



El Distrito Escolar del Condado de Emery Hoja de información de mascarillas faciales y exención

(Hay que entregar a la oficina de la escuela)

Escuela: _____

Nombre de estudiante/ empleado: _____

Por el orden de la salud del estado, cada persona, incluyendo a los empleados, estudiantes, y visitantes, llevarán una mascarilla facial en las instalaciones escolares o en un autobús escolar. Las mascarillas faciales son una medida temporal al esperar el desollamiento de una vacuna para el COVID-19.

Exenciones se notan debajo:

Exenciones se requieren documentación adicional y la firma de un padre/guardián:

- A. Un individuo con una condición médica, condición de salud mental o discapacidad que no se permite llevar una mascarilla facial. ***Si se aplica para esa exención, se requiere un directivo médico para verificar esa exención.***
- B. Un individuo quien tiene un plan de educación individual (IEP) o un plan de sección 504 acomodaciones que se requiere la exención de llevar una mascarilla. ***Esa exención será documentada directa en el plan IEP o 504.***

Las exenciones que no requieren documentación:

- C. Un niño más joven de tres años de edad.
- D. Un niño que no puede tener una mascarilla sanamente en su cara.
- E. Manteniendo una distancia de seis pies separados de otros cuando está afuera.
- F. Manteniendo una distancia de seis pies separados de otros cuando está comiendo o bebiendo.
- G. Una persona quien está recibiendo un servicio que incluye la nariz o la boca por lo cual la eliminación temporada de la mascarilla es necesario (Por ejemplo: terapia de lenguaje).
- H. Un individuo quien es sordo o que tiene problemas de audición, o una persona quien está comunicando con una persona sorda o que tiene problemas de audición cuando la habilidad de ver la boca es esencial para comunicarse, en ese caso un escudo facial o protección alternativo se debe usar.
- I. Un individuo participando en una actividad escolar o clase de educación física cuando se cumple con la Appendix C de las Guías Escalonadas de Utah.

Al firmar debajo, pido una exención de categoría (A) o (B) arriba e incluyo la documentación necesaria.

Nombre del empleado o Padre: _____

Firma: _____ Fecha: _____

Actualización al orden de salud estatal para mascarillas faciales en las escuelas

Padres y estudiantes: Estamos muy emocionados de ver los estudiantes de regreso en las escuelas en la próxima semana. Como saben, regresaremos a la escuela con un orden de salud estatal que requiere a los empleados y los estudiantes de llevar mascarillas faciales. Ese orden aplica ambos a los autobuses y los edificios de las escuelas. Se aplica a todos en los gimnasios asistiendo a las programas o eventos atléticos. También se aplica a eventos afuera o partidos si no es posible mantener distancia.

El orden recientemente fue actualizado para incluir información mas especifica del tipo de mascarillas que son permitidos. Con las guías más actualizadas, las mascarillas deben tener las siguientes características:

1. Deben cubrir la nariz y la boca sin aberturas que se puede ver a través
2. Deben ser seguras debajo de la barbilla
3. Se ajusta perfectamente a los lados de la nariz y la boca

Con esa definición, los escudos faciales plásticos generalmente no satisfacen los requisitos de una mascarilla o una cubierta facial para la escuela. Los escudos pueden ser utilizados en circunstancias específicas durante el día escolar como son dirigidos por los empleados escolares. Las escuelas proveerán mascarillas faciales. Los estudiantes pueden llevar sus propias mascarillas y cubiertas faciales si cumplen con los requisitos y si son de acuerdo con el código de vestimenta escolar.

El orden de salud estatal si tiene una variedad de excepciones. Si te sientes que tu alumno se califica para una excepción debido a una discapacidad o por causa de su salud, por favor entrega la forma "Hoja de información y excepción de las mascarillas y cubiertas faciales" (la cual se encuentra en las páginas de red del distrito y de las escuelas) a la oficina de la escuela junta con una directiva medical por su médico o proveedor de atención sanitaria (MD, DO, PA, o APRN) para la excepción. Pedimos que leen el orden completo para entender mejor la variedad de situaciones exentas donde los estudiantes no tienen que llevar una mascarilla facial cuando están en la escuela.

Reconocemos que eso va a ser un parte difícil de nuestro regreso a la escuela. Nosotros apreciamos su cooperación con esas guías estatales. El llevar una cubierta facial se intenta ser una medida de mitigación de riesgo temporada cuando esperamos que desarrollan unas soluciones más permanentes al COVID-19.

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State Issues Public Health Order Clarifying Requirements for Face Masks in Schools

SALT LAKE CITY (Aug. 14, 2020) - The Utah Department of Health has issued a public health order clarifying the standards for face coverings in schools.

The order stipulates that every individual on school property, or on a school bus, must wear a face mask which covers the nose and mouth without openings that can be seen through, secures under the chin, and fits snugly against the sides of the nose and the face. Face masks must be worn, even when an individual is able to physical distance, except in very limited circumstances.

Face shields may only be worn without a face mask when the ability to see the mouth is essential for communication, including for an individual who is deaf or hard of hearing or while participating in speech therapy.

“Recent studies are showing that not all face coverings provide equal protection against COVID-19,” said Gov. Gary R. Herbert. “As we send our children back to school, we need to make sure that they are wearing face masks that actually reduce the spread of coronavirus in the air.”

