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Supplemental Guidance in support of WV Executive Order 24-20 Cabell-Huntington Health Department

To support the effort to prevent and stop the spread of the COVID-19 virus the Cabell-Huntington Health Department is issuing the following guidance as directed by the Governor.

In non-retail essential services, manage congregate staff to minimum safe and effective numbers and maintain worker spacing of 6 feet if possible. For people not alone in a space, face covering over the nose and mouth is recommended. If 6 feet of space between workers is not possible, face covering over the nose and mouth is required and shields between workers can be helpful if it does not impair worker safety. Workers wearing face masks or respirators as required for occupational safety do not require additional face covering in those work situations.

Essential retail services must limit customer occupancy to 3 customers per 1,000 square feet of customer floor space at one time. All workers are to wear face covering over the nose and mouth while in spaces with customers or other workers. All customers are encouraged to wear face covering over the nose and mouth, also. Smaller retail shops with customer space less than 1,000 feet must maintain 6 foot social distancing and limit numbers of customers and employees to 5 at one time.

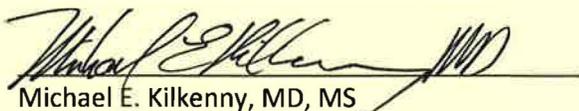
Additional CDC guidance for business operations during the COVID-19 pandemic can be found at:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/guidance-business-response.html>

Health care essential services are addressed in separate CDC guidance regarding personal protective equipment (PPE) which may exceed the guidance for non-healthcare related essential services. CDC guidance for health professionals can be found at:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/hcp/index.html>

As part of Cabell County's continued preparation and response for COVID-19, the Cabell-Huntington Health department is operating a call center to address general questions and concerns, hours are Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 6:00 pm (304) 526-6544


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