## State COVID-Operation Snapshot for Missouri

The state Department of Health and Senior Services recommends wearing a face covering in public. Gov. Mike Parson has said he does not intend to implement a statewide requirement. Several cities and counties have enacted mask mandates, including Kansas City and St. Louis.

On June 11, Gov. Parson's pending expiration of Phase 1 on June 15, that Missouri will fully reopen and enter Phase 2 of its "Show Me Strong Recovery" Plan on Tuesday, June 16, 2020. During Phase 2, there will be no statewide health order. All statewide restrictions will be lifted, though local officials will still have the authority to put further rules, regulations, or ordinances in place.

On May 28, Gov. Parson extended until June 15 phase one of the Show Me Strong Recovery Plan which was originally set to expire on May 31.

On May 28, Missouri Department of Public Health extended their public health order beginning on June 1 as part of Gov. Parsons's Show Me Strong Recovery plan. The order will stay in effect through June 15 and was originally set to expire on May 31.

On April 27, Missouri issued a public health order allowing for a partial reopening of businesses beginning on May 4 as part of Gov. Parsons's "Show Me Strong Recovery" plan. The order will stay in effect through May 31 and allow for the reopening of non-essential businesses including retail and dine-in restaurants as long as they enforce social distancing and limit capacity to a proportion of square footage as outlined within the order.

A companion FAQ's document says the new order will apply to all Missouri businesses but has the intention of restarting operations for non-essential companies that have been closed during the stay-at-home order.

Gov. Parson extended until May 3 his original stay at home order allowing Missourians to leave their home to work at "essential" businesses as defined by the federal CISA guidance. Companies that continue operations must continue to practice social distancing and sanitization.

The Mayors of St. Louis and Kansas City extended their cities' stay at home orders for another month, until May 15.

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Missouri Mask Guidance <u>Read Here</u>
- Missouri Public Health Order Extension <u>Read Here</u>
- Show Me Strong Recovery Plan <u>Read Here</u>
- Missouri Public Health Order <u>Read Here</u>
- Missouri Public Health Order FAQ's <u>Read Here</u>
- Missouri Stay at Home Order Extension <u>Read Here</u>
- St. Louis Stay at Home Order Read Here
- Kansas City Stay at Home Order Read Here
- Associated Industries of Missouri Resource Page <u>Read Here</u>

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