Reopening Guidance during Community Spread of COVID-19

PHASED REOPENING: PARKS & PLAYGROUND FACILITIES

A phased approach enables facilities to reopen while protecting the health and safety of employees, patrons, and the general public.

Recommended Criteria for Phased Reopening

Phase One					
Epidemiology	 Decreased test positivity rate for at least 14 days Sustained reduction in number of cases for at least 14 days Decrease in deaths for at least 14 days 				
Health Care	Sufficient PPE for all health care workers even if cases double				
	• Sufficient face masks available to provide to patients seeking care, even if cases double				
	• More discharges than admissions for COVID-19 within a 7 day period				
Public Health	 All cases interviewed for contact elicitation Contacts elicited for at least 90% of cases Capacity to monitor all confirmed cases and their contacts Capacity* to test all people who are symptomatic * Testing capacity is influenced by a loosening of testing criteria, availability of nasal swabs to obtain sample, and the availability of PPE.				
	Move to Phase Three if the criteria above is met, a reduction in cases for an additional 14 days is observed, and a vaccine is available.				
	Phase Two Phase Three				
Epidemiology	Sustained reduction in cases for an additional 14 days All previous criteria				
Health Care	Same as Phase One is met and vaccine is available				
Public Health	Same as Phase One				
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Find data associated with each phase and phase status at https://bit.ly/PhaseMetrics



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Mitigation Guidance				
Action	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	
Wash hands or use sanitizer often	Continue	Continue	Continue	
Cover Coughs/Sneezes	Continue	Continue	Continue	
Stay home when ill	Continue	Continue	Continue	
Use of mask/cloth covering	Continue	Continue	Discontinue	
Surface/object cleaning	Continue	Continue	Continue	
Isolation of cases	Continue	Continue	Continue	
Social distancing	Continue	Continue	Pause social distancing	
Gatherings (Pavilions)	Limit to 10 people	Limit to 50 people	Allow all gatherings	
Employee PPE Required	Gloves, mask or cloth face covering, increased hand hygiene	Gloves, mask or cloth face covering, increased hand hygiene	Job-appropriate PPE	
Employee Health Checks	Yes	Yes	No	
Splash Pads	Closed	Closed	Open	
Playground Equipment	Closed	Closed	Open	
Rental Items	Sanitized between use	Sanitized between use	Resume normal operations	
Benches and Tables	Spaced at least 6' apart	Spaced at least 6' apart	No spacing requirements	
Housekeeping	Increased housekeeping procedures, increased restroom cleaning	Increased housekeeping procedures, increased restroom cleaning	Regular housekeeping procedures, regular restroom cleaning	
Communal Use Items	Limited	Limited	Normal	
Group Programming	Limit to 10 people	Limit to 50 people	Allow all gatherings	

Please see the CDC for cleaning guidance: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/disinfecting-building-facility.html