

# City of Carson COVID-19 Update

Wednesday, July 8, 2020

To help keep the community informed, the City of Carson is providing COVID-19 news updates related to health and safety tips, and informational links to meet the needs of the community and protect public health. To slow the spread of COVID-19, public health officials urge residents to practice social distancing, wash their hands regularly, wear a face covering and stay home as much as possible and avoid the “Three C’s”: Crowded places, Confined Spaces and Close Contact with others not in your household.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CITY OF CARSON MUST ADHERE TO ANY AND ALL ORDERS SET FORTH BY THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES AND THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.**

## COVID-19 CASES

7/8/2020 6:00	CASES	DEATHS
<b>CARSON</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>31</b>
County of Los Angeles	123,232	3,579
California	291,245	6,562
United States	3,051,427	134,291
Global	12,007,327	545,728

**John Hopkins University & Medicine Coronavirus Resource Center**

<https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/map.html>

**County of Los Angeles Public Health**

<http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/locations.htm>

- **Hospitalizations, Deaths and New Cases Continue to Increase** according to a Press Release by Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (July 8, 2020). <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/phcommon/public/media/mediapubhpdetail.cfm?prid=2489>
- **The United States Surpassed 3 Million Of Confirmed Coronavirus Cases Today** and has taken the lives of more than 131,000 people nationwide while more than 11.8 million cases were reported globally with over 545,000 deaths according to Johns Hopkins University. A record 60,000 new cases were reported in the U.S. in a single day on Tuesday.

- **Business in L.A. County Will Be Fined for Non-Compliance of COVID-19 Orders and Guidelines** by the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health as instructed through a vote by the L.A. County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday. A plan of action for implementation to incorporate fines or revoke permits is currently being developed. Businesses in Northern California already began fining businesses after having the fewest cases of coronavirus and were the first to begin re-opening but now have more than a 200% increase in confirmed cases.
- **Several L.A. County Cites Are Now Issuing Citations to Anyone Not Wearing a Face Covering in Public** violating orders amid a surge in coronavirus cases. Santa Monica joined West Hollywood and Beverly Hills revising its order setting fines at \$100 for a first violation, \$250 for a second violation and \$500 for a third, while fines for businesses begin at \$500, increasing to \$750 for a second violation and \$1,000 for a third.
- **Road Trip Travel Restrictions or Guidelines Due to COVID-19 Currently in Place in 17 States, Varying by State and Localities.** Some states are mandating that out-of-state travelers self-quarantine upon arriving, while other states apply the rule to residents returning from higher-risk areas, while other states require both groups to quarantine according to *Forbes*. Please research each state prior to traveling. <https://www.forbes.com/sites/suzannerowankelleher/2020/07/08/road-trip-alert-the-list-of-states-with-travel-quarantines-keeps-growing/#3c5e1c6366bd>
- **L.A. County Residents Are Being Requested To Participate In "Angelenos In Action"**, a new program that will help the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health collect data through a weekly confidential survey helping identify trends at the community level and allowing them to better allocate resources to highly impacted communities to help slow the spread of COVID-19. [https://lacpublichealth.sjc1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_a4Cklis37BKYZq5](https://lacpublichealth.sjc1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_a4Cklis37BKYZq5)
- **Covid-19 Testing** in Carson and Los Angeles County:
  - Carson Community Center - Carson residents only. To make an appointment, please log on to: <https://ushealthfairs.org/carsonform/>
  - Los Angeles County - all county residents. For locations and appointments, please log on to: <https://covid19.lacounty.gov/testing/>
- **Meal Programs for Residents Continue in Carson**, including for Seniors and the Homebound.
  - **Carson Essentials to GO** – Grocery Package Purchase - delivered: (310) 952-1765
  - **Free Meal Pick-Up** for those in need, Mon. - Thurs. at 11:00 a.m. : (310) 952-1750
  - **Free Meals Delivered** to homebound residents: (310) 952-1750
  - **Meals on Wheels Program for seniors age 60 and up:** (310) 602-4909
  - **Grab & Go Food Centers**, please log on to: <https://achieve.lausd.net/resources>
  - **Los Angeles Regional Food Bank**, please log on to: <https://www.lafoodbank.org/coronavirus/>
- **Parking Enforcement is Enforcing Parking Violations Throughout the City of Carson.** For more information, please call (310) 830-1786.

- **A Carson City Council Regular Meeting is Scheduled for Tuesday, July 14, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.**
  - The meeting will be livestreamed on Cable Spectrum Channel 35 and AT&T Channel 99.
  - For public participation during “public comment”, please go to: <http://ci.carson.ca.us/publiccomments.aspx>
  - To view current and previous Agendas, Videos and Minutes, please go to: <https://carson.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>
  
- **The City of Carson is Open For Business With Restrictions.** Residents are encouraged to conduct business telephonically or via the internet when possible. Visitors will not be allowed in city facilities without an appointment with the specific department of business.
  - **Carson City Hall - (310) 830-7600** - <http://ci.carson.ca.us/Departments.aspx>  
Hours: Mon. – Thurs. 7a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
  
  - **City Parks - (310) 847-3570** - [http://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityServices/Parks\\_Rec\\_Parks.aspx](http://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityServices/Parks_Rec_Parks.aspx)
    - Hours: Monday – Friday: 12pm - 7pm  
Saturday: 10am - 5pm  
Sunday: 12pm - 5pm
  
    - All visitors are required to wear a facemask/face coverings
    - Permits for room rentals are not being issued at this time.
    - Playgrounds and baseball fields remain closed.
    - No organized team workouts, practices or games are permitted.
    - Passive Recreation – family household only.
    - Tennis Courts are now open. Only two people can play at a time, 1 hour max play time.
    - Run, Walk, and Jog maintaining social distancing only.

Please continue to follow the recommendations of public health experts to avoid the spread of COVID-19 by washing your hands often; clean and disinfect surfaces on a regular basis; stay a safe distance from one another; stay home if you are ill; avoid others who are who are ill; cover coughs and sneezes; wear face masks if you are ill. If you are experiencing high fever, along with dry cough and fatigue, call your health provider so they can provide you with professional advice and recommendations. Those with underlying health conditions, the elderly and those who are pregnant should consider calling sooner, as soon as feeling ill.

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