

Wake County Stay-At Home Proclamation	NC State Stay-At-Home Order
<p>Section 1  Movement or travel of persons in Wake County on and about public places including streets, roadways, and property shall be restricted except for the purposes of Essential Activities. This shall mean that each Wake County resident remains in his/her/their household or residential living unit except as required or permitted for Essential Activities. For the purpose of this Proclamation, Essential Activities shall mean those activities or tasks essential to the support, health, safety and welfare of Wake County residents, including:</p>	<p>Section 1:1  All individuals currently in the State of North Carolina are ordered to stay at home, their place of residence, or current place of abode, (hereinafter "residence") except as allowed in this Executive Order.</p> <p>All persons may leave their homes or place of residence only for Essential Activities, Essential Governmental Operations, or to participate in or access COVID-19 Essential Businesses and Operations, all as defined below.</p>
<p>Section 1  d. Obtaining goods or services from essential retail businesses, as described in Section 10 of this Proclamation  g. Reporting to, or performing, their job, pursuant to Section 10 of this Proclamation</p>	<p>Section 1:3: iv, vii  <u><b>Leaving the home and travel for Essential Activities is permitted.</b></u> For purposes of this Executive Order, individuals may leave their residence only to perform any of the following Essential Activities:  <u><b>For certain types of work.</b></u> To perform work at businesses authorized to remain open under Section 2 of this Executive Order (which, as defined below, includes Healthcare and Public Health Operations, Human Services Operations, Essential Governmental Operations, and Essential Infrastructure Operations) or to otherwise carry out activities specifically permitted in this Executive Order, including Minimum Basic Operations.  <u><b>To receive goods and services.</b></u> To receive goods and services provided by a COVID-19 Essential Business or Operation.</p>

<p>Section 10 Facilities, services, operations and businesses, listed in this section below are excluded from this closing directive and may remain open, provided that they adhere to social distancing practices set forth in Section 12 of this Proclamation.</p>	<p>Section 2 For purposes of this Executive Order, a COVID-19 Essential Business and Operation includes the following businesses, not-for-profit organizations and educational institutions.</p>
<p>c. Commercial and residential construction professions and trades, including but not limited to contractors, engineers, architects, surveyors, suppliers and manufacturers, repairs and renovation specialists, provided social distancing practices are used as outlined in Section 12. Additionally, essential infrastructure construction, construction of housing (in particular affordable housing or housing for individuals experiencing homelessness), airport operations, water, sewer, gas, electrical, oil refining, roads and highways, public transportation, solid waste collection and removal, internet, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services)</p>	<p><b>5. Essential Infrastructure Operations.</b> Essential Infrastructure Operations includes, but is not limited to: food and beverage production , distribution, fulfillment centers, storage facilities; construction (including, but not limited to, construction required in response to this public health emergency, hospital construction, construction of long term care facilities, public works construction , school construction, and essential commercial and housing construction); building and grounds management and maintenance including landscaping; airport operations; operation and maintenance of utilities, including water, sewer, and gas; electrical (including power generation, distribution, and production of raw materials); distribution centers; oil and biofuel refining; roads, highways, railroads, and public transportation; ports; cybersecurity operations; flood control; solid waste and recycling collection and removal; and internet, video and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services).</p>

<p>j. Banks, insurance, and related financial institutions</p>	<p>13. <b>Financial and insurance institutions.</b> Bank, currency exchanges, consumer lenders, including but not limited to, pawnbrokers, consumer installment lenders and sales finance lenders, credit unions, appraisers, title companies, financial markets, trading and futures exchanges, affiliates of financial institutions, entities that issue bonds, related financial institutions, and institutions selling financial products. Also insurance companies, underwriters, agents, brokers, and related insurance claims and agency services.</p>
<p>k. Hardware and supply stores</p>	<p>14. <b>Home improvement, hardware and supply stores.</b> Home improvement, building supply, hardware stores, and businesses that sell building materials and supplies, electrical, plumbing, and heating materials.</p>
<p>l. Plumbers, electricians, heating and air conditioning specialists, exterminators, custodial, towing services and other providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operations of residences, Essential Activities, and exempt businesses</p> <p>m. Landscapers, lawn maintenance, foresters, and related professions that are able to conduct their business outside and without public interaction</p>	<p>15. <b>Critical trades.</b> Building and construction tradesmen and tradeswomen, and other trades, including but not limited to, plumbers, electricians, exterminators, cleaning and janitorial staff for commercial and governmental properties, security staff, operating engineers, HVAC, painting, cleaning services, moving and relocation services, landscaping and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences and COVID-19 Essential Businesses and Operations. This includes organizations that represent employees.</p>

<p>t. Businesses that supply other exempt businesses with the support or supplies necessary to operate</p>	<p><b>21. Supplies for COVID-19 Essential Businesses and Operations.</b> Businesses that sell, manufacture, support, or supply other COVID-19 Essential Businesses and Operations with the service or materials necessary to operate, including computers, audio and video electronics, household appliances; payroll processing and related services; IT and telecommunication equipment; elections personnel and election-related equipment supplies; hardware, paint, flat glass, electrical, plumbing and heating material; sanitary equipment; personal hygiene products; food, food additives, ingredients and components; medical and orthopedic equipment; optics and photography equipment; and diagnostics, food and beverages, chemicals, soaps and detergent.</p>
<p>y. Professional services, such as legal services; accounting services; process servers; insurance services; and notary services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legal mandated activities</p> <p>z. Professional real estate services, such as realtors, appraisers, notary services, title insurers, inspectors</p>	<p><b>25. Professional services.</b> Professional services, such as legal services, accounting services, insurance services, professional engineering and architectural services, land surveying services, real estate services (including brokerage, appraisal and title services) and tax preparation services.</p>

<p>ff. Services engaged in the business of testing for, cleaning up, managing, or disposing of hazardous materials or substances</p>	<p><b>26. Manufacture, distribution, and supply chain for critical products and industries.</b> Manufacturing companies, distributors, and supply chain companies producing and supplying essential products and services in and for industries such as pharmaceutical, technology, biotechnology, healthcare, chemicals and sanitization, waste pickup and disposal, agriculture, food and beverage, transportation, energy, steel and steel products, petroleum and fuel, mining, construction, communications, as well as products used or commonly sold by other COVID-19 Essential Businesses and Operations.</p>
<p>Section 12 For purposes of this Proclamation, social distancing practices shall include, to the extent possible:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Maintaining at least six-foot social distancing from other individuals;</li> <li>b. Washing hands with soap and water (especially if hands are soiled) for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer;</li> <li>c. Covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve, elbow or tissue, not hands);</li> <li>d. Regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces; and</li> <li>e. Not shaking hands.</li> </ul>	<p>Section D All COVID-19 Essential Businesses and Operations shall, to the extent practicable, maintain the Social Distancing Requirements set forth in this Executive Order.</p> <p>Section E “Social Distancing Requirements” as used in this Executive Order means:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Maintaining at least six (6) feet distancing from other individuals;</li> <li>b. Washing hands using soap and water for at least twenty (20) seconds as frequently as possible or the use of hand sanitizer;</li> <li>c. Regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces;</li> <li>d. Facilitating online or remote access by customers if possible.</li> </ul>