

State COVID-Operation Snapshot for North Carolina

On May 20, Governor Cooper announced that North Carolina will move into Safer at Home Phase Two of lifting COVID-19 restrictions effective 5:00 p.m. on May 22. The phase will run through at least June 26 while key public health metrics are monitored. The Safer at Home order will be lifted, replaced with a Safer at Home recommendation, particularly for vulnerable populations.

In addition to the businesses permitted to operate under previous orders, restaurants, salons, and personal care businesses may reopen at 50% capacity with other health and safety recommendations.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Governor's Press Release Announcing Phase Two – [Click Here to Read](#)
- May 20 Executive Order Easing Public Health Restrictions for Phase Two– [Click Here to Read](#)
- FAQ for Phase Two – [Click Here to Read](#)
- Slides from May 20 Presentation – [Click Here to Read](#)
- NC DHHS Sector-Specific Guidance – [Click Here to Visit](#)
- State of North Carolina COVID-19 Resource Page – [Click Here to Visit](#)
- NC Chamber's "Relaunching North Carolina Initiative" – [Click Here to Visit](#)
- NC Chamber COVID-19 Resource Guide — [Click Here to Visit](#)

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