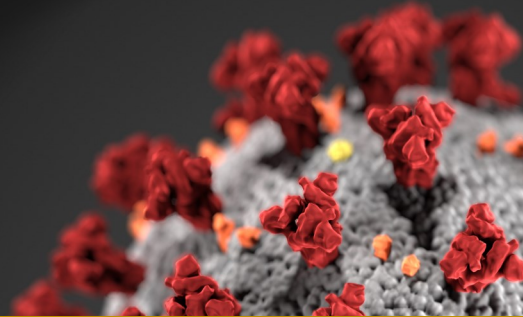


COVID-19 ADVISORY & GUIDANCE UPDATE



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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.

- **December 30** - The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) issued updated guidance on:
 - [Emerging SARS-CoV-2 Variants](#).
 - [Case Investigation and Contact Tracing in K-12 Schools](#).
 - [Information for Pediatric Healthcare Providers](#).
- **December 30** - Governor Gavin Newsom released the [State Safe Schools for All Plan](#), California's framework to support schools to continue operating safely in-person and to expand the number of schools safely resuming in-person instruction. The [plan](#) is built on four pillars: funding, safety and mitigation, oversight and assistance, and transparency and accountability.
- **December 29** - The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) issued an update on the [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#), which included the posting of a [COVID-19 Health Equity Playbook for Communities](#).
- **December 28** - The National Institutes of Health (NIH) announced the opening of a [Phase 3 trial of the Novavax investigational COVID-19 vaccine](#). The trial will enroll approximately 30,000 adult volunteers to evaluate the safety and efficacy of NVX-CoV2373, a vaccine candidate developed by Novavax, Inc.



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