

CDC Updates Mask Mandates

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The CDC has released new masking guidance in response to the rapidly rising COVID-19 cases amongst unvaccinated persons and the highly contagious Delta variant. The CDC is now recommending that all people, regardless of vaccination status, wear a mask in public indoor settings in areas of substantial or high transmission. Municipalities should refer to their local health departments and the [COVID-19 County Tracker](#) to determine if their area falls into the substantial or high transmission categories. Reference the full CDC announcement [here](#).

IRMA supports both CDC & [IDPH guidance](#) for indoor masking for all individuals regardless of vaccination status. Please reference our [prior guidance](#) for additional recommendations on how to keep your workplace and all employees healthy as we continue through the pandemic.

Resources:

[CDC-Interim Public Health Recommendations for Fully Vaccinated People](#)

[CDC – Vaccine Information Page](#)

[CDC - When to Quarantine](#)

[CDC - When to Isolate](#)

[CDC - When You Can Be Around Others](#)