

## COVID-19 STATE RESOURCES – UPDATED MARCH 23, 2020

### NORTHEAST

#### CONNECTICUT

**Legislature:** Adjourned early

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in effect as of March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8pm

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://portal.ct.gov/coronavirus>

#### MAINE

**Legislature:** Adjourned on March 17<sup>th</sup>

**COVID-19 Status:** Bars and restaurants limited to take-out/delivery only, gatherings of 10+ prohibited, see [executive order](#)

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.maine.gov/governor/mills/covid-19>

#### MASSACHUSETTS

**Legislature:** In session

**COVID-19 Status:** State of emergency declared, non-essential businesses ordered to close as of March 24<sup>th</sup> at 12pm

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.mass.gov/resource/information-on-the-outbreak-of-coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19>

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE

**Legislature:** Suspended until April 10<sup>th</sup>

**COVID-19 Status:** State of Emergency declared, see order [here](#)

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.nh.gov/covid19/>

## **NEW JERSEY**

**Legislature:** Suspended

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in place, all non-essential retail businesses closed

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://covid19.nj.gov/>

## **NEW YORK**

**Legislature:** Suspended

**COVID-19 Status:** NY State is on PAUSE, all non-essential workers are directed to work from home

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home>

## **RHODE ISLAND**

**Legislature:** Suspended

**COVID-19 Status:** No shelter in place in effect, all entertainment and recreational businesses closed

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://health.ri.gov/diseases/ncov2019/>

## **VERMONT**

**Legislature:** Suspended

**COVID-19 Status:** No shelter in place in effect, bars and restaurants are takeout/delivery only

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.healthvermont.gov/response/infectious-disease/2019-novel-coronavirus>

## **MID-ATLANTIC**

### **DELAWARE**

**Legislature:** Adjourned indefinitely

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in effect as of March 24<sup>th</sup> at 8am

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.delaware.gov/>

### **MARYLAND**

**Legislature:** Adjourned on March 18<sup>th</sup>, may reconvene if necessary in late May or early June

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in effect as of March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5pm

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.maryland.gov/>

### **OHIO**

**Legislature:** In session

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in effect as of March 23<sup>rd</sup> at midnight

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see order [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/covid-19/>

### **PENNSYLVANIA**

**Legislature:** In session and voting remotely

**COVID-19 Status:** Statewide closure of all “non-life sustaining” businesses; “Stay-at-Home” orders in place in the following counties – Allegheny, Bucks, Chester, Monroe, Delaware, and Montgomery as well as the city of Philadelphia.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see updated guidance [here](#) . All local ordinances observe the same exemptions.

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.pa.gov/guides/responding-to-covid-19/>

## **VIRGINIA**

**Legislature:** Adjourned on March 7<sup>th</sup>

**COVID-19 Status:** State of emergency declared, gatherings of 10+ prohibited

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/coronavirus/>

## **WEST VIRGINIA**

**Legislature:** Adjourned on March 7<sup>th</sup>

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in effect as of March 24<sup>th</sup> at 8pm

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance here

**Additional Resources:** <https://dhhr.wv.gov/COVID-19/Pages/default.aspx>

## **MID-WEST**

### **ILLINOIS**

**Legislature:** Suspended until April 8<sup>th</sup> unless agreement on budget or Covid-19 issues need to be passed.

**COVID-19 Status:** Stay at Home Order effective March 21 to April 7.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** <http://www.dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/diseases-and-conditions/diseases-a-z-list/coronavirus/business-guidance>

## **INDIANA**

**Legislature:** Adjourned Sine Die 3/12/20

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order effective at midnight on March 24<sup>th</sup>

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** Governor’s Executive order website:

<https://www.in.gov/gov/2384.htm> <https://www.in.gov/gov/2384.htm> State Covid-19 website:  
<https://www.in.gov/coronavirus/>

## **IOWA**

**Legislature:** Suspended until April 17th

**COVID-19 Status:** No Shelter in Place. The [Proclamation on State of Emergency](#), issued 3/17/20, sets guidelines for mass gatherings and physical distancing, but does not require closure of manufacturing or offices.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not applicable, since no closure order.

