Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19

Purpose:
The County of Kaua‘i continues to recognize the presence of COVID-19 in our community. Physical distancing and other preventive measures remain necessary to limit the spread of the coronavirus. A spike in infections could overwhelm our healthcare system, as the island’s capacity to provide emergency and hospital services is limited.

The County has developed the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19 to guide our approach going forward. The strategy is based on clear metrics centered on COVID-19 case counts and testing positivity rates. This strategy has been specifically tailored for the Island of Kaua‘i. Residents and travelers should follow the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19 and announcements from the County of Kaua‘i to keep themselves aware of the current rules surrounding re-opening.

Furthermore, Governor David Y. Ige’s Fourteenth Proclamation (hereinafter the “Governor’s Proclamation”) has created the statewide pre-travel testing program by establishing a negative test exception to mandatory self-quarantine for persons entering the state. Not all positive COVID-19 cases will be identified through the pre-travel testing program, which will increase the risk of spreading COVID-19 in the community. Our healthcare system has limited capacity to handle increased cases of COVID-19. Therefore, this rule establishes the threshold, with the concurrence of the Governor, at which the County of Kaua‘i will take action to revoke the negative test exception set forth in Section IV.B of the Governor’s Proclamation for travelers to the State entering into the County of Kaua‘i. Such action by the County shall lay the basis for the Governor’s opinion pursuant to Section 127A-13(a)(1), Hawaii Revised Statutes, that community conditions at a point-in-time pose a danger to public health and safety, and the use of quarantine is warranted.

This rule also updates the County’s policies on face coverings. This rule supersedes and repeals Mayor’s Emergency Rules #6, #10, #11, #12, and #13.

Definitions:
A “face covering” means a tightly woven fabric without holes that covers the nose and mouth secured to the head with either ties or straps, or simply wrapped and tied around the face. It can be made of a variety of fabrics such as cotton, silk, or linen. A face covering may be factory-made, sewn by hand, or can be improvised from household items such as handkerchiefs, scarfs, or shirts.

Rule:

I. Gatherings, Businesses, Operations, & Activities

Pursuant to HRS §127A-12(a)(5)(D), §127A-12(c)(12), 127A-25, and the Governor’s Proclamation, all indoor and outdoor social gatherings, businesses, operations, and activities are subject to the
restrictions and physical distancing requirements found in the Governor’s Proclamation, any applicable State and CDC guidelines, and the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19.

The Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19 strategy is based on four tiers. Each tier is based on the level of disease transmission of COVID-19 within the County, which is determined by two criteria: (1) the 7-day average number of daily cases reported; and (2) the 7-day average test positivity rate.

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The rules governing allowed and closed indoor and outdoor social gatherings, businesses, operations, and activities at each tier can be found in the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19.

In order to move from a lower tier to a higher tier (i.e. from Tier 1 to Tier 2), the County must:

1) have been in the current tier for at least four consecutive weeks; AND
2) meet the case count criteria for that next tier for two consecutive (and most recent) weeks; AND
3) meet the test positivity rate criteria for that next tier for two consecutive (and most recent) weeks.

The County may only move forward one (1) tier at a time.

In order to move from a higher tier to a lower tier (i.e. Tier 2 to Tier 1), the County must exceed one OR both criteria in the current tier for two consecutive weeks. The County may move backward more than one (1) tier at a time.

In the case of rapid spread of COVID-19 that overwhelms the healthcare system, it may become necessary to implement restrictions not described in the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19 in shorter timeframes than two weeks.

II. Face Coverings

Pursuant to HRS §127A-12(a)(5)(D), §127A-12(c)(12), 127A-25, and the Governor’s Proclamation, except as provided herein, all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who don’t live in their immediate household. Face
coverings must be worn by employees, customers, and visitors at all times inside any establishment in which close contact may occur.

Exceptions:
The only exceptions to this rule are individuals who can prove by a preponderance of evidence that they are:

1. Engaging in the consumption of a food or beverage;
2. Requested to verify their identity by a bank or other institution where the inability to verify the identity of the person may pose a security risk;
3. Interacting with a person who is hearing impaired that may rely on lip-reading to communicate;
4. Engaged in outdoor exercise in accordance with the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19; or
5. Incapable of wearing a face covering due to a medical condition or disability. Medical exemptions must be issued by a licensed medical doctor (MD), doctor of osteopathy (DO), advanced practice registered nurse (APRN), or physician assistant (PA). Medical exceptions should not specify the medical condition that precludes wearing of face coverings. Individuals must be able to present evidence of a medical exception when asked for it by law enforcement.

