Beyond Recovery: Reopening Hawai‘i

A strategy to reopen and reshape Hawaii’s economy

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Safe Practices, Safe Results

- Wash your hands with soap and water for 20 seconds
- Shaka not handshake
- Stay home when sick
- Physically distance more than 6 feet

- **40 + days** of downward trajectory in new cases

- **90%** total cases recovered, and hospitals have significant surge capacity

- Hawai‘i has the **lowest fatality rate** in the country and one of the lowest case rates per capita of transmission

For more information about State Department of Health Reopening Hawai‘i Safe Practices, see slide 20

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Living with COVID-19

One (or more) of these outcomes will occur while we learn to live safely with COVID-19:

- Treatments and disease containment methods increase survivability and decrease pressure on hospitals.
- Hawai‘i population develops natural “herd immunity” to COVID-19.
- A vaccine is developed, and the population is immunized to a sufficient level (>60%) to confer “herd immunity.”
Now, we need to continue supporting our people and our economy.

~220,000 estimated unemployed

60% increase in foodbank demand

72% lower small business revenue over January 2020

Hawai‘i Farm Bureau

Many local famers have lost their customers, their cash flow, and had to lay off workers. Some are in danger of shutting down, **shutting down forever**.

Local Business

We have expenses…and no income! And **no idea when sales will** return to normal. We don’t know what to do.
Creating a Stronger and More Resilient Hawai‘i, Beyond Recovery

Save lives, prevent suffering

Empower individuals with Safe Practices

Reopen and reshape Hawaii’s economy
State Roadmap to Recovery and Resilience

- Healing Hawai‘i Phase 1: Stabilization
- Kama‘āina Economy Phase 2: Reopening
- Renew & Rebuild Phase 3: Long-term Recovery
- Stronger Hawai‘i Phase 4: Resilience

Impact Levels informed by health, economic, and community-based indicators

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How We Move to the Next Impact Level

Moving forward

- Minimum of 14 days of observation between decision points before moving to the next impact level
- Decisions to be made by Governor and Mayors, informed by subject matter experts
- Proactive prevention practices such as hand-washing, face coverings, and physical distancing greatly reduce the spread of COVID-19 and other diseases

Option to move back

- Depending on health, economic, and community-based indicators, the Governor and Mayors may consider stricter response measures

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(Impact level may vary by County)
State Estimated Timeline for Reopening

(Strategy will be implemented by County and is subject to change)

- **March 26 – May 6**: Stay at home, work from home
- **May 7 – 15**: Reopened agriculture (non-food), auto dealerships, car washes, pet grooming services, observatories and support facilities, retail and repair services, and shopping malls
- **June**: Reopen indoor gathering places, indoor exercise facilities, museums, theaters, personal services, and restaurants for dining-in
- **To be determined**: Reopen large venues, bars, clubs

In all cases, businesses and operations must follow applicable CDC, industry and regulatory guidelines related to COVID-19 prior to opening.
# State Reopening Strategy for Businesses and Operations

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Closed: Essential only with physical distancing and Safe Practices
Open with physical distancing and Safe Practices
Open with adjusted Safe Practices
Fully open with adjusted Safe Practices

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Impacts to Daily Life from Stabilization to Resilience

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*High-risk populations are currently defined by CDC as: persons 65 years of age and older; people of all ages with underlying medical conditions (particularly not well controlled), including people with chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma, people who have serious heart conditions, people who are immunocompromised, people with severe obesity, people with diabetes, people with chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis, and people with liver disease; people who live in a nursing home or long-term care facility.
**Impact Level: Stay at Home**

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**Health Description**
- Cases surging and/or increasing
- Risk of insufficient testing, hospital capacity, and/or contact tracing

**What this means for the people of Hawai‘i**
- Essential businesses open
- "Stay at Home" for all non-essential workers
- Mandatory 14-day quarantine for out-of-state and interisland travelers

**What other states are doing**
- 42 states + D.C. and Puerto Rico issued Stay at Home order in March 2020

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# Impact Level: Safer at Home

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## Health Description
- New cases occur, but overall trend decreasing
- Near maximum capacity for testing, hospital capacity, and/or contact tracing

## What this means for the people of Hawai‘i
- Low-risk businesses and operations allowed to reopen with CDC guidelines and industry standards related to COVID-19
- Transition from "Stay at Home" to “Act with Care" where high-risk populations and kūpuna advised to continue staying home

## What other states are doing
- 41 states have partially reopened or plan to reopen soon, as of May 2020

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Impact Level: Act with Care
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**Health Description**

- New cases and/or clusters are manageable within system capacity
- Improved capacity utilization for testing, hospitals, contact tracing

**What this means for the people of Hawai‘i**

- **Start** with reopening of medium-risk businesses and operations, **then move** to high-risk businesses and operations based on indicators
- High-risk populations and kūpuna should continue to stay at home when possible

**What other states are doing**

- When cases are "clearly declining," several states plan to open higher-risk businesses, with continued telework where possible

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**Health Description**
- New cases indicate sporadic activity
- Optimized capacity utilization for testing, hospitals, contact tracing

**What this means for the people of Hawai‘i**
- Highest-risk businesses and operations can reopen
- High-risk populations and kūpuna continue to stay at home when possible

**What other states are doing**
- Most states plan for highest-risk business to reopen when testing and hospital capacity allows for control of disease clusters

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**Health Description**
- Treatment and/or natural "herd immunity" and/or vaccine

**What this means for the people of Hawai‘i**
- Large social gatherings without limitation
- High-risk populations and kūpuna exercise caution when in public

**What other states are doing**
- Most states have articulated that "new normal" will be possible when outcomes are met such as: treatment and/or natural "herd immunity" and/or vaccine

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Public Health Pillars to Ensure Community Safety

- **Prevention**
  - Safe Practices
  - Stay at Home
  - Traveler quarantine
  - Vaccines

- **Detection**
  - Safe Practices
  - Disease surveillance
  - Testing
  - Diagnosis
  - Disease reporting

- **Containment**
  - Safe Practices
  - Investigate, isolate and monitor cases
  - Trace, quarantine, monitor and test close contacts

- **Treatment**
  - Safe Practices
  - Clinical care
  - Treatments
  - Symptom management
  - Convalescence & rehabilitation
  - Life support

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Next steps to ensure the safe reopening of Hawai‘i

- Participate in community dialogue to discover ways for businesses to operate safely, while renewing consumer confidence.
- Monitor public health metrics to inform decision making that ensures the safety of the people of Hawai‘i.
- Identify and accomplish real-time priorities toward Hawaii’s resilient future.
Partnerships

Hawai‘i Emergency Management Agency
Hawai‘i Office of Planning
Hawai‘i Department of Health
Hawai‘i Office of Homeland Security
Hawai‘i National Guard
Hawai‘i Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism
Hawai‘i COVID-19 Public Health Recovery Task Force
Economic and Community Recovery Navigator

with State & County Policy Leaders, FEMA Hawai‘i Long-term Recovery Office, and Private Sector Stakeholders