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The banner features a blue background with a microscopic view of a coronavirus particle. On the left, it says "Coronavirus Disease 2019 COVID-19". On the right is the official seal of San Diego County. A large white arrow points to the right with the text "Update for the Business Community". Below this, a dark blue bar contains the URL "CORONAVIRUS-SD.COM/BUSINESS".

Resources and Updates June 8, 2020

Stay Informed, Stay Connected



Coronavirus in San Diego County

Daily updates on positive cases



Resources and Materials

FAQs, posters, videos, and other materials



Businesses and Employers

Information for businesses and commercial entities

[Submit Weekly Telebriefing Questions](#)

[Submit Safe Reopening Plan Questions](#)

Weekly Online Forum Q&A

Join us this Wednesday, June 10th at 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM for our weekly online forum for the business community! Weekly telebriefs are an opportunity to connect with County representatives and business partners, share information, and get answers to questions you may have.

- You can pre-submit questions for the telebrief in advance [here](#) before we begin at 9:30 AM.
- You can also ask questions during the call [through the online chat feature](#). Speakers will answer as many questions as possible during the one-hour telebrief.
- To listen-in only, call: **1-669-900-6833** and enter the meeting ID provided.



This week we will be joined by **Dr. Wilma Wooten, MD, MPH, Public Health Officer for the County of San Diego**, to provide updates about T3 testing, scenarios for testing, and help answer questions from our Q&A. Please remember to ask questions at least 24 hours in advance before the Telebriefing.

<https://zoom.us/j/157409037>

Meeting ID: 157 409 037

For your convenience we have updated last week's June 3, 2020 telebriefing recap to reflect any answers or updates viewed from Friday's e-blast. The updated document is available [here](#) with changes marked in **red**.

BUSINESS UPDATES

Local Updates

Immediate Relaunch of Additional Activities – Announced June 8, 2020, the following activities are allowed to open immediately with restrictions:

- Day Camps
- Campgrounds
- RV Parks
- Outdoor recreation (sport fishing and private charter boats)

For more information, check the coronavirus-sd.com **Safe Reopening** page. Other activities for relaunch will be available later this week.

Available to reopen this Friday – Located under the Coming Soon tab on the **Safe Reopening** page, the following entities can open this Friday provided they have completed the County's Safe Reopening Plan and used the State guidance:

- [Gyms and fitness facilities](#)
- [Community pools, including those in condominiums](#)
- [Restaurants, Bars and Wineries](#)
- [Hotels for tourism and individual travel](#)
- [Card rooms, satellite wagering and racetracks](#)
- [Family entertainment, including bowling alleys and arcades](#)
- [Museums, galleries, zoos and aquariums](#)

****TIME SENSITIVE****

Communities Fighting COVID! – Recruiting Community Health Workers (also known as Promotores or Lay Health Workers) to conduct contact tracing to stop the spread of COVID-19 in San Diego County communities.

- A live **Town Hall tonight, June 8, 2020 at 6:00 PM**, will be available for people interested in applying for the positions.
- Attendees will hear from **SDSU School of Public Health Director Dr. Hala Madanat** and SDSU Institute for Public Health director Dr. Corinne McDaniels-Davidson about the jobs and application process and get a chance to get their questions answered.

- They will be hiring up to 40 Community Health Workers who represent **Spanish-speaking, Arabic-speaking, and African American** communities in San Diego County.

To review the job description and register for the Town Hall, visit [ListenToSanDiego.org](https://www.listentosanDiego.org).

State Updates

California Department of Public Health Provides COVID-19 Update – On Friday, June 5, 2020, the State announced several new and timely updates:

New [County Monitoring List](#) to show COVID-19 data by California county.

New and additional guidance to help counties plan for reopening based on decisions by local public health officials. Final decisions regarding local sector openings done by Public Health Officer. The County's [Safe Reopening Page](#) will provide these updates, and dates for reopening will vary based on each sector/business/activity. Stakeholders should revisit this page often for updated guidance and the [County of San Diego's Health Officer](#) page for business updates. New guidance:

- **Day Camps**
- **Casinos Operated by Sovereign Tribal Nations**
- **Music, Film, and Television Production** – May resume in California, recommended no sooner than July 12, 2020, and subject to approval by county public health officers. Back office staff and management should adhere to [Office Workspace](#) guidelines.
- **Professional Sports without Live Audiences** – May resume training and competition without live audiences, recommended no sooner than June 12, 2020, and subject to approval by county public health officers. Back office staff and management should adhere to [Office Workspace](#) guidelines, and retail staff should adhere to [Retail](#) guidelines.
- **June 12 Planning Guidance for Counties with Attestations** – New guidance on how local jurisdictions with attestations to readiness should modify behavior and operations to reduce risk for infection. All guidance is recommended effective June 12 and should only be implemented with local health official approval.
 - [Campgrounds, RV Parks, and Outdoor Recreation](#)
 - [Hotels, Lodging, and Short Term Rentals](#)
 - [Cardrooms, Satellite Wagering Facilities, and Racetracks](#)
 - [Family Entertainment Centers](#)

- Restaurants, Bars, and Wineries
- Fitness Facilities
- Museums, Galleries, Zoos, and Aquariums

More information about the state's COVID-19 guidance is on the [California Department of Public Health's Guidance](#) web page.