**Additional Resources:** <https://idph.iowa.gov/Emerging-Health-Issues/Novel-Coronavirus>

## **KANSAS**

**Legislature:** Suspended effective March 19. Target return is late April.

**COVID-19 Status:** No Shelter in Place Statewide. Four counties encompassing Kansas City in Kansas and suburbs - Douglas, Leavenworth, Johnson and Wyandotte – and neighboring Missouri counties Jackson and Platte ordered people to stay home unless carrying out essential activities, such as grocery shopping or going to work. The orders begin March 24, and last 30 days. Depending on the spread of the disease, the counties may extend that period. [Executive Order 20-04](#), issued on 3/16/20, places restrictions on mass gatherings, and specifically exempts manufacturing, processing, production, and distribution; and offices spaces and government service centers.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** ACC shared CISA Guidance with the four Kansas counties and two Missouri counties, and received confirmation that chemical sector would be considered essential and not require special documentation.

**Additional Resources:** Kansas Department of Health Covid-19 website:

<https://govstatus.egov.com/coronavirus> Executive Order:

[https://kchap2.kdhe.state.ks.us/NewsRelease/COVID19/Mass Gatherings Executive Order 20-04-Executed.pdf](https://kchap2.kdhe.state.ks.us/NewsRelease/COVID19/Mass_Gatherings_Executive_Order_20-04-Executed.pdf)

## **MICHIGAN**

**Legislature:** Only meeting for Emergency Issues

**COVID-19 Status:** Shelter in Place effective March 24<sup>th</sup> at midnight

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes, see guidance [here](#)

**Additional Resources:** [https://www.michigan.gov/whitmer/0,9309,7-387-90499\\_90640---.00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/whitmer/0,9309,7-387-90499_90640---.00.html)

## **MINNESOTA**

**Legislature:** Suspended until April 14th, 2020

**COVID-19 Status:** No Shelter in Place. The Commissioner of Health issued a number of community mitigation strategies, including distancing of 6 feet per person at smaller gatherings. See guidance [here](#).

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not applicable, since no executive order

**Additional Resources:** MN Department of Health Covid-19 guidance for business: <https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/businesses> Governor's website: <https://mn.gov/governor/news/#/detail/appId/1/id/424173>

## **NEBRASKA**

**Legislature:** Back in Session 3/23/20 for three days to pass emergency Covid-19 emergency funds.

**COVID-19 Status:** No Shelter in Place. The Director of Public Health on 3/19/20 issued an [order](#) that affects the counties of Cass, Douglas, Sarpy, and Washington regarding public gathering and restaurants, and specifically does not apply to office buildings, manufacturing facilities, packing facilities, construction jobs, and other traditional office settings.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not applicable, since no executive order

**Additional Resources:** Governor’s website: <https://governor.nebraska.gov/> and State DPH order: <https://www.dropbox.com/s/sk95elfp6bnfsv/DHM%203.19.2020.pdf?dl=0>

## **NORTH DAKOTA**

**Legislature:** Not in session in 2020.

**COVID-19 Status:** No Shelter in Place order. No executive order has been issued on closures for offices or manufacturing. The State website refers businesses to CDC website for guidance. Executive Order No. 2020-3, on 3/21/20 declared a state of emergency in response to COVID-19

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not applicable, since no executive order

**Additional Resources:** Governor’s website: <https://www.governor.nd.gov/>

## **SOUTH DAKOTA**

**Legislature:** Adjourned until 3/30, except for a one-day veto session.

**COVID-19 Status:** No Shelter in Place order. No executive order has been issued on mass gatherings or closures for offices or manufacturing. The state refers businesses to CDC website for mitigation guidance. South Dakota Governor Kristi Noem (R) and the Department of Health commissioned a taskforce for coordination and planning with partners and other state agencies for matters related to COVID-19.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not applicable, since no executive order

**Additional Resources:** State Covid-19 website:  
<https://doh.sd.gov/news/Coronavirus.aspx#Groups>

## **WISCONSIN**

**Legislature:** Senate in session with limited legislative days left. Assembly likely done for the year.

**COVID-19 Status:** “Safer at Home” order expected, but not issued as of 3/23/20.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not applicable, awaiting “Safer at Home” order

**Additional Resources:** DHS website: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/index.htm> EO #8:

[https://content.govdelivery.com/attachments/WIGOV/2020/03/20/file\\_attachments/1406848/](https://content.govdelivery.com/attachments/WIGOV/2020/03/20/file_attachments/1406848/)

[EO%208%20Clarification 3.20.2020.pdf](#) Governor's website:  
<https://evers.wi.gov/Pages/Newsroom/Executive-Orders.aspx>

## **SOUTH**

### **ALABAMA**

**Legislature:** Postponed until March 31<sup>st</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide "Shelter-In-Place" or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <http://alabamapublichealth.gov/infectiousdiseases/2019-coronavirus.html>

### **ARKANSAS**

**Legislature:** Legislature has not yet convened for 2020. They are set to convene for a fiscal session on April 8<sup>th</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide "Shelter-In-Place" or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/novel-coronavirus>

### **FLORIDA**

**Legislature:** Passed the budget and adjourned on March 19<sup>th</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide business closures or "Shelter-In-Place" orders as of now though some cities have implemented their own.

