) granted Texas’ Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) assistance declaration, making loans available statewide to small businesses and private, non-profit organizations to help alleviate economic injury caused by the Coronavirus (COVID-19). Visit the SBA's website for more information.

The Town of Sunnyvale also has a list of employer and workforce COVID-19 resources available as well.

CONSUMER AND SMALL BUSINESS SCAMS

The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) has provided the latest information about scams targeting not only consumers, but businesses as well.

It is important to follow these tips and to be proactive so that you or your business do not fall victim to these scams.

- Tips for consumers
- Tips for businesses
DALLAS COUNTY COVID-19 CASE REPORT

As of 10 a.m. April 8, DCHHS is reporting 63 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 1,324. The 20th death from COVID-19 was reported of man in his 60's who was a resident of the city of Rowlett. He had been critically ill in an area hospital and had underlying high-risk health conditions. Of cases requiring hospitalization, about three-quarters (70%) have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in over a quarter (29%) of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19.
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DALLAS COUNTY COVID-19 CASE REPORT

As of 10 a.m., April 9, Dallas County Health and Human Services is reporting 108 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 1,432. The 21st and 22nd deaths from COVID-19 were reported, including a man in his 80's who was a resident of a long-term care facility who had been in hospice care, and a man in his 70's who was a resident of the city of DeSoto who had been hospitalized. Of cases requiring hospitalization, about three-quarters (70%) have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in over a quarter (29%) of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19.

UPDATED LIST OF RESTAURANTS OPEN FOR BUSINESS IN AND AROUND SUNNYVALE
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SUNNYVALE FIRE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES GENEROUS DONATIONS

Alongside the Sunnyvale Fire Department, the Town of Sunnyvale would like to extend a “thank you” to Michael Davis and Roy Davis of ADCO Industries and Courtney Gustafson with the SPCA for their donations to the Fire Department.

The Fire Department received a donation of personal protective equipment (PPE) from ADCO Industries and a donation of thermometers from the SPCA.

TRAFFIC SIGNAL AT TRIPP ROAD AND COLLINS ROAD CHANGES TO 3-WAY STOP

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The traffic signal will be permanently deactivated on Friday, April 17, in preparation for construction of the roundabout.

TRASH OFF POSTPONED

The Trash Off, previously scheduled for April 18, has been postponed, due to the circumstances that have arisen with the COVID-19 pandemic.

Parks Director Burton Barr, in conjunction with the Events Committee, are looking into rescheduling the event for the fall.
At this time, no date has been set. The Town will notify the public when a date has been set.

DALLAS COUNTY COVID-19 CASE REPORT

As of 10 a.m., April 14, DCHHS is reporting 89 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 1,877. Additionally, 10 new deaths are being reported, bringing the total number of COVID-19 deaths to 42 in Dallas County, including:

- A man in his 60’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 70’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas and had been hospitalized in an area hospital;
- A man in his 80’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas and had been hospitalized in an area hospital;
- A woman in her 50’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas; A woman in her 90’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas;
- A man in his 50’s who was a resident of the city of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 50’s who was a resident of the city of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 30’s who was a resident of the city of Garland and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A woman in her 80’s who was a resident of the city of Mesquite and had been hospitalized in an area hospital; and
- A man in his 80’s who was a resident of the city of DeSoto and had been found deceased at home.

Of cases requiring hospitalization, most (69%) have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in about a third (30%) of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19.

“Today, we mourn the passing of ten more of our residents. My heart goes out to their families and all who are suffering during this pandemic. Evidence continues to mount that the aggressive move to shelter in place on March 22 is #FlatteningTheCurve in Dallas County and North Texas. We are in the middle of this fight and we must not waiver from the exercise of sound personal decision-making and smart physical distancing. I'm proud of the actions North Texans are taking to protect themselves and #publichealth,” said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins.

DALLAS REGIONAL CHAMBER PROVIDING RESOURCES TO DISPLACED WORKERS
The Dallas Regional Chamber (DRC) announced the launch of their web platform, "Connecting Displaced Workers to Jobs" to help displaced workers in North Texas get back into the workforce during the COVID-19 crisis.