III. Trans-Pacific Arrivals Under the State’s Pre-Travel Testing Program
If the 7-day average number of daily COVID-19 cases reported in the County of Kaua‘i reaches 5 or more for one week as confirmed by the Kaua‘i District Health Officer, the County shall submit a rule, as set forth in Section I of the Governor’s Proclamation, effectuating revocation of the negative test exception set forth in Section IV.B of the Governor’s Proclamation for travelers to the State entering the County of Kaua‘i. Upon the effective date set forth in the rule, travelers to the State entering into the County of Kaua‘i, without a valid exemption from the State, shall be required to enter into mandatory 14-day self-quarantine.

Force and Effect:
This rule shall have the force and effect of law. Any person violating any rule of the governor or mayor prescribed and promulgated pursuant to this chapter and having the force and effect of law, shall, if it shall be so stated in the rule, be guilty of a misdemeanor. Upon conviction, the person shall be fined not more than $5,000, or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

Term:
Effective October 15, 2020, subject to modification.
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# Kauai Business & Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19

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Outdoor Unregulated Sports

- This category encompasses outdoor “pickup” games that do not require formal permission from the facility owner and/or manager and are not connected with a formal league/association.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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Outdoor Organized Team Sports

- This category encompasses outdoor sports that require formal permission from the facility owner and/or manager and are connected with a formal league/association. It excludes sports associated with educational institutions.
- Spectators are subject to social gathering restrictions.
- Outdoor organized team sports are only allowed during Tier 4 (lowest cases) since the total number of participants would exceed the social gathering size restrictions.
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**Indoor Team Sports**

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**Pools**

- This applies to all public and private commercial pools. Strictly private pools, such as those at a personal home, are subject to the social gathering restrictions.
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**Shooting/Archery Ranges**

- Operators cannot offer rental safety equipment (e.g., ear plugs, safety glasses).
- Any other equipment that is rented must be sanitized between each use.
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**Public/Private Golf Courses**

- All Public/Private golf courses are subject to the Back2Golf guidelines.
- Tournaments must comply with Back2Golf and all State and County rules at the time the event occurs. The tournament organizer is responsible for ensuring that no congregating occurs on property before or after the event that is in violation of social gathering restrictions.
- Any retail areas must comply with retail and service businesses requirements; restaurants/cafes/concession stands must comply with restaurant requirements.
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**Real Estate Services**

- All real property sales and management activities should be accomplished by remote/electronic means whenever possible.
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New/Used Car/Truck Dealerships

- Operators are encouraged to carry out transactions remotely as much as possible.
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**Automated & Mobile Service Providers**

- Automated and mobile service providers provide services on a mobile basis in which there is no human interaction between the service provider and the customer, including, but not limited to, mobile pet grooming and car washing/detailing businesses. The service provider must implement sanitation measures consistent with CDC guidelines.

**Retail & Service**

- This category includes all retail and service, including essential businesses.
- Each retail and service business must set and avoid exceeding an occupancy limit for their facility that allows for physical distancing at all times.
- Fitting rooms (as applicable) may be open, but precautions must be taken to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, including regular sanitizing of frequently touched surfaces and ensuring appropriate physical distancing can be maintained in the fitting room area.
- Food-court dining areas must comply with the applicable restrictions in the “Restaurants” section.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
  - The only exceptions to the mask rule are individuals who can prove by a preponderance of evidence that they are:
    - Engaging in the consumption of a food or beverage;
    - Requested to verify their identity by a bank or other institution where the inability to verify the identity of the person may pose a security risk;
    - Interacting with a person who is hearing impaired that may rely on lip-reading to communicate;
    - Engaged in outdoor exercise in accordance with the Kaua‘i Business and Recreational Guidelines for COVID-19; or
    - Incapable of wearing a face covering due to a medical condition or disability. Medical exemptions must be issued by a licensed medical doctor (MD), doctor of osteopathy (DO), advanced practice registered nurse (APRN), or physician assistant (PA). Medical exceptions should not specify the medical condition that precludes wearing of face coverings. Individuals must be able to present evidence of a medical exception when asked for it by law enforcement.

**Faith-based Services**
- This category encompasses faith-based services, including wedding ceremonies and funerals, that take place in a church or other religious venue. All other wedding/funeral events conducted outside of this setting fall into the social gathering category or professionally organized events category.

