


State Extends “Safer At Home” Requirements

<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> <div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column; gap: 5px;"> <div>● STAY AT HOME</div> <div>● SAFER AT HOME</div> <div>● SAFER APART</div> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <h2>Proceeding With Caution</h2> <p>UPDATED STATEWIDE COVID-19 HEALTH ORDER FOR ALABAMA</p> </div> <div style="text-align: right;"> <p>Visit governor.alabama.gov for a full list of changes, guidelines and updates.</p> </div> </div>		
STAY AT HOME	AMENDED SAFER AT HOME	SAFER APART
<p>STAY AT HOME ORDER:</p> <p>INDIVIDUALS Ordered to stay at home except to meet basic needs</p> <p>EMPLOYERS Businesses closed except for those that meet a critical need or pose a minimal risk; sanitation and social-distancing rules and guidelines for remaining businesses</p> <p>RETAIL STORES Essential retail stores open subject to 50% occupancy rate, social-distancing and sanitation rules</p> <p>BEACHES Closed for all purposes</p> <p>MEDICAL PROCEDURES Postponed except for those deemed “necessary” under various criteria as determined</p> <p>NON-WORK GATHERINGS Limited to fewer than 10 persons with 6 feet of distance between persons. “Drive-in” gatherings permitted if participants stay in cars with people from their own households.</p> <p>SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS Regular programming suspended except meals available through curbside pick-up or delivery</p> <p>EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS Closed to in-person instruction (except for daytime special activities programs)</p> <p>CHILD DAY CARE FACILITIES Must not allow 12 or more children in a room</p> <p>HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES Must implement policies to restrict visitation</p> <p>RESTAURANTS, BARS AND BREWERIES Limited to take-out, curbside or delivery</p> <p>CLOSED</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Entertainment venues (such as night clubs, theaters, bowling alleys) — Athletic facilities and activities (such as fitness centers and commercial gyms) — Close-contact service providers (such as barber shops, hair salons, nail salons, tattoo services) 	<p>WHAT’S NEW:</p> <p>OCCUPANCY RATES Emergency occupancy rates will be removed for retailers, gyms and fitness centers, and entertainment venues</p> <p>USE OF PARTITIONS An exception to social-distancing rules will be allowed for many businesses—including barber shops, hair salons, gyms, and restaurants—if people are wearing masks and separated by an “impermeable” barrier</p> <p>WHAT’S STAYING THE SAME:</p> <p>MASKS IN SCHOOLS Masks required in schools and colleges, where possible, for employees and students in second grade and above</p> <p>MASKS Masks required in public when interacting within 6 feet with people of another household, subject to certain exceptions</p> <p>ENTERTAINMENT VENUES (SUCH AS BARCADES, THEATERS, BOWLING ALLEYS) May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES Allowed subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>CHILD DAY CARE FACILITIES May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>SUMMER CAMP May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>INDIVIDUALS Encouraged to stay home and follow good sanitation practices</p> <p>EMPLOYERS Businesses may open subject to sanitation and social-distancing guidelines</p> <p>RETAIL STORES Subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules</p> <p>MEDICAL PROCEDURES Allowed unless prohibited in the future by the State Health Officer to preserve resources necessary to diagnose and treat COVID-19; providers must follow COVID-19-related rules and guidance from state regulatory boards or public health authorities</p> <p>HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES Subject to restrictions, patients and residents will be allowed visits from one caregiver or one visitor at a time</p> <p>SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS Regular programming still suspended except meals still available through curbside pick-up or delivery</p> <p>NON-WORK GATHERINGS Still required to maintain 6 feet of distance between persons not from same household</p> <p>RESTAURANTS, BARS AND BREWERIES May open with limited table seating, 6 feet between tables and subject to additional sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>ATHLETIC FACILITIES (SUCH AS FITNESS CENTERS AND COMMERCIAL GYMS) Athletic facilities may open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>CLOSE-CONTACT SERVICE PROVIDERS Close-contact service providers (such as barber shops, hair salons, nail salons, tattoo services) may open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines</p> <p>BEACHES Open with no limit on gatherings. Must maintain 6 feet of separation.</p>	<p>THE SAFER AT HOME ORDER EXTENDS UNTIL DECEMBER 11TH AT 5 P.M.</p> <p>SAFER APART Goal</p> <p>MORE UPDATES COMING SOON AS WE CONTINUE TO MONITOR THE COVID-19 SITUATION</p> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>