The web platform offers resources to individuals who need:
- leads for in-demand jobs;
- access to online courses to upskill into high-demand, well-paying jobs;
- childcare resources for parents involved in essential work; and
- links to help workers file unemployment claims.

Job opportunities are updated in near real-time, the DRC is also working in partnership with Workforce Solutions Greater Dallas and other area workforce boards to reach as many employers as possible.

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SUNNYVALE PRAYER DAY PICTURES

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Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins has amended his #SaferAtHome Order to require those patronizing an essential business or utilizing public transportation to wear a face covering that covers the nose and the mouth.

The Order reads:
Effective, 11:59 p.m., April 17, to the greatest extent possible, all persons over the age of two (2) shall wear some form of covering over their nose and mouth, such as a homemade mask, scarf, bandana or handkerchief, when patronizing an Essential Business or using public transportation pursuant to the rules outlined in Exhibit G. Parents and Guardians of children under the age of ten (10) shall be responsible for appropriately masking children pursuant to this Order. To the greatest extent possible, all non-medical employees who work at an Essential Businesses or perform services that are exempt under this Order must wear face coverings over their noses and mouths while performing their work. An owner or operator of an Essential Business may refuse admission or service to any individual who fails to wear face covering. Wearing a face covering is not a substitute for maintaining 6-feet social distancing and hand washing, as these remain important steps to slowing the spread of the virus.

The full Order is available on the Town's website.

FAQ: Cloth Coverings
For information on how to make a face covering: CDC Recommendations

WEST NILE VIRUS REPORTED IN DALLAS COUNTY

DCHHS is reporting confirmation of the first positive West Nile Virus (WNV) mosquito trap for 2020 in Dallas County, which was collected April 14 in the area containing the zip code 75104. The detection of WNV in our mosquito population indicates a risk of infection to humans in our area. No
confirmed human cases of WNV infection have yet been reported this year in Texas or Dallas County.

*Click here for the symptoms of WNV and more information*

**How can I protect myself?**

Defend by using the four D’s:
- **DEET All Day Every Day;** Whenever you’re outside, use insect repellents that contain DEET or other EPA approved repellents and follow instructions.
- **Dress;** Wear long, loose, and light-colored clothing outside.
- **Drain;** Remove all standing water in and around your home.
- **Dusk & Dawn;** Limit outdoor activities during dusk and dawn when mosquitoes are most active.

*Source: Dallas County Health and Human Services*
Both Dallas-area community based testing sites will open the criteria to include testing for anyone 65 years old or older and anyone with chronic health issues (diabetes, asthma, heart problems, etc.) beginning April 16. Both locations have transitioned to using the self-swab testing kits.

The sites operate daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and are located at:
• American Airlines Center, Parking Lot E, 2500 Victory Plaza, Dallas, TX 75201
• Ellis Davis Field House, 9191 S. Polk St., Dallas, TX 75232

Criteria for testing sites areas follows:
• Must have temperature of 99.6 or higher and shortness of breath or cough; OR
• Anyone 65 years of age or older; OR
• Anyone with chronic health issues (diabetes, asthma, heart issues, etc.)

For more information on the community based testing sites, visit dallascityhall.com/covid19.

DALLAS COUNTY COVID-19 CASE REPORT

As of 10 a.m., April 16, DCHHS is reporting 80 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 2,066. Seven additional deaths are being reported, including:
• A man in his 60's who was a resident of the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
• A man in his 60's who was a resident of the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
• A man in his 70's who was a resident of the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
• A woman in her 70's who was a resident of the City of Garland and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
• A woman in her 80's who was a resident a long-term care facility in the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
• A man in his 70's who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
• A man in his 80's who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital.

Of cases requiring hospitalization, most (69%) have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in about a third (30%) of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19. Most (69%) deaths have been male. 17 deaths have been associated with long-term care facilities.

"We must all limit unnecessary trips. Each trip carries some risk to you, your family, and the public at large. To better protect you and our front-line heroes, we are requiring all visitors to essential businesses, essential business employees and riders of public transportation to
wear a cloth covering starting Saturday. There are a lot more cars on the roads this week. That’s a concern. If a few of us slack off on making good personal responsibility decisions we not only put #publichealth at risk but are prolonging this for ourselves and everyone,” said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins.

