



# INYO COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

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## INYO COUNTY COVID-19 EMERGENCY OPERATIONS UPDATE

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<https://www.inyocounty.us/covid-19>

- **California Public Health Officials Release Guidance & Updates to State's Blueprint for a Safe Economy:** On October 20<sup>th</sup> the California Department of Public Health issued new guidance for amusement and theme parks, movie theaters, and performances and made updates to the Blueprint for a Safer Economy. The Blueprint for a Safer Economy now allows all personal care services to operate indoors with modifications in tier 1 (widespread/ purple). For more information and safer celebration alternatives visit: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OPA/Pages/NR20-272.aspx>  
In addition to the revised personal care guidance, on October 23<sup>rd</sup> the Blueprint for a Safer Economy was updated to reflect changes to the process for determining a county's movement to a more restrictive tier and a small county's movement into the yellow tier. For more information visit: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/COVID19CountyMonitoringOverview.aspx>
- **Inyo County Flu Vaccination Clinics:** The Inyo County Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health and Prevention division continues to host drive through flu vaccination clinics. The next clinic is scheduled for this **Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup> from 10am to 2pm in Bishop**. The clinic will be held at the Bishop Senior Center, 682 Spruce St, as a drive through site unless weather or smoke prohibits; in which case it will be held as a walk-up/walk-in site indoors at the same location. Please ensure that you comply with the following drive-up safety guidance:
  - Patients must remain in their vehicles
  - Children must remain restrained in car seats
  - Vehicle occupants must wear face covering or shield with drape at all times
  - Dogs or other animals should not accompany the patientAnd the following walk-in guidance:
  - Patients must maintain at least 6 foot distance from each other while waiting
  - Patients must wear face covering or shield with drape at all timesAdditional clinics will be held in Lone Pine, Olancho, Tecopa, Shoshone, and Furnace Creek. For a detailed list of all locations, visit <https://www.inyocounty.us/services/health-human-services/public-health-and-prevention-division/immunizations-and-flu-shots>. This is a no cost clinic and appointments are **not** necessary. For more information please contact Public Health at 760-873-7868.

**CRITICAL REMINDER - Failure to comply with Health Officer Orders places individuals and our community at increased risk of infection. Violation of Health Officer Orders may also result in a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment, fine, or both (Health and Safety Code §120295).**

## Statewide/ Federal Information, Action, & Recommendations

	Global	U.S.	California
Confirmed Cases	43,385,581	8,695,375	909,058
Deaths	1,157,714	225,634	17,377

Global: <https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/data> (10/26/20 – 4:30 pm)

US: <https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/data> (10/26/20 – 4:30 pm)

CA: <https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/data> (10/26/20 – 4:30 pm)

Inyo County Health and Human Services- Public Health Division, Board of Supervisors, and County Administration are actively monitoring the situation involving the infectious disease outbreak of COVID-19 (novel coronavirus). The Inyo County HHS Public Health division is the lead authority for all public health emergencies in our County.