

Dickinson County Plan for Re-Opening Ver 5-29

By order of the Dickinson County Health Officer,

The Kansas “Stay Home” order has been cancelled and this document has been prepared to offer guidance on a safe, phased in, reopening of Dickinson County. We must continue to take measures to ensure the safety of our most vulnerable and continue to ensure our healthcare resources are not overburdened. The Dickinson County Health Department and County Health Officer have adopted four “phases,” each of which represents a different level of guidance to help save lives and reduce transmission of the COVID-19 virus.

We understand that restarting economic activity is one of our county’s priorities at this time along with keeping our community safe and limiting the spread of COVID-19. This is a critical time to be thoughtful and careful about reopening Dickinson County. We do not want to have to return to a “Stay Home” order and believe that a safe, phased in approach will allow Dickinson County to accomplish this goal.

On the 26th day of May, 2020, Kansas Governor Laura Kelly announced that the Ad Astra order will no longer have the force and effect of law and the Counties would thenceforth be responsible for issuing any further public health orders to manage the outbreak in their local jurisdictions.

Any amendments made in this order that differ from the previous orders are highlighted.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES TO BE FOLLOWED THROUGH EACH PHASE

- State restrictions must allow for the actions included in each phase.
- To move from one phase to the next, all state defined criteria must be met.
- When able, staying home is recommended.
- Social distancing measures should continue to be followed:
 - Stay 6 feet away from others
 - Interact only with people of the same household when possible
 - Limit non-essential travel
- Masks recommended to be worn in all public places.
- Practice good hand hygiene by washing hands with soap and water or using hand sanitizer frequently.
- Avoid touching your face, mouth, nose, or eyes.
- Symptoms of COVID-19 include (but are not limited to) fever, cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, headache, chills, aches, fatigue, loss of smell or taste, nausea/vomiting, diarrhea.
- Businesses, organizations, or facilities may have stricter regulations than what are listed below but may not have less strict regulations.
- Vulnerable/High risk individuals and senior citizens should stay home as much as possible. They should stay in contact with their health care provider. They should not congregate with others who are not members of their immediate household. These persons should consider the feasibility of working from home and taking all precautions indefinitely to minimize their exposure.
- The reason for keeping a log of visitors or customers is to aid in contact tracing. Information must include date, name, address, and phone number.
- **Any organized events where the organizer anticipates to have 50 or more in attendance, organizer is responsible to keep a log of attendees containing name, address, and phone number, regardless of ages.**

	Phase 1.5 – May 18, 2020	Phase 2 – May 29, 2020 earliest date possible	Phase 3 – June 8, 2020 earliest date possible	Phase Out – June 22, 2020 earliest date possible
Mass Gatherings Limitations	10 or less	No restrictions (50+ attendee logging required)	No restrictions (50+ attendee logging required)	No restrictions (50+ attendee logging required)
Essential Businesses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen employees(s) for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at workplace entrance • Recommend employees wear masks at all times unless prohibited by other safety equipment • Move workspaces 6 feet apart • Common areas, such as breakrooms and lobbies, should be closed • Telecommuting/Working from home should be maximized 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen employees(s) for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at workplace entrance • Recommend employees wear masks at all times unless prohibited by other safety equipment • Move workspaces 6 feet apart • Common areas can be reopened • Telecommuting/Working from home should be maximized 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen employees(s) for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at workplace entrance • Recommend employees wear masks at all times unless prohibited by other safety equipment • Move workspaces 6 feet apart • Common areas remain opened • Telecommuting/Working from home is still encouraged 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen employees(s) for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at workplace entrance • Maintain workspaces 6 ft apart • High risk individuals should continue to social distance or work from home when possible/practical
Restaurants and Bars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All restaurant dining is allowed and must adhere to social distancing guidelines • Wait lines must adhere to social distancing guidelines or patrons wait in vehicles. • Reservations are encouraged • No self-serve food/beverages • Bars only not allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All restaurant dining is allowed and must adhere to social distancing guidelines • Wait lines must adhere to social distancing guidelines or patrons wait in vehicles. • Reservations are encouraged • No self-serve food (self-serve beverages allowed) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All restaurant dining is allowed and must adhere to social distancing guidelines • Wait lines must adhere to social distancing guidelines or patrons wait in vehicles. • Reservations are encouraged • Self-serve food/beverages are now allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practicing regular cleaning and disinfecting of facilities to minimize exposure to staff and patrons • Strongly encourage individual servers at buffet/self-serve stations