- Miami-Dade: Miami-Dade County has closed non-essential businesses, however there is an exemption for manufacturing and critical supply chain ([Order](#)).

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <http://floridahealthcovid19.gov/>



## **GEORGIA**

**Legislature:** Postponed until a later date.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide business closures or “Shelter-In-Place” orders as of now though some cities have implemented their own. Note that these orders should not impact the operations of our industry.

- Atlanta: Restaurants and bars serving food must implement a take-out or delivery system only.
- Athens-Clarke County: “Shelter-in-Place” Order in effect as of March 20<sup>th</sup> at 12:01am ([Order](#))
- Dougherty Country: “Shelter-in-Place” Order in effect as of March 21<sup>st</sup> at 12:01am ([Order](#))

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://dph.georgia.gov/novelcoronavirus>

## **KENTUCKY**

**Legislature:** Postponed until March 27<sup>th</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** Statewide non-essential in-person retail business closures beginning March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8pm ([Executive Order](#)). This relates to in-person retail only, so the chemical sector can continue with business as usual.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dph/pages/covid19.aspx>

## **LOUISIANA**

**Legislature:** Postponed until March 31<sup>st</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** Statewide “Stay-At-Home” order in effect as of March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5pm ([Proclamation](#)).

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes

**Additional Resources:** <http://ldh.la.gov/Coronavirus/>

## **MISSISSIPPI**

**Legislature:** Postponed until April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “Shelter-In-Place” or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.coronavirus.ms.gov/>

## **MISSOURI**

**Legislature:** The House is adjourned until March 30<sup>th</sup>. The Senate is adjourned until March 26<sup>th</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “Shelter-In-Place” or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://health.mo.gov/living/healthcondiseases/communicable/novel-coronavirus/>

## **NORTH CAROLINA**

**Legislature:** Session does not convene until April 28<sup>th</sup>, but they have cancelled all committee meetings through March 31<sup>st</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “Shelter-In-Place” or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/public-health/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19-response-north-carolina>

## **OKLAHOMA**

**Legislature:** Legislature is in recess until March 27<sup>th</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “Shelter-In-Place” or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.health.ok.gov/>

## **PUERTO RICO**

**Legislature:** Legislature has not yet postponed or adjourned due to COVID-19.

**COVID-19 Status:** Islandwide 9pm to 5am curfew and non-essential business closures in effect as of March 15<sup>th</sup> ([Executive Order](#)). Note that this order does not appear to impact our industry.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** No

**Additional Resources:** <http://www.salud.gov.pr/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>

## **SOUTH CAROLINA**

**Legislature:** Legislature has not yet postponed or adjourned, however, they will not meet for at least a week as they deliberate on next course of action.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “Shelter-In-Place” or non-essential business closures as of now.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://scdhec.gov/infectious-diseases/viruses/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19>

## **TENNESSEE**

**Legislature:** Postponed until June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**COVID-19 Status:** Statewide non-essential business closure ([Executive Order](#)). Critical infrastructure is exempt.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.tn.gov/health/cedep/ncov.html>

## **TEXAS**

**Legislature:** No regular session in 2020.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide business closures or “Shelter-In-Place” orders as of now though some cities have implemented their own.

- Both [Waco](#) and [Dallas](#) have ordered “Shelter-In-Place” mandates. Critical infrastructure is exempt from both of these orders. The Dallas order specifically outlines that CISA/DHS’s list of critical infrastructure is exempt.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/>

## **WEST**

### **ALASKA**

**Legislature:** In session

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “stay at home” order issued

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <http://dhss.alaska.gov/dph/Epi/id/Pages/COVID-19/default.aspx>

### **ARIZONA**

**Legislature:** The Arizona Legislature has not shut down to date.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide shelter in place has been ordered.