View the full text of the public health order, the requirements for masks worn on school property and in school buses, [here](#).

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STATE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

WHEREAS, on March 6, 2020, Governor Gary R. Herbert issued Executive Order 2020-1, declaring a state of emergency due to novel coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19);

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, Donald J. Trump, President of the United States issued the Proclamation on Declaring a National Emergency Concerning the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Outbreak;

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is caused by a virus that spreads easily from person to person, may result in serious illness or death, and has been characterized by the World Health Organization as a worldwide pandemic;

WHEREAS, COVID-19 can spread between individuals in close proximity through respiratory droplets produced when an infected individual speaks, coughs, or sneezes;

WHEREAS, an infected individual can transmit COVID-19 even if the individual does not present symptoms or know that the individual is infected;

WHEREAS, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Utah Department of Health have recommended the use of face masks or other face coverings to mitigate the transmission of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, I have determined that it is appropriate to require individuals to wear face coverings while in a school or school bus to protect public health;

WHEREAS, recent data show a large increase in the transmission rate of COVID-19 in Utah, and the Utah State Epidemiologist announced that Utah is experiencing a dramatic rise in the spread of COVID-19 across Utah;

WHEREAS, under Utah Code §§ 26-1-30(3), (5), and (6), the Utah Department of Health has the power and duty to promote and protect the health and wellness of the people within the state; to control the causes of epidemic, infectious, communicable, and other diseases affecting the public health; and to prevent and control communicable, infectious, acute, chronic, or any

other disease or health hazard that the Department considers to be dangerous, important, or likely to affect the public health.

Based on the foregoing, in accordance with the authority vested in me as the Interim Executive Director of the Utah Department of Health by Utah Code §§ 26-1-10, 26-1-30, and 26-6-3, and being fully advised and finding the factual basis and legal requirements have been established;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard Saunders, Interim Executive Director of the Utah Department of Health, hereby order the following:

1. As used in this Order:
 - a. “Face mask” means a face covering that:
 - i. covers the nose and mouth without openings that can be seen through;
 - ii. is made of synthetic or natural fabrics;
 - iii. secures under the chin;
 - iv. fits snugly against the nose and sides of the face; and
 - v. does not have an exhalation valve or vent.
 - b. “Face shield” means a face covering that:
 - i. covers the entire face;
 - ii. protects the eyes of the wearer;
 - iii. is made of clear plastic or similar nonpermeable transparent material;
 - iv. secures around the top of the head;
 - v. does not secure under the chin;
 - vi. does not fit snugly against the nose or sides of the face; and
 - vii. can be used in conjunction with a mask for enhanced protection.
 - c. “School” means a local education entity or private school that provides any kindergarten through grade-12 program or service, including a residential treatment center that provides any kindergarten through grade-12 program or service.
 - d. “School bus” means a vehicle used for district- or school-provided transportation that transports a student to or from a school or a school-sponsored activity.
 - e. “School property” means any real property, including any building, structure, facility, or part thereof, that is owned, leased, occupied, or controlled by a school.
2. Each individual on school property or on a school bus shall wear a face mask, except as provided in Section (3).
3. Section (2) does not apply to:
 - a. an individual who is outdoors while maintaining a physical distance of at least six feet from any other individual who is not from the same household or residence;

- b. an individual who is eating or drinking while indoors and maintains a physical distance of at least six feet from any other individual who is not from the same household or residence;
 - c. a child who is younger than three years of age;
 - d. an individual with a medical condition, mental health condition, or disability that prevents wearing a face mask, including an individual with a medical condition for whom wearing a face mask could cause harm or dangerously obstruct breathing, or who is unconscious, incapacitated, or otherwise unable to remove a face mask without assistance;
 - e. an individual engaged in an activity where the ability to see the mouth is essential for communication, including an individual who is deaf or hard of hearing while communicating with others, an individual who is communicating with an individual who is deaf or hard of hearing, or a teachers-student dyad participating in speech therapy, in which case the individual shall wear a face shield without a mask or use alternative protection, including a plexiglass or similar barrier;
 - f. an individual who has an Individualized Education Program (IEP) under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. section 1414, or an accommodation under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. section 794, that would necessitate exempting the individual from wearing a face mask;
 - g. an individual who is receiving or providing a service involving the nose or face for which temporary removal of the face mask is necessary to perform the service; or
 - h. an individual participating in a school sponsored activity or physical education class as long as the individual complies with Appendix C of the Phased Guidelines for the General Public and Businesses to Maximize Public Health and Economic Reactivation.
4. A school may require an individual to provide a medical directive from a Doctor of Medicine (MD), Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO), Physician Assistant (PA), Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN), documenting a need for an exemption under Subsection (3)(d).
 5. For an individual described in Subsection (3)(f), a local education agency shall document the accommodation in accordance with 34 CFR 104.33(a) as part of the student's IEP or Section 504 accommodation plan.
 6. This Order supersedes Utah Public Health Order 2020-10.

This Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until 11:59 p.m. December 31, 2020, unless otherwise modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded.

Made at 14 day of August, 2020.



Richard G. Saunders
Interim Executive Director
Utah Department of Health