MONO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

DECEMBER 15, 2020









Mono County and CA Case Summary By Area



MONO COUNTY CASES BY REGION

As of December 13, 2020



TOTAL POSITIVE CASES: 439 (30-DAY INCREASE: 210 OR 92%)

As of December 13, 2020

Case Stats





Mammoth Hospital Status

GREEN ABLE TO CARE FOR ANY PATIENTS REQUIRING ADMISSION

*GREEN – able to care for any patients requiring admission

YELLOW – nearing capacity, but still able to care for all patients requiring admission

RED – At or beyond capacity, with limited resources. May not be able to care for all patients requiring admission

Week	New Positives	Tests	Positivity Rate
11/8-11/14	26	303	8.58%
11/15-11/21	13	352	3.69%
11/22-11/28	44	357	12.32%
11/29-12/5	69	538	12.83%
12/6-12/12	96	472	20.34%

7-DAY METRICS

TESTED – 451 POSITIVE – 96* POSITIVITY RATE – 21%

Test Results by Day (last 7 days)





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As of December 12, 2020



- Effective <u>Sunday, December 6 at 11:59 p.m</u>., Mono County (as part of the Southern California Region) was formally placed under the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) *Regional Stay-At-Home Order*.
- The Order will be in effect for a **minimum of three weeks.**
- The Order will be lifted when regional available adult ICU bed capacity is greater than or equal to 15% and is projected to remain above that level for the subsequent four weeks.
- At the end of the Stay-At-Home period, each county within the Region will be assigned to a tier based on the Blueprint for a Safer Economy.



- Regions where ICU capacity falls below 15% will be placed into a Stay-at-Home Order for a minimum of <u>3 weeks.</u>
- Southern California* (Mono County) Current ICU Capacity: 2.7%



*Southern California: Imperial, Inyo, Los Angeles, Mono, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura

REGIONAL STAY-AT-HOME ORDER: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- Sectors that will remain <u>OPEN</u> when a region is placed into the Stay-At-Home, include:
 - Critical infrastructure
 - Schools that are already open for in-person learning
 - Non-urgent medical and dental care
 - Child care and pre-K
 - Playgrounds (revised 12/9)



Sectors that will be temporarily <u>CLOSED</u> when a region is placed into the Stay-At-Home, include:

- Indoor recreational facilities
- Hair salons and barbershops
- Personal care services
- Museums, zoos, and aquariums
- Movie theaters
- Wineries
- Live audience sports
- Amusement parks

- Bars, breweries, and distilleries (no food) closed for any in person, on-site consumption, but that manufacture, production and sales may continue
- Family entertainment centers
- Cardrooms and satellite wagering
- Limited services



The following sectors will have additional modifications in addition to 100% masking and physical distancing:

- **Outdoor recreational facilities:** Allow outdoor operation only without any food, drink or alcohol sales. Additionally, <u>overnight stays at campgrounds will not be permitted (exemption for use when it is primary</u> residence or in the event of evacuations)
- Retail: Allow indoor operation <u>at 20% capacity</u> with entrance metering and no eating or drinking in the stores. Stand-alone grocery stores where the principal business activity is the sale of food may operate at <u>35% of</u> <u>capacity</u> (based on fire department occupancy limits).
- Shopping centers: Allow indoor operation at 20% capacity with entrance metering and no eating or drinking in the stores.
- Hotels and lodging: Allow for COVID-19 mitigation and containment measures, treatment measures, provide accommodation for essential workers, or providing housing solutions, including measures to protect homeless populations. <u>Mono County Lodging Order in effect.</u>
- **Restaurants:** Allow only for take-out, pick-up, or delivery.
- Offices: Allow remote only except for critical infrastructure sectors where remote working is not possible.
- Places of worship and political expression: Allow outdoor services only.
- Entertainment production including professional sports: Allow operation without live audiences. Additionally, testing protocol and "bubbles" are highly encouraged.

MONO COUNTY ISSUES "REGIONAL STAY HOME" ORDER RELATED TO LODGING FACILITIES

- On **December 6, 2020** the Mono County Public Health Officer issued an Order clarifying the state's Regional Stay-At-Home Order **effective December 6 at 11:59 p.m.**
- This is essentially the same restrictions that were in place for a couple months early in the pandemic.
- Applies to <u>ALL short-term lodging operators, from hotel and motel to short-term rental of private</u> residences.
- Effective upon the Southern Region becoming subject to the Regional Order (December 6 at 11:59 p.m.) and shall remain in effect until the Southern Region is no longer subject to the Regional Order, or Mono County is otherwise released from the coverage of that Order.

MONO COUNTY ISSUES "REGIONAL STAY HOME" ORDER RELATED TO LODGING FACILITIES

- <u>All existing reservations from Monday, December 7, 2020 are required to be cancelled and no</u> reservations are allowed to be taken except those permitted as identified in paragraph 1 below, until the Southern Region is no longer subject to the Regional Order, or Mono County is otherwise released</u> from the coverage of that Order.
- Short-term lodging facilities <u>may remain open</u> for the following purposes:
 - To serve as short-term lodging facilities for COVID-19 mitigation and containment measures
 - To house workers performing functions that are essential to maintain the continuity of operations for critical infrastructure
 - For persons who are displaced due loss of homes from fire

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- <u>There shall be no renting or leasing of a Lodging Facility for leisure or vacation travel, or for purposes</u> other than those listed in paragraph 1.
- In the event of a question or uncertainty as to whether a particular short-term lodging use falls within the above exemptions a written determination or directive from the Unified Command Emergency Operations Center (EOC), Mono County Health Officer, Town of Mammoth Lakes Finance Department, or other personnel designated by the Mono County Emergency Operations Center to make such determinations, that the use is authorized, shall be adequate to authorize such use.
- The owner of a unit may stay in the unit for maintenance or repairs, provide upkeep and prepare for transition between seasons, or and to check for other public health and safety risks. <u>This applies only</u> to the owner and members of the owner's immediate household or living unit. If jointly owned, not more than on household/living unit may be present at a time.

