

Alameda County Health Care Services Agency Public Health Department

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Essential, Outdoor, & Additional Businesses in Alameda County May 18, 2020

this list is not exhaustive and may be updated as Health Officer Orders and COVID-19 conditions warrant

Allowed to Operate with Site Specific Safety Plans and COVID-19 Protective Measures

- 1. Hospitals, clinics, dentists, blood banks/drive, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies
- 2. Health care suppliers, home health care services providers, mental health providers
- 3. Veterinary care
- 4. Pet grooming only for medically necessary services
- 5. Grocery stores, certified farmers' markets, farm and produce stands, supermarkets, food banks, convenience stores
- 6. Food cultivation, including farming, livestock, and fishing
- 7. Businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals
- 8. Construction
- 9. Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services
- 10. Gas stations and auto-supply, auto-repair, and automotive dealerships, but only for the purpose of providing auto-supply and auto repair services. Online automobile purchase.
- 11. Bicycle repair and supply shops
- 12. Banks and money remittance services, financing services at pawn shops, check cashing services, money lenders, and similar financial institutions Service providers that enable real estate transactions
- 13. Hardware stores
- 14. Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintain habitability, sanitation, or operation of residences or essential businesses
- 15. Businesses providing mailing and shipping services, including post office boxes
- 16. Educational institutions
- 17. Laundromats, drycleaners, and laundry service providers
- 18. Restaurants and other facilities that prepare and serve food—carry out or delivery onlyt
- 19. Funeral home providers, mortuaries, cemeteries, and crematoriums, to the extent necessary for the transport, preparation, or processing of bodies or remains
- 20. Businesses that supply other Essential Businesses, Outdoor Businesses, or Additional Businesses with the support or supplies necessary to operate
- 21. Businesses that have the primary function of shipping or delivering groceries, food, or other goods directly to residences or businesses

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- 22. Airlines, taxis, rental car companies, rideshare services (including shared bicycles and scooters), and other private transportation providers
- 23. Home-based care for seniors, adults, children, and pets
- 24. Residential facilities and shelters for seniors, adults, and children
- 25. Professional services, such as legal, notary, or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with non-elective, legally required activities or in relation to death or incapacity
- 26. Services to assist individuals in finding employment
- 27. Moving services that facilitate residential or commercial moves
- 28. Childcare establishments, summer camps, and other educational or recreational institutions or programs providing care or supervision for children of essential workers
- 29. Curbside or storefront retail pick up and/or delivery
- 30. Manufacturing
- 31. Warehouses and logistics
- 32. Landscaping and gardening services
- 33. Storage units
- 34. Housekeeping/house cleaning services
- 35. Businesses that normally operated primarily outdoors prior to March 16, 2020
- 36. Agricultural operations (outdoors)
- 37. Garden centers (outdoors)
- 38. Plant nurseries (outdoors)
- 39. Car wash (outdoors)
- 40. Car dealerships (outdoors)

Not Allowed to Reopen at this Time in Alameda County

- 1. Offices not specified above
- 2. Dine-in restaurants
- 3. Bars, brewpubs, breweries, pubs, tasting rooms
- 4. Personal care services including hair salons, barbershops, nail salons, massage parlors, aestheticians and cosmetology, ear piercing salons, and tattoo parlors
- 5. Pet grooming that is not medically necessary
- 6. Movie theatres
- 7. Gyms and fitness studios
- 8. Indoor and outdoor museums, kids museums and gallery spaces
- 9. Libraries
- 10. Zoos
- 11. Theme parks
- 12. Gaming facilities
- 13. Pro sports
- 14. Community centers
- 15. Nightclubs
- 16. Concert venues
- 17. Outdoor and indoor pools
- 18. Any business not identified in the reopen list and did not normally operate primarily outdoors prior to March 16, 2020

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