LIBRARY REMAINS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC

Though the Doris Padgett Library remains closed to the public at this time, Library staff remain available to assist you! Please call (972) 226-4491 or email library@townofsunnyvale.org if you have questions or concerns....even if they are not Library related.

E-Books are available and may be checked out online through Overdrive via the Library's website.

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SUNNYVALE PRAYER DAY PICTURES

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Criteria changed for community based testing locations

Beginning April 20, both Dallas area community based testing locations will expand the criteria to include testing for patients with no symptoms for the following groups:

- First responders;
- DART drivers;
- Healthcare workers;
- Grocery store workers; and
- Essential retail store workers

The sites operate daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and are located at:

- American Airlines Center, Parking Lot E, 2500 Victory Ave. Dallas, TX 75219
- Ellis Davis Field House, 9191 S. Polk St. Dallas, TX 75232

Criteria for testing locations are as follows:

- Must have temperature 99.6 or higher and shortness of breath or cough; OR
- Anyone 65 years of age or older; OR
- Anyone with chronic health conditions (diabetes, asthma, heart issues, etc.); OR
- Any first responders, DART drivers, healthcare workers, grocery store workers, and essential retail store workers.

Dallas County COVID-19 case report

As of 10 a.m., April 20, DCHHS is reporting 84 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 2,512. No additional deaths are being reported. Of cases requiring hospitalization, most have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in about a third of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19. Of the 60 total deaths reported to date, over a third (38%) have been associated with long-term care facilities.

"In looking at Monday's numbers, remember a few private labs are closed on Sunday. We continue to scrap and claw for more testing and you must continue to exercise good personal responsibility decisions, limit essential business trips and wear a cloth covering when you go
to essential businesses. Like cooking and golf, #IfYouRushItYouRuinIt. So please keep following #SaferAtHome and making smart decisions,” said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins.

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SEVEN COVID-19 CASES IN SUNNYVALE

As of April 22, Dallas County is reporting that there are a total of seven COVID-19 cases in the Town of Sunnyvale. To slow the spread of the virus, please make sure you are doing your part by abiding by Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins’ #SaferAtHome order. Only leave home to report to an essential business or to engage in essential activities, such as grocery shopping or obtaining medications. It is also important to maintain social distancing while performing these activities.

As a reminder, pursuant to Judge Jenkins’ Order, as of 11:59 p.m., April 17, it is required for those who are over the age of two (2) living within or visiting Dallas County to wear a face covering when utilizing public transportation and/or patronizing essential businesses. Parents and guardians of children under the age of ten (10) shall be responsible for appropriately masking children.

Face coverings must cover the nose and the mouth and may consist of a homemade mask, scarf, bandana or handkerchief.

The Order does not apply when:
- riding in a personal vehicle;
- engaging in outdoor activity;
- eating; or
- wearing a covering poses a greater mental or physical health, safety or security risk such as anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the cover without assistance.

#slowthespread
RETAIL-TO-GO FAQS

On April 17, 2020, Governor Greg Abbott signed an Executive Order authorizing the re-opening of retail businesses effective April 24 for retail-to-go.

The Texas Department of Health and Human Services is providing guidance for employers, employees, and customers of re-opened retail services. See below.
COVID-19: Guidance for Employers, Employees, and Customers of Reopened Retail Services

This guidance is based on the best information currently available and will be updated when appropriate. Please visit dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus and cdc.gov/coronavirus for updates. This guidance is intended for employers, employees, and customers of retail businesses reopening under the Governor's Executive Order issued on April 17, 2020. This guidance does not apply to businesses considered essential. This guidance is based on recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

I am an Employee of a retail business re-opening. What should I do to keep myself and our customers safe?

- All employees must be trained on environmental cleaning and disinfection, hand hygiene, and respiratory etiquette.
- All employees must be screened before coming into the business for new or worsening cough; shortness of breath; sore throat; loss of taste or smell; feeling feverish or a measured temperature greater than or equal to 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit; or known close contact with a person who is lab-confirmed to have COVID-19. Any employee who meets any of these criteria should be sent home.
- Upon entering the business, employees must wash or sanitize hands.
- All employees must wear face coverings.
- Employees must maintain at least 6 feet separation from one another.

