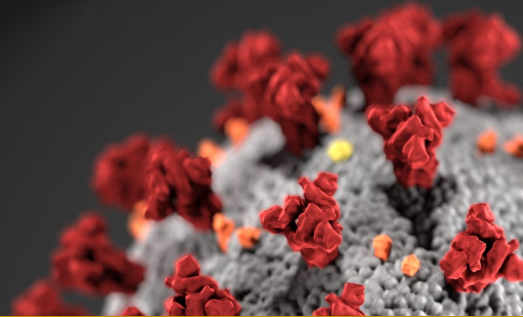


COVID-19 ADVISORY & GUIDANCE UPDATE



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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.

- **August 19** - The United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) announced an [expansion of access to lifesaving childhood vaccines](#) during the COVID-19 pandemic to decrease the risk of vaccine-preventable disease outbreaks as children return to daycare, preschool and school.
- **August 18** - San Bernardino County [announced](#):
 - Informational webinars for the [COVID-Compliant Business Partnership Program](#) are being offered on August 26 and 27 at 11 am.
- **August 17** - The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and HHS are initiating the [National Wastewater Surveillance System \(NWSS\)](#) in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The sewage testing data generated by NWSS will help public health officials to better understand the extent of COVID-19 infections in communities.



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