**MDHHS Gatherings and Face Mask Order**

**Indoor gatherings:**

* No more than 10 people can be gathered at a residence
* No more than 50 people can be gathered in a non-residential venue without fixed seating, and attendance is limited to 20 persons per 1,000 square feet in each occupied room
* 500 or fewer persons are gathered in a non-residential venue with fixed seating, and attendance is limited to 20% of seating capacity of the venue
* At non-residential gatherings all persons, all persons must wear a face mask
* All hosts must design the gathering to encourage and maintain physical distancing and must ensure that persons not part of the same household maintain six feet of distance from one another to the extent possible. For all non-residential gatherings, if attendees are seated at tables, no more than six persons may share a table and tables must be spaced a minimum of 6 feet apart

**Outdoor gatherings:**

* No more than 100 people can be gathered at a residence
* At non-residential venues:
  + 1,000 or fewer persons are gathered at a venue without fixed seating, and attendance is limited to 30 persons per 1,000 square feet
  + 1,000 or fewer person are gathered at a venue with fixed seating, and attendance is limited to 30% of seating capacity of the venue
* All persons must wear a face a mask
* All hosts must design the gathering to encourage and maintain physical distancing and must ensure that persons not part of the same household maintain six feet of distance from one another to the extent possible. For all non-residential gatherings, if attendees are seated at tables, no more than six persons may share a table and tables must be spaced a minimum of 6 feet apart

**Retail stores, libraries, and museums:**

* A gathering at a retail store, library, or museum must not exceed 50% of total occupancy limits established by the State Fire Marshal or a local fire marshal

**Recreational sports and exercise facilities:**

* A gathering at recreational sports and exercise facilities:
  + Must not exceed 25% of the total occupancy limits established by the State Fire Marshal or a local fire marshal, and;
  + Must have at least six feet of distance between each workout station

**Outpatient health-care facilities:**

* Gatherings in waiting rooms at outpatient health-care facilities

**Pools**

* A gathering at an outdoor pool must not exceed 50% of bather capacity limits.
* A gathering at an indoor pool must not exceed 25% of bather capacity limits.

**Casinos**

* A gathering at non-tribal casinos must not exceed 15% of total occupancy limits established by the State Fire Marshal or a local fire marshal.

**Food service**

* In indoor common areas in which people can congregate, dance, or otherwise mingle, gatherings must:
  + maintain six feet of distance between each party;
  + not allow tables to exceed 6 people
  + not allow restaurants to exceed 50% of normal seating capacity;
  + require that establishments where alcoholic beverages are sold for consumption onsite, parties must be seated and separated from one another by at least six feet, and do not intermingle
  + require that establishments where persons are not seated at a table or at the bar top, customers must wait outside the food service establishment if table or bar top seating is unavailable.
* In the event that an employee of a food service establishment is confirmed positive for COVID-19 or shows symptoms of COVID-19 while at work, a gathering at that food service establishment is prohibited until the food service establishment has been deep cleaned consistent with Food and Drug Administration and CDC guidance.

**Organized sports gathering restrictions**

Gatherings for the purpose of organized sports are prohibited unless the gathering meets all the following conditions:

* Athletes wear a face mask (except when swimming), or consistently maintain six feet of physical distance (except for occasional and fleeting moments) when training for, practicing for, or competing in an organized sport. Any sport in which the participants are not able to consistently maintain six feet of distance, (including, for example, football, soccer, basketball, or volleyball) must wear a face mask. Athletes may also fulfill the face mask requirement through compliance with the [MDHHS guidance on Additional Measures for Safer Athletic Practice and Play](https://www.michigan.gov/documents/coronavirus/Public_Guidance_for_Contact_Sports_701311_7.pdf).
* Sports organizers ensure that athletes comply with this section for each organized sporting event; and
* Sports organizers and venues ensure either that the live audience for organized sport competitions is limited to the guests of the athletes (requiring face masks as specified in this order), with each athlete designating up to two guests.

**Public Transit Systems**

* Public transit systems, including buses and cars for hire, must require use of face masks, and must enforce physical distancing among all patrons to the extent feasible.

**Child-care organizations or camp**

* A person responsible for a child-care organization or camp, or an agent of such person, must not allow gatherings unless face masks are worn by all staff. Children must wear face masks as indicated below:
  1. All children 2 years and older when on a school bus or other transportation provided by the child-care organization or camp;
  2. All children 4 years and older when in indoor hallways and common areas;
  3. All children 5 years and older when in classrooms, homes, cabins, or similar indoor settings.