



Public Health Brief

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Congratulations!

Because of our cooperation as a community working together, we are only one of 3 counties that have landed in Tier 4 in Governor Newsom's "Blueprint for a Safer Economy" during COVID19:

<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/COVID19CountyMonitoringOverview.aspx>

You can read the details on the link above, but what does this mean specifically for Alpine County? A new risk-based approach has been applied to the various sectors, which dictate the level of operations and capacity permitted at each specific tier. Since we are in "Tier 4 – Minimal", we are permitted to open the various sectors according to the information in the following link:

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/CDPH%20Document%20Library/COVID-19/Dimmer-Framework-August_2020.pdf

For us, this will create opportunity for museums, restaurants, and bars to expand their services as outlined. This will take effect on Monday August 31st.

CAUTION: We have only had 2 cases of COVID19 in residents in the last 6 months. It would only take 2 cases in a 2-week period to elevate us into "Tier 2 – Substantial". We need to diligently follow the usual measures to keep moving forward:

- Keep your distance at least 6 feet apart from anyone outside of your household
- Wear your mask outside of your household when you are near others.
- Wash your hands frequently
- Minimize social mixing between households and communities. If you participate in backyard or other gatherings, follow the first 3 measures above
- Get tested frequently – This will be addressed in much more detail next week.



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