

ALAMEDA COUNTY COVID-19 HEALTH EMERGENCY

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Update on California's Indoor Face Masking Requirement in Alameda County

Per the <u>State's Face Covering Q & A</u>, Alameda County's <u>local face covering order and amendment</u> remain in effect. Residents will not experience any differences in policy. Everyone aged two and older, regardless of vaccination status, is required to wear a mask in indoor public settings, with a limited exemption for certain controlled settings with a small, stable group of fully vaccinated people. With vaccination and boosters, masks are one of the best tools we have to prevent spreading COVID-19 to family, friends, and community members. We will continue to monitor emerging evidence and the local epidemic to determine if changes to local mandates will be needed.