I am a Customer. How do I purchase and obtain goods from a retail store that has just re-opened?

- Customers may purchase items from a retail location for pickup, delivery by mail, or delivery to the customer’s doorstep, but may not enter the premises.
Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins has amended his #SaferAtHome Order. The Order takes effect at 12 p.m. on April 23 and will continue through 11:59 p.m. on May 15, 2020, subject to the limited exceptions and under the terms and conditions more particularly set forth below.

Summary of changes:
- Extends the Order until May 15, 2020
- Removes elective surgery language to be consistent with the Governor’s Order
- Adds language on “Reopened Services” to be consistent with the Governor’s Order and includes visiting “reopened services” as an allowable activity under the relevant sections of the County Order

- Retail to-go:
  - All payments should be done over the phone or internet if possible, and contact should be minimized if remote payment is not available.
  - Purchased items should be delivered by the employee to the backseat or trunk of the customer’s vehicle whenever possible to minimize physical contact with the customer.
  - Employees must wash or sanitize their hands after each interaction with a customer, and whenever possible, must disinfect any item that came into contact with the customer.

- Retail delivery to customer’s doorstep:
  - All payments should be done over the phone or internet if possible, and contact should be minimized if remote payment is not available.
  - Purchased items should be delivered by an employee or third-party carrier and delivered to the customer’s doorstep. The employee or third-party carrier may not enter the customer’s house or business.

- Retail delivery by mail:
  - All payments must be done over the phone or internet.
  - Purchased items should be delivered by mail without customer contact.

- The customer should wash or sanitize their hands after the transaction.
The social distancing and hygiene requirements for Reopened Services were issued by the Texas Department of State Health Services and this Order incorporates the State’s requirements:

- Updates language on religious and worship services to be consistent with the Governor’s Order
- Allows auto dealers showrooms to be open
- Requires schools to be closed for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year to be consistent with the Governor’s Order
- Exempts CARE Act Payments from garnishment, except for garnishment for child support payments

Click here to read the full Order.

Click here to read the rules for reopened services.

DALLAS COUNTY COVID-19 CASE REPORT

As of 11 a.m., April 23, DCHHS is reporting 80 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 2,763, including 72 deaths. Seven additional deaths being reported today including:

- A woman in her 70’s who was a resident of the City of Dallas and had been found deceased at home;
- A woman in her 60’s who was a resident of the City of Richardson and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 60’s who was a resident of the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 80’s who was a resident of the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A woman in her 80’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the City of Dallas and had been hospitalized in an area hospital;
- A woman in her 90’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the City of Dallas and had been hospitalized in an area hospital; and
- A man in his 90’s who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the City of Dallas and had been critically ill in an area hospital.

Of cases requiring hospitalization, most have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in about a third of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19. Of the 72 total deaths reported to date, about a third have been associated with long-term care facilities.

“We mourn the death of seven more residents from COVID19. This is a somber reminder of the ruthlessness of this pandemic. I am encouraged by the number of new cases, which is once again lower than the average daily number for last week. That’s been the pattern for every day this week. We are benefiting from #SaferAtHome and we all need to keep making good personal responsibility choices. #IfYouRushItYouRuinIt and we shouldn't waste the sacrifices you and the community have made to get us to this point,” said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins.
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OPEN TEXAS: PHASE I

On April 17, Governor Greg Abbott issued an executive order GA-16 establishing the "Open Texas Strike Force." On Monday, April 28, under the recommendations of the Strike Force team, Governor Abbott announced the first phase of the State of Texas' ongoing plan to safely and strategically open Texas while minimizing the spread of COVID-19. Under Phase I, certain services and activities are allowed to open with limited occupancy, and the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is issuing minimum standard health protocols for all businesses and individuals to follow. The Governor also outlined special guidance for Texans over 65 and detailed a comprehensive mitigation plan for nursing homes in Texas. The Governor also announced a statewide testing and tracing program developed by DSHS that will help public health officials quickly identify and test Texans who contract COVID-19 and mitigate further spread of the virus.

Executive Order GA-18 authorizes all retail stores, restaurants, movie theaters, and malls to reopen on Friday, May 1. These services must limit their capacity to 25% of their listed occupancy. Within shopping malls, the food-court dining areas, play areas, and interactive displays and settings must remain closed.

