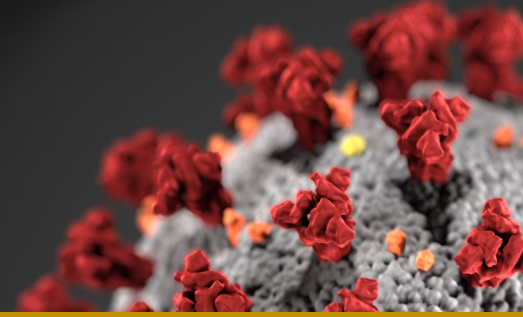


COVID-19 ADVISORY & GUIDANCE UPDATE



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This update summarizes news, guidance, advisories, and legislative and executive actions taken by federal, state and local governments that impact San Bernardino County and its response to the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) crisis.

- **April 7** — The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) provided COVID-19 planning resources for small businesses and employees including:
 - [Interim guidance](#) on cleaning and social distancing practices,
 - OSHA [Guidance on Preparing Workplaces](#) for COVID-19,
 - [Preparing for disruption](#) due to an outbreak, and
 - [How to clean and disinfect](#) various surface types and preventing virus spread in a workplace.
- **April 6** — The CDC posted:
 - Guidance for [mitigating staff shortages](#) in a healthcare setting. This guidance includes:
 - o Contingency capacity strategies such as recognizing the vital staffing needs and determining minimum number of staff required
 - o Resources for [addressing staff stress and anxiety](#)
 - [Webinar trainings](#) for healthcare professionals related to various COVID-19 topics.
- **April 4** — The United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) issued [guidance on clinical electronic thermometers](#) in order to expand availability as this is a key tool in screening and diagnosing COVID-19.
- **April 4** — While the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors continues to hold meetings to conduct essential business during the COVID-19 pandemic, [public participation in the meetings will be electronic only](#) in compliance with the governor's executive order to stay at home. The public may continue to watch Board of Supervisors meetings from home at www.sbcounty.gov/Main/Pages/ViewMeetings.aspx.

