

Workplace Compliance

Since March, DPH received a total of 20,129 Health Officer Order complaints and (as indicated in the above slide) **investigated**: 1) more than 19,000 restaurants, 2) more than 4,300 grocery stores, and 3) more than 3,600 other businesses.

Twenty-seven restaurants and 76 other businesses (which include seven gyms) were **shut down** for Health Officer Order violations. Most of the businesses under investigation either came into compliance or were working to come into compliance and, as a result, were not closed.

Later this month, DPH will begin implementing the [enforcement plan](#) that was presented a few weeks ago. The tiered plan includes citations and fines for non-compliance and may involve other departments or agencies.

Resources for Workers

While LA County works with employers to reach and maintain workplace compliance, we remind County residents that resources for workers impacted by COVID-19 are available. Resources include: disability benefits, paid leave benefits, pandemic unemployment assistance, and California paid sick leave, to name a few.

For more information on these programs, or to apply over the phone, visit our [COVID-19 Resources for Workers](#) webpage.

You may also contact [LA County's Disaster Help Center](#) at (833) 238-4450 for one-on-one assistance.

To report suspected Health Officer Order violations, members of the public can contact DPH [online](#) or by calling 888-700-9995. Remember, tips can be submitted anonymously.