

WHAT PHASE 2 MEANS FOR BUNCOMBE COUNTY

On Friday, May 22 at 5pm, **Buncombe County** will move into Phase 2 of re-opening. The *Stay at Home* order is lifted, however there is a SAFER AT HOME recommendation. The following chart will help you navigate what Phase 2 looks like for **Buncombe County**:

SAFER AT HOME  **STAY SAFE**
STAY SMART

Effective Tuesday March 26, at 7:00 a.m., A Face Covering as defined in EO141 must be worn by all persons twelve (12) years of age and older in all indoor public commercial facilities, including libraries, and public transit.

If you do leave home, **know the W's...**



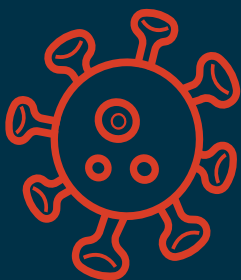
Wear a cloth face covering



Wait 6 feet apart. Avoid close contact.



Wash your hands often or use hand sanitizer.



COVID-19 is still a highly contagious virus, and we are still in the midst of a Global Pandemic. It takes all of us working together, following Public Health Guidance, to safeguard our communities. Buncombe County's response continues to be driven by data, science, and fact.

Let's be **Safe**, Let's be **Smart**, Let's take this **Step by Step**.

TRANSITION TO PHASE 2

WHAT'S DIFFERENT?

Mitigation Measures	Phase 1 Guidance	Phase 2 Guidance
Physical Distancing	Maintain 6 Ft. Apart / Avoid Close Contact	Maintain 6 Ft. Apart / Avoid Close Contact
Mass Gatherings	10 Person Limit	10 Person Limit Indoors, 25 Outdoors
Local Travel	For Commerce and Expanded Business	Allowed
Face Coverings	Strongly Encouraged	Mandatory for Indoor Public Spaces
Stay at Home Order	In Effect, with Fewer Restrictions	Lifted, Safer at Home Recommendation
High Risk Individuals	Reduce Exposure as Much as Possible	Reduce Exposure as Much as Possible

Activity	Phase 1 Guidance	Phase 2 Guidance
Commercial Activity	All Retail at 50% Capacity with Noted Exceptions	All Retail at 50% Capacity with Noted Exceptions
Childcare	Childcare Open for All Working Parents	Open
Teleworking	Encouraged	Encouraged
Breweries	Closed	Allowed if Food on Site
Bars	Takeout, Drive Thru, and Delivery Only	Takeout, Drive Thru, and Delivery Only
Restaurants	Takeout, Drive Thru, and Delivery Only	Open for on Premises Dining with Restrictions
Nightclubs	Closed	Closed
Barbers / Salons	Closed	Open with Restrictions
Theaters / Music / Bowling	Closed	Closed
Gyms / Indoor Sporting	Closed	Closed
Playgrounds	Closed	Closed
Visitation To Longterm Care	Not Permitted	Not Permitted
Worship	Outdoor or Virtual Service / No More Than 10 Indoors	Allowed, 3Ws Encouraged
State And County Parks And Trails	Opening Encouraged	Opening Encouraged
Leisure Tourism Bookings	Only Allowed for WNC Residents of 828 Area Code	Allowed
Hotels/Motels	Leisure Reservations Allowed for 828 Residents Only	Allowed with Restrictions
Bed And Breakfast	Leisure Reservations Allowed for 828 Residents Only	Allowed with Restrictions
Short Term Rentals/ Homestay	Leisure Reservations Allowed for 828 Residents Only	Allowed with Restrictions
Campgrounds	Leisure Reservations Allowed for 828 Residents Only	Allowed with Restrictions
Unique Industries	No More Than 10 People Following Physical Distancing and Public Health Guidance	Must Follow Mass Gathering Guidance
Outdoor Sporting Events	Not Allowed	Must Follow Mass Gathering Guidance
Outdoor Activities	No More Than 10 / No Close Contact Sports	Must Follow Mass Gathering Guidance
County Sport Facilities	Closed	Closed
Libraries	Curbside Service	Curbside Service
Community Centers	No More Than 10 People	Must Follow Mass Gathering Guidance
Outdoor Recreation Activities	No More Than 10 People	Must Follow Mass Gathering Guidance
Overnight / Day Camps	Closed	Allowed Following State Protocol
Funerals	No More Than 50	Allowed
Two Week Quarantine	Encouraged for Out-of-State Arrivals	Encouraged for Out-of-State Arrivals