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strongly encourage individual servers at buffet/self-serve stations • Bars only not allowed • Bars are allowed to open 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strongly encourage individual servers at buffet/self-serve stations 	
Retail Businesses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide shopping cart sanitation supplies • Maintain social distancing • Recommend employees wear masks at all times • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises • Marks should be applied to the floor in the area adjacent to each cash register to indicate where to wait for check out • Plexiglass or like barriers are recommended at customer contact points • Enhanced cleaning should be done throughout the workday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide shopping cart sanitation supplies • Maintain social distancing • Recommend employees wear masks at all times • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises • Marks should be applied to the floor in the area adjacent to each cash register to indicate where to wait for check out • Plexiglass or like barriers are recommended at customer contact points • Enhanced cleaning should be done throughout the workday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide shopping cart sanitation supplies • Maintain social distancing • Recommend employees wear masks at all times • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises • Marks should be applied to the floor in the area adjacent to each cash register to indicate where to wait for check out • Plexiglass or like barriers are recommended at customer contact points • Enhanced cleaning should be done throughout the workday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide shopping cart sanitation supplies is recommended • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises • Plexiglass or like barriers are recommended at customer contact points • Enhanced cleaning should be done throughout the workday
Long-term care facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain social distancing as much as possible • Adjust the layout of common areas including dining facilities to maintain 6 feet between residents • Perform enhanced cleanings daily • Screen employees for fevers and/or illness • Staff should wear masks at all times • No outside visitors allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain social distancing as much as possible • Adjust the layout of common areas including dining facilities to maintain 6 feet between residents • Perform enhanced cleanings daily • Screen employees for fevers and/or illness • Staff should wear masks at all times • No outside visitors allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain social distancing as much as possible • Adjust the layout of common areas including dining facilities to maintain 6 feet between residents • Perform enhanced cleanings daily • Screen employees for fevers and/or illness • Staff should wear masks at all times • No outside visitors allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain social distancing as much as possible • Adjust the layout of common areas including dining facilities to maintain 6 feet between residents • Perform enhanced cleanings daily • Screen employees for fevers and/or illness • Staff should wear masks at all times

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any non-staff entrance to facility shall be documented 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any non-staff entrance to facility shall be documented 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any non-staff entrance to facility shall be documented 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outside visitors allowed but must be screened for fevers and/or symptoms of illness and must wear masks at all times Any non-staff entrance to facility shall be documented
Childcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Childcare facilities must adhere to all current KDHE guidelines Outdoor activities are encouraged; use of commonly touched items such as playground equipment, toys, and sports equipment are allowed with disinfecting done between classes Perform enhanced cleanings daily Screen employees and children for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at facility entrance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Childcare facilities must adhere to all current KDHE guidelines Outdoor activities are encouraged; use of commonly touched items such as playground equipment, toys, and sports equipment are allowed with disinfecting done between classes Perform enhanced cleanings daily Screen employees and children for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at facility entrance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Childcare facilities must adhere to all current KDHE guidelines Outdoor activities are encouraged; use of commonly touched items such as playground equipment, toys, and sports equipment is allowed with disinfecting done between classes Perform enhanced cleanings daily Screen employees and children for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at facility entrance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Childcare facilities must adhere to all current KDHE guidelines Outdoor activities are encouraged; use of commonly touched items such as playground equipment, toys, and sports equipment is allowed with disinfecting done between classes Perform enhanced cleanings daily Screen employees and children for fevers and/or illness with a questionnaire at facility entrance
Libraries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allowed to open Practice social distancing when possible Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice social distancing when possible Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice social distancing when possible Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">

Personal Services (salons, barber shops, tattoo, and massage parlors)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services may be provided by appointment only • Both service provider and customer must wear masks • The business must keep a record of all customers • Appointments must be spaced so that there is adequate time to clean thoroughly between customers • One customer is allowed per service provider in the business at any given time. • Customers must be screened for fever and/or illness • Maintain social distancing of patrons and staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services may be provided by appointment only • Both service provider and customer must wear masks • The business must keep a record of all customers • Appointments must be spaced so that there is adequate time to clean thoroughly between customers • One customer is allowed per service provider in the business at any given time. • Customers must be screened for fever and/or illness • Maintain social distancing of patrons and staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services may be provided by appointment only • Both service provider and customer must wear masks • The business must keep a record of all customers • Appointments must be spaced so that there is adequate time to clean thoroughly between customers • One customer is allowed per service provider in the business at any given time. • Customers must be screened for fever and/or illness • Maintain social distancing of patrons and staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Both service provider and customer recommended to wear masks • Customers and employees should be screened for fever and/or illness
Religious Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Religious services should adhere to social distancing guidelines • Churches are encouraged to use online, radio, or other telecommunications tools whenever possible to conduct services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Religious services should adhere to social distancing guidelines • Churches are encouraged to use online, radio, or other telecommunications tools whenever possible to conduct services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Religious services should adhere to social distancing guidelines • Churches are encouraged to use online, radio, or other telecommunications tools whenever possible to conduct services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Churches are encouraged to use online, radio, or other telecommunications tools whenever possible to conduct services