STATE UPDATED (11/30) TRAVEL ADVISORY



Can I travel?

- Californians are encouraged to stay home or in their region and avoid non-essential travel to other states or countries. Avoiding travel can reduce the risk of virus transmission and bringing the virus back to California
- Stay in your county if you can. Don't drive more than 2-3 hours.
- If you arrive in California from other states or countries, including returning California residents, you should practice self-quarantine for 14 days after arrival. You should also limit your interactions to your immediate household. This recommendation does not apply if you cross state or country borders for essential travel.

TRAVEL DEFINITIONS



- "Non-essential travel" includes travel that is considered tourism or recreational in nature.
- **"Essential travel"** includes: work and study, critical infrastructure support, economic services and supply chains, health, immediate medical care, and safety and security.

https://ca.usembassy.gov/travel-restrictions-fact-sheet/

COVID-19 VACCINE

- Voluntary and free
- Expected to ship to Mono County 12/18 for arrival week of 12/21 (360 doses)
- Mono County will follow federal and state guidance for vaccine prioritization and distribution, which will include a phased-in approach:
 - Phase 1A: Mammoth Hospital frontline workers, Public Health frontline workers, paramedics,
 - Phase 1B: Essential workers (teachers/police/firefighters/service workers)
 - Phase 2: TBD
 - Phase 3: TBD
- FAQ to be posted to Public Health website: <u>https://monohealth.com/public-</u>

health/page/immunization-program

UPDATED BUSINESS RESOURCES



https://coronavirus.monocounty.ca.gov/pages/businesses

MAMMOTH LAKES COMMUNITY FIRST PROGRAMS*



- Housing Assistance \$250,000
 - Program will be like previous (guidelines under review)
 - Up to \$500 per month
 - Limited to three payments
 - Paid directly to Landlord
 - COVID related need
- Right to Recover (R2R) Program \$25,000
- Food Bank Support (if needed) \$75,000

MAMMOTH LAKES COMMUNITY FIRST PROGRAMS*



- Business Assistance \$400,000
 - Program will be similar to previous (More streamlined process under review)
 - Grants to eligible businesses
 - Total gross revenues (under review up to \$3 Million)
 - Physical Building, etc.
 - COVID related need

*Approved by Town Council, 12/8/2020

COUNTY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM



Round 3 Mono County Financial Assistance Program: Mono C.U.R.E.

- **\$30,000** available in Round 3 from Mono County's CARES Act funding allocation for businesses located in unincorporated Mono County, that were negatively impacted by the pandemic.
- Details to be released soon: MonoCounty.ca.gov/Economic

IMACA FOOD BANK - FOR ALL MONO COUNTY RESIDENTS



- Dates: December 15, January 5, 19
- Hours: 11:00am 1:00pm
- Location: Center Street behind the Promenade on Main Street
- Details:
 - Recipients will need to fill out IMACA paperwork as sort of a "check-in"
 - Drive through distribution like before
- Contact: (760) 279-4350.
- Website: <u>www.imaca.net/food-assistance</u>
- Donations: <u>www.mammothlakeschamber.org/</u>

COVID-19 TESTING – WEEK OF DECEMBER 14

GET TESTED TODAY!

FREE Mono County COVID-19 Testing

Do it for yourself, your family and your community

https://coronavirus.monocounty.ca.gov/pages/health

- Monday (12/14) CANCELLED
- Tuesday (12/15) Verily testing in Mammoth Lakes at Sierra Star Golf Course, 2001 Sierra Star Pkwy (8:00am-12:30pm)
- Wednesday (12/16) Public Health COVID-19 testing in Mammoth Lakes (10:00am-1:00pm)
- Thursday (12/17) Public Health COVID-19 testing in Mammoth Lakes (10:00am 1:00pm)
- Friday (12/18) Verily COVID-19 testing at Antelope Valley Community Center (9:00am 12:45pm)
- Friday (12/18) Verily COVID-19 testing in Mammoth Lakes at Sierra Star Golf Course (8:00am 12:30pm)





Bilingual Community

Conversation

Coping With COVID

Wednesday, December 16

Thursday, December 17

5:30 p.m.

5:30 p.m.

#STAYSAFETOSTAYOPEN

- This winter, we need everyone's help to ensure that we do everything we can to educate ourselves, our friends and families, and visitors to **#StaySafeToStayOpen.**
- This is more than a hashtag it needs to become a way of life: <u>Distance. Wash. Cover!</u>
- No Indoor Gatherings are permitted in Mono County.
- People in Mono County including the Town of Mammoth Lakes must wear face coverings when they are outdoors in public spaces when closer than 6 feet from persons who are not members of the same household unit.











MONO COUNTY COVID-19 LOCAL INFORMATION & RESOURCES



- Website: MonoHealth.com/Coronavirus
- Spanish: https://monohealth.com/coronavirus-es
- Email: <u>COVID19Help@mono.ca.gov</u>
- Town Short-term Rental Hotline: (760) 965-3670 or tot@townofmammothlakes.ca.gov
- Town Code Compliance: (760) 965-3671 or codecompliance@townofmammothlakes.ca.gov
- Mono County COVID-19 Violations: covid19violations@mono.ca.gov.
- Mono County COVID Newsletter issued every Tuesday & Friday