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Clarity on State Order

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Dear Friends,

Starting today, some of the indoor businesses that Dr. Sara Cody opened this week, such as hair and nail salons, have had to close by a new preemptive order of the State of California which is based on the state's hospitalization statistics. Those businesses will temporarily stay closed until the State says it is OK to re-open them once again, but I want to clarify that it is only the activities that the state has banned that are effected for now. As disappointing as that is for many of us, the fact is that as soon as the State lifts their ban, these shops in our county can immediately re-open again.

In Santa Clara County, the ban applies to indoor fitness centers, indoor places of worship, indoor protests, offices for non-critical infrastructure sectors, personal care services, hair salons, barbershops and malls. But the rest of the businesses and activities in the July 2 Order can operate with safety measures in place:

- [Outdoor Dining](#)
- [Construction](#)
- [Food Facilities](#) (grocery stores, etc.)
- [Gatherings](#) (including social, religious, political, ceremonial, athletic and other types of gatherings)
- [Public Transit](#)
- [Lodging Facilities](#)
- [Agriculture](#)
- [Outdoor Pools](#)
- [Recreation and Athletics](#)
- [Childcare, summer camps, and children's activities](#)
- [Gyms and Fitness Centers](#) (outdoor activities)

You can read the full order [here](#), along with details on keeping a physical distance from one another and wearing face coverings.

Thank you again for all you do to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

County Coronavirus Dashboards Update

As of Wednesday, there were 6,951 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in the County, an increase of 235, and 173 deaths, an increase of 3. There are currently 140 people hospitalized in the County who are confirmed to have COVID-19, an increase of 25. So far, 277,860 people in Santa Clara County have been tested, with a 4.01% positive rate. The [dashboards](#) are updated daily. A new [cost tracking dashboard](#) has been added to show where money has been spent in fighting the pandemic.

Statewide, there were 336,508 cases, and 7,087 deaths; 5.6 million have been tested, with an average 7.1% positive rate over the past 14 days. For more statewide data, click [here](#).

In the U.S., there are 3.48 million cases, with 138,358 deaths.

Globally, there are 13.2 million cases and 577,954 deaths.

Pop-up Testing Locations Open This Week

The pop-up testing program operated by Santa Clara Valley Medical Center continues to provide free diagnostic COVID-19 testing around the County. Nasal swab testing is free for everyone—no health insurance or doctor's note is required. No appointment is needed; anyone can simply stop by to get tested. Residents can find a testing location across the County at sccfreetest.org or by calling 2-1-1.

Here are new sites open this week:

- **South County Annex (formerly Del Buono Elementary):** [9300 Wren Avenue, Gilroy](#), 1 to 6 p.m. through July 17, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on July 18.
- **Independence High School - C Commons:** [617 N. Jackson Avenue, San Jose](#), 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. through July 17.
- **County of Santa Clara Service Center, Auditorium:** [1555 Berger Dr.](#), San Jose, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. through July 17.

Legal Experts Explain Renters' Rights



Are you struggling with rent, or afraid of being evicted? Join Silicon Valley Rising Action and the Silicon Valley Law Foundation at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 16, for a robust, essential training on renters' rights. You will be joined by legal experts who specialize in tenant rights. RSVP at www.tinyurl.com/rentersnow.

Join Dave's Saturday Town Hall on Facebook

Please join my Facebook Town Hall on Saturday, July 18, from 3 to 4 p.m., where you can ask questions about COVID-19.

You do not need to have a Facebook account to stream this Town Hall, simply click on this link [facebook.com/davecortesegov](https://www.facebook.com/davecortesegov) to watch the Town Hall or ask questions. You can also call-in to ask questions at 408-287-3587 or text at 408-480-7833.

We hope to hear from you on Saturday! If your question doesn't get answered during the Town Hall, please call my office at 408-299-5030 and a staff member can help you.



**COVID-19 TOWN HALL
WITH SUPERVISOR
DAVE CORTESE**

EVERY SATURDAY
IN JULY FROM 3-4PM PST

LIVE ON FACEBOOK:
@DAVECORTESEGOV

D3 Website Hosts COVID-19 Resources and Updates

My [website](#) hosts a dedicated section, updated regularly, that is focused on COVID-19. Here, you can view all of our previous newsletters, recordings of our town halls, and learn about resources and recommendations around the current public health emergency. We hope you, your family and friends find this information useful during this time.

D3 COVID-19 Informational Flyer

My staff and I have been working hard to supply the public with as many resources and as much knowledge as possible. These resources are vital to many, but reaching everyone who may need them is difficult. Please partner with me in getting the word out by [sharing our COVID-19 Informational Flyer](#) with your neighbors, family and friends. Together, we can ensure that every family has access to the help they need to stay healthy and safe during this pandemic.

As always, you can reach my office at 408-299-5030, email me at dave.cortese@bos.sccgov.org or visit the District 3 webpage at supervisorcortese.org.

Stay safe,



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