All museums and libraries may open under the same 25% occupancy limitation, but interactive areas of museums must remain closed. State libraries and museums will open by May 1, and local public museums and libraries may reopen only if permitted by the local government. Single-person offices may reopen as well.

Following social distancing guidelines, religious services may continue to resume with increased capacity and outdoor sports such as golf and tennis may resume with no more than four participants in a match.

Churches and places of worship remain open. Outdoor sports are allowed to resume so long as no more than four participants are playing together at one time. Social distancing practices must also be followed. Local government operations, including county and municipal government operations relating to permitting, recordation, and document-filing services, may reopen as determined by the local government.
Phase I will continue until at least May 18. The Governor will continue to evaluate next steps for the state. Phase II could be implemented as early as May 18.

Public swimming pools, bars, gyms, cosmetology salons, massage establishments, interactive amusement venues, such as bowling alleys and video arcades, and tattoo and piercing studios will remain closed through Phase I. Nursing homes, state supported living centers, assisted living facilities, and long-term care facilities must remain closed to visitors unless to provide critical assistance.

Click [here](https://www.gov.texas.gov) to access the Governor's Report to Open Texas.

*Source: gov.texas.gov*

**REOPENING OF TOWN FACILITIES**

"Given the Governor's order, we are in the process of evaluating how we can best reopen Town facilities to the public with the health and safety of our residents and staff in mind," said Town Manager Susan Guthrie. "As soon as our plan is finalized we will send out information via this newsletter and on social media."

**WATER SAFETY ADVISORY RELATED TO BUSINESS REOPENINGS**

As state, county and local officials begin to prepare to allow for some businesses and facilities to reopen, health officials and water experts are advising building owners and managers to take steps to ensure water safety in buildings that have been closed the past several weeks.

Stagnate water in plumbing systems could harbor bacteria or higher concentrations of some metals that could be present in building plumbing systems. Under normal occupancy and water use conditions, water flows through these plumbing systems and is kept fresh and healthy, avoiding the harmful effects of stagnant water. The fix for stagnant water in plumbing is to flush it through building pipes and replace it with fresh water from a connected public water system prior to re-opening a building or facility.

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the American Water Works Association (AWWA), and Purdue University's Center for Plumbing Safety have resources available to help building owners, facility managers and local water providers prepare for the resumption of operations.

COVID-19: HIGHEST NUMBER OF NEW CASES AND DEATHS REPORTED IN DALLAS COUNTY

As of 11 a.m., April 28, DCHHS is reporting 135 additional positive cases of 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19), bringing the total case count in Dallas County to 3,240, including 94 deaths. Ten additional deaths being reported today include:

- A 17 year-old girl who was a resident of the City of Lancaster, and expired at an area hospital ED;
- A man in his 30's who was a resident of the City of Dallas, and expired at an area hospital ED;
- A man in his 30's who was a resident of the City of Garland, and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 40's who was a resident of the city of Carrollton, and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 40's who was a resident of the city of Lancaster, and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 60's who was an inmate at a state correctional facility, and had been hospitalized;
- A man in his 70's who was a resident of the city of Dallas, and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A woman in her 70's who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas, and had been critically ill in an area hospital;
- A man in his 80's who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas, who expired in the facility; and
- A man in his 90's who was a resident of a long-term care facility in the city of Dallas, and had been hospitalized.

Of cases requiring hospitalization who reported employment, about 77% have been critical infrastructure workers, with a broad range of affected occupational sectors, including: healthcare, public health, food and agriculture, public works, and other essential functions. Of cases requiring hospitalization, most have been either over 60 years of age or have had at least one known high-risk chronic health condition. Diabetes has been an underlying high-risk health condition reported in about a third of all hospitalized patients with COVID-19. Of the 94 total deaths reported to date, about 40% have been associated with long-term care facilities. New cases are being reported as a daily aggregate, with a more detailed summary report updated Tuesdays and Fridays.

"Today ties for our deadliest day thus far in the COVID-19 pandemic in Dallas County. The residents who died yesterday range in age from a teenager in Lancaster to a man in his 90s who was long-term care facility resident in Dallas. Today also ranked as the highest day of new reported cases in Dallas," said Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins.
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