Critical Supplies and Guidance to Support Re-Opening of Schools and Childcare Facilities. As the science evolves and the school year draws closer, the guidance will be updated based on the most current information.

- The Governor's Office of Emergency Services and the Department of General Services will assist public schools (traditional and charter), private schools and childcare facilities in procuring necessary PPE, supplies, and equipment. The following supplies will be distributed to meet the near-term needs of schools and childcare:
 - No-touch thermometers for every school and childcare facility totaling over 47,000;
 - Face shields for every teacher and childcare provider, totaling approximately 2.4 million;
 - Over 14 million cloth face coverings for staff and students;
 - Over 16 million disposable masks;
 - 123,000 N95 masks for school-based health professionals, including those interacting with symptomatic students; and
 - 143,000 gallons of hand sanitizer.
- Newly released **interim guidance** to assist communities, school leaders, staff and parents to plan for the upcoming school year.
- **Updated guidance** for childcare programs and providers, including resources for parents and for employers supporting employees with childcare needs.

Federal Updates

New Law Relaxing PPP Rules – On June 5, 2020, President Trump signed into law the Paycheck Protection Program Flexibility Act (PPPFA) to address concerns by the small business community around the Payment Protection Program. The new law addresses the following:

- Changes amount of loan needed for payroll to 60%
- Extends time period to use funds from 8 to 24 weeks
- Pushes back a June 30 deadline to rehire workers to December 31, 2020

- Eases rehire requirements
- Extends the repayment term from 2 years to 5

NEWS FOR BUSINESSES & EMPLOYERS



CDC Reports 1 in 3 Adults Used Unsafe Cleaning Practices – About one in three adults used household cleaners and disinfectants unsafely to prevent COVID-19, such as using bleach on food products and improperly using household cleaners and disinfectants on hands or skin. As a result, calls to poison centers regarding exposures to cleaners and disinfectants have increased since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic. The report adds an Internet panel survey of identified gaps in knowledge about safe preparation, use, and storage of cleaners and disinfectants.

GOOD NEWS MONDAYS

The Business community is adaptive, innovative, and resilient every day... and we want to hear from you about your success stories!

- Has your business adjusted to our new norm successfully?

- Did you provide support to the community in a profound way?
- Was a collaboration effort established to adapt safe social distancing practices?
- Any other successes you would like to share?

Share your story and photos by sending us an email to COVID-Business@sdcountry.ca.gov with the subject line: Supporting Local Businesses. A member from our team will follow-up with you for more information.

UPCOMING WEBINARS—THIS WEEK

San Diego County Credit Union

On Demand: Cybersecurity & COVID-19

Time: N/A

Jim Stickley, CEO of Stickley on Security and the co-founder and active board member of TraceSecurity Inc., offers valuable insight into various methods of cyber-attacks that criminals use and detail how to reduce your risk by showing examples of real cases and more.

SDBC IRC

June 10: Cybersecurity Awareness—A Guide to Doing Business Remotely

Time: 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM PDT

Learn tips for safe, secure and effective remote working. This class provides information on cyber fundamentals, best practices for protecting your data, and an overview of the various collaborative tools you can use to empower your remote-working capabilities.

SD Employers Association HR at Work

June 10: Sustaining the Remote Workforce

Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM PDT

In this brief workshop, now that the dust has settled and many employers will continue to provide remote work for their employees, what are next best steps? How do employers sustain productivity? How do employers best communicate with their remote workers? This webinar will focus on moving beyond the remote set-up, beyond the legal requirements of expense reimbursement and timekeeping and focus on engagement, communication and productivity.

SD Employers Association HR at Work

June 11: CARES Act and Your 401K

Time: 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM PDT

CORONA VIRUS CARES ACT - Alternatives to reduce the cost of your existing company retirement plan and provide additional Flexibility for Your Employees made available through the Government Stimulation Program. This webinar will provide insight and resources related to CARES Act key provisions including:

- Changes to loan and RMD provisions
- Hardship Distributions
- Options for Safe Harbor and company contributions

SCORE

June 11: National Safety Guidance to Protect You and Your Workers from COVID-19 Exposure

Time: 1:00 PM PDT

Join us for this timely webinar, presented by environmental health and safety expert Laura Bonk, that will share the latest federal government and professional safety organizations guidelines to protect you and your employees from COVID-19 exposure.

PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS

- [Friday – June 06, 2020 \[PDF\]](#)
- [Monday – June 01, 2020 \[PDF\]](#)
- [Friday – May 29, 2020 \[PDF\]](#)

COVID-19 POSTERS

To request English or Spanish posters for your business, please e-mail COVID-Business@sdcounty.ca.gov with the following details:

- Contact Information (Name, Phone, Email)
- Language materials needed English, Spanish, or both
- Number of requested items



- Address for postal delivery

Additional resources and materials are available [here](#) for your use.

