GATHERINGS AND EVENTS GUIDANCE FROM PUBLIC HEALTH

Any gathering is risky at this time.
The highly contagious delta variant is spreading rapidly in our community. Hospitals are very full and have limited staffing capacity.

You can help hospitals and keep schools open by hosting events responsibly. It will take all of us to stop the spread of COVID-19.

Make adjustments or cancel your event if it cannot meet the following guidelines or your guests will not practice these safety measures. Consider hosting a virtual event.

Host all events outside and do the following:

- Remind everyone to stay home when they:
  - » Are sick or have any symptoms of illness,
  - » Are waiting for COVID-19 test results, or
  - » Have been around someone with COVID-19 in the last 14 days.
- Ask all guests to be fully vaccinated.
- Remind guests that it is safest for adults and children who are not vaccinated to stay home.
- Even though the event is outside, everyone should wear masks if it's crowded.
- Create space for guests to be at least 6 feet apart and limit the size of the gathering.
- Place musicians, performers, or people giving speeches more than 6 feet from the audience. Use a sound system.
- Serve food individually or in household groups. Create physical distance if people must wait in line.
- Make handwashing and hand sanitizing stations accessible.
- Clean and disinfect surfaces frequently.
- Refer guests to 211 for current COVID-19 information about vaccines, testing, and resources.

Stay Home if Sick

Get Vaccinated if Eligible & Wear Your Mask

Go Outside

If your guests must be indoors briefly

- Everyone should wear a mask, whether they are vaccinated or not.
- Open windows and doors to increase airflow.

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