- Large numbers of individuals congregating together indoors for a long period of time is a high-risk activity. As such, it is highly encouraged that faith-based services be conducted virtually at this time. When conducted in-person, 50% capacity recommendations for Tiers 3 & 4 are based off of the need to ensure physical distancing of 6 feet between all attendees who are not members of the same household.

- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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**Restaurants/Bars**

- All restaurants and bars must comply with the Hawaii State Department of Health’s “Guidance for Reopening Food Service Sector”.

- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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**Museums, Gardens, Tours & Other Commercial Attractions**

- Restrictions in this category apply to: museums, botanical gardens, tours (e.g. ziplining, inner tubing, etc.) and other commercial attractions (e.g. water parks, luaus, mini golf, etc.)
- Retail areas must comply with retail and service businesses requirements; restaurants/cafes/concession stands must comply with restaurant requirements.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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**Arcades & Bowling**
Bowling alleys/arcades with restaurants/cafes/concession stands must comply with restaurant requirements.

Any equipment that is rented must be sanitized between each use.

- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.

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**Commercial Recreational Boating**

- Commercial recreational boats are subject to the restrictions imposed by the Department of Boating and Ocean Recreation. As such, the capacity guidelines included here are strong recommendations from the County of Kauai.

- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.

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**Helicopter/Skydiving Tours**

- Helicopter and skydiving operations are subject to the restrictions imposed by the Federal Aviation Authority (FAA). As such, the capacity guidelines included here are strong recommendations from the County of Kauai.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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**Transportation for Non-Essential Activities**

- This category does not include public transportation, which is considered essential.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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Hair Salons, Nail Salons, & Barbershops

- All hair salons, nail salons, and barbershops are subject to their respective industry COVID-19 guidance and restrictions.
- Must ensure that all equipment that comes into direct contact with customers/clients and all furniture in service areas is completely cleaned and disinfected between each customer/client in accordance with CDC guidelines and applicable law.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.

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Personal Care Services (tattoos, massage, waxing, piercing, etc.)

- All personal care services are subject to their respective industry COVID-19 guidance and restrictions.
- Must ensure that all equipment that comes into direct contact with customers/clients and all furniture in service areas is completely cleaned and disinfected between each customer/client in accordance with CDC guidelines and applicable law.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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Pet Services

- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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**Business Offices**

- Remote work is encouraged across all tiers.
- Breakroom and conference room use is discouraged. When used, it must comply with distancing and mask wearing requirements. Where possible, meetings should take place virtually or outdoors.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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**Markets, Craft Fairs, etc.**

- This category covers activities such as holiday craft fairs, art nights, and other markets.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule
#19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.

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**Professionally Organized Receptions, Meetings, & Other Events at an Official Venue**

- Professionally organized events at an official venue encompasses any event that has a professional organizer who is tasked with ensuring compliance with all State and County COVID-19 rules at a hotel, restaurant, or other event space. The organizer is required to maintain a record of all attendees and their contact information in the event that information is needed by the Department of Health for contact tracing efforts.
- Outdoor events are strongly encouraged since they pose much less risk in terms of disease transmission than indoor events.
- Individuals must comply with 6 ft. physical distancing requirements as well as the County of Kauaʻi's mask rule, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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doctor (MD), doctor of osteopathy (DO), advanced practice registered nurse (APRN), or physician assistant (PA). Medical exceptions should not specify the medical condition that precludes wearing of face coverings.

**Indoor Movie Theaters**

- No selling or consumption of food or drinks under Tier 1 restrictions. Food and drink sales allowed under Tiers 2-4.

- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household. The only exceptions to the mask rule are individuals who can prove by a preponderance of evidence that they are:
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**Drive-In Movies**

- Drive-in movies are allowed across all tiers. All attendees shall remain in their vehicle for the duration of the movie except when purchasing food/beverages or using restroom facilities. It is the responsibility of the organizer to ensure that there is no congregating before, during, or after the movie that is in violation of the social gathering restrictions.

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**Gyms, Fitness Facilities, & Exercise Classes**

- This category encompasses, but is not limited to: gyms, weight rooms, yoga studios, aerobic classes, dance classes, gymnastics, mixed martial arts, personal training, etc.
- Exercise is a high-risk activity for disease transmission and should be conducted solo outdoors whenever possible.
- Individuals must comply with the restrictions and physical distancing (6 ft.) requirements found in the Governor’s Thirteenth Proclamation as well as Mayor’s Emergency Rule #19, which states that “all persons five (5) years of age or older are required to wear a face covering over their nose and mouth, whether indoors or outdoors, in any setting in which they are in close contact (within 6 feet) of people who do not live in their immediate household.
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