



City of Santa Clara

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This is a summary of the City of Santa Clara's latest response efforts along with impacts to local events and City programs/services due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) public health emergency.

Current Developments

- As counties across the state are gradually reopening business, keep in mind that COVID-19 is still here and still spreading.
 - Here are a few tips on how to shop safely:
 - Wear a face covering.
 - Stay at least six feet away from others who are not part of your household.
 - Avoid touching your face.
 - Wash your hands when you get home.
- Gyms and fitness centers are not approved to be open in Santa Clara County
 - While parts of California allow gyms and fitness centers to be open in accordance with Stage 3 of the State's [Resilience Roadmap](#), Santa Clara County is not there yet.
 - When there is a discrepancy in the State and County public health orders, the stricter of the two must be followed.
 - Santa Clara County is in Stage 2 of the State's Resilience Roadmap.
- While Santa Clara County continues its phased approach to reopening, there are some people who are at higher risk for serious COVID-19 illness than others.

- According to public health officials, older adults and people with underlying health conditions are more likely to develop more serious symptoms and to require more intensive medical care.
- As a result, the County Public Health Department strongly urges individuals who are at higher risk of severe illness from COVID-19 to stay home.
- Other precautions include frequently washing hands with soap and water and staying away from people who are ill.
- For more information about precautions that individuals who are at higher risk should take, visit the [County Public Health website](#).

City Programs and Services

- The Santa Clara City Library will begin contactless curbside pickup at Central Park Library starting Monday, June 15.
 - Patrons who receive a notice that their holds are ready to be picked up may visit the Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Road, during the following hours:
 - Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays:
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
 - Wednesdays:
3 p.m. to 7 p.m.
 - In accordance with the [County of Santa Clara's updated Shelter-in-Place order](#) and public health and safety protocols, here's how the contactless curbside library pickup will work:
 - Library staff will direct patrons, who received a notice that their holds are ready for pickup, to park in designated spots at the front of the Central Park Library.
 - Call the number on the sign and give your information from your Holds Pickup Notice. For faster service, please have your library card number available.
 - Staff will check the material out and deliver in a bag to the table where you are parked.
 - If the patron needs assistance, staff are happy to load it into the vehicle following all social distancing and safety protocols. Please wear a face covering if exiting your vehicle.
 - Returns will also be accepted through the Central Park Library walk-up book drop during these hours.
 - All returned materials will be quarantined for 72 hours; requests may be delayed.
 - However, there is no need for patrons to return items at this time.
 - All Santa Clara city libraries remain closed to the public.
 - During the library closure, due dates have been extended and no fines will be charged.
 - For more information, visit the Library website, [SClibrary.org](#), or call 408-615-2900 weekdays, 10 a.m.- 2 p.m.

Mini-Summer Camps

- This summer, the City's Parks & Recreation Department will offer several mini-camp sessions from July 6 to August 7 in compliance with social distancing and health and safety protocols.
 - Camp cohorts of 12 campers, ages 7 to 12, will be offered at each camp site.
 - Campers with siblings will be accommodated, when possible, in the same group.
 - Due to current State and County public health guidelines, children may not attend more than one camp at a time. Also, children may not move from one program to another more often than every three weeks.
 - The virtual Recreation Activity Guide and registration for residents will begin on Monday, June 15.
 - For more information, contact the Community Recreation Center at 408-615-3140.

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