**Additional Resources:** <https://az.gov/government-0>

### **CALIFORNIA**

**Legislature:** In recess until April 13, 2020

**COVID-19 Status:** “Stay-at-Home” order in effect as of March 19.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes

**Additional Resources:** <https://covid19.ca.gov/stay-home-except-for-essential-needs/>

### **CALIFORNIA LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACTIVITY**

**COVID-19 Status:** The following local governments have issued “stay at home” orders that direct non-essential businesses to close: City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, Santa Clara County, County of Marin, Contra Costa County, San Mateo County, Alameda County, City and County of San Francisco, City of Berkeley.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Not specifically but the orders include a broad list of essential operations, including those that supply other essential businesses with the support, services, or supplies necessary to operate.

**Additional Resources:**

- [Santa Clara County Order](#)
- [County of Marin](#)
- [San Mateo County](#)
- [Contra Costa County](#)
- [City and County of San Francisco](#)
- [Alameda County](#)
- [City of Berkeley](#)
- [City of LA Order](#)
- [LA County Safer at Home Order](#) and [LA County Public Health Order Guidance Document](#)

**COLORADO**

**Legislature:** The Legislature is in recess until March 30<sup>th</sup>, but may extend that date later.

**COVID-19 Status:** No formal “Shelter in Place” directive has been issued however, Colorado Governor Jared Polis [directed](#) all employers to implement tele-work options to the greatest extent possible. If tele-work is not practical or possible, employers are encouraged to stagger work schedules to reduce the proximity of employees during work hours and to keep employees on payroll. This Executive Order does not apply to any employer that can certify that employees are no closer than six feet from one another during any part of their work hours. **Chemical manufacturing is except from this directive.** The order begins Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> and runs through April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Additional Resources:** <https://covid19.colorado.gov/>

**HAWAII**

**Legislature:** The Hawaii Legislature has shut down indefinitely.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide shelter in place has been ordered, but the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu [ordered](#) “Shelter in Place” beginning Monday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> through May 3<sup>rd</sup>. Maui also [ordered](#) residents to “Shelter in Place” beginning March 22<sup>nd</sup> through April 30<sup>th</sup>.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Honolulu – Yes, Maui – No, but essential business is defined as one that supplies other essential businesses with the support or supplies necessary to operate.

**Additional Resources:** <https://hawaiiicovid19.com/>

## **IDAHO**

**Legislature:** Adjourned

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “stay at home” order issued

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.idaho.gov/>

## **MONTANA**

**Legislature:** No session in 2020

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “stay at home” order issued

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://covid19.mt.gov/>

## **NEVADA**

**Legislature:** No 2020 session

**COVID-19 Status:** Governor has issued a directive that all non-essential business operations are to close.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** Yes

**Additional Resources:** <https://nvhealthresponse.nv.gov/>

## **NEW MEXICO**

**Legislature:** The New Mexico Legislature has already adjourned for the year.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide shelter in place has been ordered, but the Department of Public Health issued the following [directive](#), which became effective March 19<sup>th</sup> and prohibits

gatherings of more than 10 people. The order exempts “typical business environments” from closing. That includes businesses, governmental organizations, political subdivisions or other entities engaged in commercial, industrial, charitable or professional activities. Those businesses may remain open, but they should, per the order, limit operations to the greatest extent possible and minimize employee contact.

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemption:** No, but exempts commercial operations.

**Additional Resources:** <https://cv.nmhealth.org/>

## **OREGON**

**Legislature:** Adjourned

**COVID-19 Status:** Governor issued stay at home (to the maximum extent feasible) order on March 23, 2020. Most retail businesses ordered to close but the order stops short of mandating other operations to close

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** [https://govsite-assets.s3.amazonaws.com/jkAULYKcSh6DoDF8wBM0\\_EO%2020-12.pdf](https://govsite-assets.s3.amazonaws.com/jkAULYKcSh6DoDF8wBM0_EO%2020-12.pdf) <https://govstatus.egov.com/OR-OHA-COVID-19>

## **UTAH**

**Legislature:** Adjourned

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “stay at home” order issued

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.utah.gov/>

## **WASHINGTON STATE**

**Legislature:** Adjourned

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide “stay at home” order issued

**DHS Critical Infrastructure Exemptions:** N/A

**Additional Resources:** <https://coronavirus.wa.gov/>

## **WYOMING**

**Legislature:** Already adjourned already for the year.

**COVID-19 Status:** No statewide shelter in place has been ordered.

**Additional Resources:** <https://covid19.wyo.gov/>