Durham Stay-at-Home Order: What's Different? May 22, 2020



On Friday, May 22, 2020, at 5 p.m., Durham's updated Stay-at-Home Orders are in effect until rescinded. While mostly adopting Governor Roy Cooper's statewide Executive Order 141, there are some more stringent requirements for Durham residents and visitors. Always refer to https://DurhamNC.gov/Covid19 for the latest information.

	Safer-at-Home State Executive Order 141 Effective May 22 (Modified Phase Two)	Stay-at-Home Durham County Order - 6th Amendment Effective May 22
Commercial Activity	People can leave home for commercial activity; more businesses open (essential & non-essential designations removed)	People can leave home for commercial activity; more businesses open (essential & non-essential designations removed)
Retail	50% capacity allowed with cleaning & disinfecting	50% capacity allowed with cleaning & disinfecting
Mass Gatherings (Meeting & event venues, amphitheaters, sporting venues & arenas, groups at beaches/parks)	10-person limit indoors; 25-person limit outdoors	No indoor mass gatherings allowed with non- household members; 10-person limit with non-household members outdoors with social distancing & sanitation required
Religious Worship Services, Weddings & Funerals	Indoor and outdoor services allowed with no person-limit restrictions; social distancing & sanitation encouraged	Indoor and outdoor services allowed with no person-limit restrictions; social distancing & sanitation required
Childcare	Open; must follow DHHS guidelines	Open; must follow DHHS guidelines
Teleworking	Encouraged	Encouraged
Restaurants	50% capacity and other requirements	Closed except for curbside takeout/carryout until June 1 at 8 a.m.
Barbers, Salons & Personal Care	50% capacity and other requirements	Closed until June 1 at 8 a.m.
Pools	50% capacity and other requirements	DPR indoor & outdoor pools closed; private pools closed until June 1 at 8 a.m.
Parks, Trails & Greenways	Open	Open
Face Coverings	Encouraged	Required
Summer Camps (Day & Overnight)	Allowed	DPR summer camps closed until further notice; private camps closed until June 1 at 8 a.m. & must follow DHHS guidelines
Sports/Recreational Activities	Allowed with social distancing	Allowed with social distancing
Real Estate	N/A	Modifications made to permit showings of occupied dwellings; restrictions remain
Bars/Nightclubs	Closed	Closed
Indoor Entertainment Venues (Movies, Bowling, Bingo, etc.)	Closed	Closed
Gyms & Fitness Studios (yoga, cycling, martial arts, etc.)	Closed	Closed
Playgrounds	Closed	Closed
Museums	Closed	Closed
Visitation at Long-Term Care Centers	Not Allowed	Not Allowed