Recreation Commission Activities (group classes, Including music, dance & fitness)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not permitted 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outdoor team practices may occur with social distancing • Competitive team events/tournaments may begin • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public
Summer programs and activities (includes camps, sporting events, and any team practices)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not permitted 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summer camps are not allowed • Outdoor team practices may occur with social distancing • Competitive team events/tournaments may begin • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public • Permitted following mass gathering restrictions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All activities are allowed • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public • Permitted following mass gathering restrictions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All activities are allowed • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public • Permitted following mass gathering restrictions
Bowling alleys/indoor leisure (theaters & museums)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not allowed to open 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allowed to open • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice social distancing when possible • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	
Parks, Public Spaces, and Playground Equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parks and public spaces are open. Practice social distancing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parks and public spaces are open. Practice social distancing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parks and public spaces are open. Practice social distancing 	

Gyms and Fitness Centers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gyms/Fitness centers may be open. • Locker rooms closed except bathroom use. • No group classes • The business must keep a record of all customers using the facility • Must adhere to social distancing guidelines • Equipment must be cleaned thoroughly between uses • Customers must be screened for fever and/or illness • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gyms/Fitness centers may be open. • Locker rooms closed except bathroom use. • Group class limit 15 • The business must keep a record of all customers using the facility • Must adhere to social distancing guidelines • Equipment must be cleaned thoroughly between uses • Customers must be screened for fever and/or illness • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gyms/Fitness centers may be open • The business must keep a record of all customers using the facility • Must adhere to social distancing guidelines • Equipment must be cleaned thoroughly between uses • Customers must be screened for fever and/or illness • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The business must keep a record of all customers using the facility • Equipment must be cleaned thoroughly between uses • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the facilities for staff and public
Public Swimming Pools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not allowed open 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not allowed open 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open, Per State Guidelines 	
Real Estate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual showings are allowed • No open houses • Maintain social distancing guidelines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual showings are allowed • No open houses • Maintain social distancing guidelines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual showings are allowed • Open houses are allowed • Maintain social distancing guidelines 	
Community Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No fairs, parades, festivals, rodeos, garage sales, or block parties • Must adhere to mass gathering and social distancing guidelines • The entity organizing the event is responsible for ensuring that all guidelines are being followed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No fairs, parades, festivals, rodeos • Must adhere to mass gathering and social distancing guidelines • The entity organizing the event is responsible for ensuring that all guidelines are being followed • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must adhere to mass gathering and social distancing guidelines • The entity organizing the event is responsible for ensuring that all guidelines are being followed • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises for the duration of the event 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises for the duration of the event

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hand sanitizer should be readily available throughout the premises for the duration of the event 	the premises for the duration of the event		
Cruise Nights, Events, Vehicle shows	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not permitted 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permitted with social distancing measures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permitted with social distancing measures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit persons per building to 10 • Per KSDE and school district • In person commencement or graduation ceremonies may occur with no more than 10 individuals in a room, gym, or facility at one time and only if those 10 individuals maintain a 6-foot distance between individuals (not including individuals that reside together) with only infrequent or incidental moments of closer proximity. • Outdoor drive-through graduation ceremonies during which no more than 10 individuals are in the same area outside of their vehicles at a time (i.e. school administration, graduate, family members, etc.) are allowed. Individuals who remain within an enclosed motor vehicle do not count toward the maximum number of attendees allowed in the same area. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit persons per building to 10 • Per KSDE and school district • In person commencement or graduation ceremonies may occur with no more than 10 individuals in a room, gym, or facility at one time and only if those 10 individuals maintain a 6-foot distance between individuals (not including individuals that reside together) with only infrequent or incidental moments of closer proximity. • Outdoor drive-through graduation ceremonies during which no more than 10 individuals are in the same area outside of their vehicles at a time (i.e. school administration, graduate, family members, etc.) are allowed. Individuals who remain within an enclosed motor vehicle do not count toward the maximum number of attendees allowed in the same area. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit persons per building to 10 • Per KSDE and school district • Graduation ceremonies allowed following mass gathering restrictions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Per KSDE and school district

Medical Procedures	• Per hospital/clinic	• Per hospital/clinic	• Per hospital/clinic	

All previous orders issued by the Dickinson County Health Officer are hereby rescinded.

NOW THEREFORE, the following local requirements have been adopted and where indicated are mandatory and legally required in order for the certain businesses to safely open and serve the public. Any business or entity that does not operate in accord with these requirements is subject to closure by an Order of the Dickinson County Health Officer.

It is so ordered by the Dickinson County Health Officer, effective 12:01 a.m., Friday, May 29th, 2020.



Brian Holmes MD
Dickinson County Health Officer

May 29th, 2020