



OFFICE OF COUNTY MAYOR GLENN JACOBS

Knox County Health Department • 140 Dameron Avenue, Knoxville, TN 37917-6413

Amendment to the Order issued April 30, 2020 from the Knox County Public Health Officer

Under “Guidance for Specific Types of Employers and Other Organizations”

The phrase:

- **When 6ft of physical distancing cannot be maintained, *it is recommended* employees and patrons wear face coverings.**

Be amended as follows:

- **When 6ft of physical distancing cannot be maintained, employees and patrons *must* wear face coverings.**

The phrase:

- **Open by appointment only. Seating for patrons *should* be at least 6 feet apart in service areas. Patrons cannot wait inside.**

Be amended as follows:

- **Open by appointment only. Seating for patrons *must* be at least 6 feet apart in service areas. Patrons cannot wait inside.**

The phrase:

- **Patrons and employees/service providers *should* be screened for exposure and illness prior to the service (Use the screening questions from the employee entrance safety sign that will be available on the website).**

Should be amended as follows:

- **Patrons and employees/service providers *must* be screened for exposure and illness prior to the service (Use the screening questions from the employee entrance safety sign that will be available on the website).**

The phrase:

- **Client and employee/service provider *should* wear a cloth face covering if service provided requires worker to be within 6 feet of the client.**

Be Amended as follows:

- **Client and employee/service provider *must* wear a cloth face covering if service provided requires worker to be within 6 feet of the client.**



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The phrase:

- When 6ft. of physical distancing cannot be maintained, employees and patrons *should* wear face coverings.

Be amended as follows:

- When 6ft. of physical distancing cannot be maintained, employee and patrons *must* wear fact coverings.

The phrase:

- Distancing floor markers *should* be used to encourage physical distancing of 6 feet throughout the store. Consider one-way aisle markers, as well.

Be Amended as follows:

- Distancing floor markers *must* be used to encourage physical distancing of 6 feet throughout the store. Consider one-way aisle markers, as well.

Term and effective date. This order shall be effective and enforceable at 08:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time, on May 1, 2020, and shall remain in effect until 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time although it is anticipated that in the near future additional business guidelines will allow for reopening of additional businesses safely, at which time this Order will be amended or otherwise revised accordingly.

Be Amended as follows:

Term and effective date. This order as amended shall be effective and enforceable at 08:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time, on May 1, 2020, and shall remain in effect until 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time May 29, 2020 although it is anticipated that in the near future additional business guidelines will allow for reopening of additional businesses safely, at which time this Order will be amended or otherwise revised accordingly. The Order may be revised prior to May 29, 2020 if the situation warrants.

Date: May 1, 2020

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5/1/2020

DATE