

RESTAURANTS & BARS

Mandatory Safety Requirements for Phase Two in New Orleans

LOCAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL BUSINESSES

- Businesses must register with the Louisiana State Fire Marshal on opensafely.la.gov and must post certificate.
- All customers, clients, and visitors must wear face coverings while indoors or on the premises. Workers must have easy and frequent access to soap and water or hand sanitizer during the duration of work.
- All common spaces and equipment must be cleaned and disinfected at the beginning, middle and end of each shift and, if possible, prior to transfer from one person to another.
- In the case of retail cashiers, a translucent shield or "sneeze guard" should also be provided, when feasible.
- No congregation of workers is allowed and all common areas, such as break rooms and cafeterias, but excluding restrooms, shall be closed.
- Workers shall not report to, or be allowed to remain at, a work or job site if sick or symptomatic (with fever higher than 100.4 F, cough, and/or shortness of breath, diarrhea, or any other symptom suggestive of COVID-19).
- Non-symptomatic COVID-19 positive workers are not allowed on site and any worker(s) who have contact with a worker or any other person who is diagnosed with COVID-19 are required to quarantine for 14 days.
- Individuals who have tested positive can be allowed to return to work if they have not had symptoms for at least 3 days and at least 10 days have passed since their symptoms began.
- To the extent feasible, prior to the start of each work shift, pre-screening or survey shall be required to verify each employee has no symptoms of illness (fever, cough, and/or shortness of breath), including temperature checks when feasible.
- All workers must observe strict social distancing of at least 6 feet while on the job, unless noted, and should refrain from touching their faces.



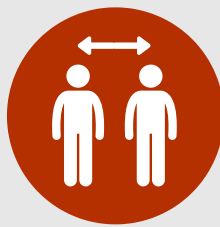
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- Patrons must utilize table seating only.
- Establishments with table service will be required to utilize a reservation system to track names and phone numbers of customers, keep this information for 21 days, and provide it to the Louisiana Department of Health if requested for contact tracing purposes.
- Indoor live entertainment is not authorized in this phase.
- Live entertainment may only take place outdoors. Any party seeking to host a live entertainment performance shall be required to obtain a special event permit from the City. Applications may be submitted by email to specialevents@nola.gov.
- As per State Fire Marshal guidelines, dancing is prohibited in this phase.

Local Requirements for Restaurants & Bars



All participants must practice social distancing



Table seating only



Utilize reservation system



No indoor live entertainment.



Outdoor live entertainment requiring special event permit from the City.



No dancing



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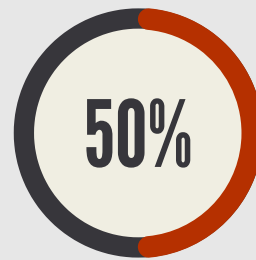
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STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR RESTAURANTS AND BARS

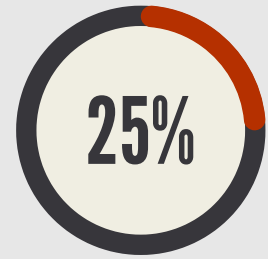
The maximum building capacity during the Phase 2 period is limited to:

- 50% of the normal established capacity for restaurants, cafes, coffee shops, microbreweries, and bars with LDH food service certificates;
- 25% of the normal established capacity for bars and nightclubs without LDH food service certificates.
- Please note that capacity restrictions should be applied down to the individual room, not just overall facilities.

State Requirements for Restaurants & Bars



Maximum building capacity for restaurants, cafes, coffee shops, microbreweries, & bars with LDH food service certificates



25% of the normal established capacity for bars and nightclubs without LDH food service certificates.

- **Option 1, Active Monitoring:**

Tables may be arranged to allow for 6 feet between persons or may be arranged 6 feet apart, measured from table edge to table edge, with back-to-back seating with the following additional measures being taken:

- Management should allow for non-contact temperature checks of patrons (subject to the availability of thermometers); AND
- Signage shall be provided to notify patrons to not enter if they have any symptoms of COVID-19.

- **Option 2, Partitioning Tables:**

Minimum 6-foot high partitions may be placed between tables or seating arrangements. NOTE: curtains or similar loosely hanging furnishings will require daily cleaning.



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STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR RESTAURANTS AND BARS CONTINUED...

- **Option 3, Strict Social Distancing:**

Open doors and windows to promote air flow to the greatest extent possible, when inside.

- Tables shall be placed a minimum of 6 feet apart, measured from the table edges, where movement or seating between tables is not necessary;
 - Where movement between tables is necessary, or where one person is seated between tables, the tables shall be spaced a minimum of 8 feet apart from the table edges;
 - Where persons are seated at each table back-to-back, the tables shall be spaced a minimum of 10 feet apart from the edges.
- Booth seating units can be fully utilized if separated by partitions with a height that exceeds the height of an average seated patron's head. If not, they are subject to spacing as provide above.
 - No more than 10 persons shall be seated at a single table and such parties should be members of the same household.
 - Buffets and other common food service stations shall remain closed.
 - Interior waiting areas shall remain closed. Waiting may be provided outside of the facility while following social distancing guidelines or persons shall wait in cars.
 - Avoid gatherings in the building while entering, exiting, or moving about.
 - Kitchen and employee area capacity shall be reduced to allow for 6-foot distancing between employees.
 - Customers are required to be seated at tables and shall not congregate in open areas of the establishment.

