

# Proceeding With Caution

## UPDATED STATEWIDE COVID-19 HEALTH ORDER FOR ALABAMA

### AMENDED SAFER AT HOME

The Safer at Home order extends until December 11th at 5 p.m.



#### **WHAT'S NEW:**

##### **OCCUPANCY RATES**

Emergency occupancy rates will be removed for retailers, gyms and fitness centers, and entertainment venues

##### **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

#### **WHAT'S STAYING THE SAME:**

##### **MASKS IN SCHOOLS**

Masks required in schools and colleges, where possible, for employees and students in second grade and above

##### **MASKS**

Masks required in public when interacting within 6 feet with people of another household, subject to certain exceptions

##### **ENTERTAINMENT VENUES (SUCH AS ARCADES, THEATERS, BOWLING ALLEYS)**

May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES**

Allowed subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **CHILD DAY CARE FACILITIES**

May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **SUMMER CAMP**

May open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **INDIVIDUALS**

*Encouraged* to stay home and follow good sanitation practices

##### **EMPLOYERS**

Businesses may open subject to sanitation and social-distancing guidelines

##### **RETAIL STORES**

Subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules

##### **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

##### **HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES**

Subject to restrictions, patients and residents will be allowed visits from one caregiver or one visitor at a time

##### **SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS**

Regular programming still suspended except meals still available through curbside pick-up or delivery

##### **NON-WORK GATHERINGS**

Still required to maintain 6 feet of distance between persons not from same household

##### **RESTAURANTS, BARS AND BREWERIES**

May open with limited table seating, 6 feet between tables and subject to additional sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **ATHLETIC FACILITIES (SUCH AS FITNESS CENTERS AND COMMERCIAL GYMS)**

Athletic facilities may open subject to social-distancing and sanitation rules and guidelines

##### **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

##### **BEACHES**

Open with no limit on gatherings. Must maintain 6 feet of separation.