

## INYO COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS



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## INYO COUNTY COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING CHANGES

INYO COUNTY, CA, February 26, 2021 - The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) contract for free community COVID testing in Inyo County is transitioning to a new test provider as of February 28, 2021. Under the new contract, testing days and times in Bishop and Lone Pine will change. Please see the information below for the new, updated community based testing information:

## Testing site information:

• Bishop: Tri-County Fairgrounds, Tallman Pavilion Monday and Thursday 8:00am – 4:00pm

Lone Pine: Statham Hall
Tuesday and Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm

Residents can register for testing beginning February 27 at <a href="https://www.lhi.care/covidtesting">https://www.lhi.care/covidtesting</a>. There will not be a phone assisted registration option, but walk-ups will be accepted. As of February 28, the former website and testing company, Verily, will no longer hold the Inyo County testing contract; starting Monday, March 1, OptumServe will take over the community based testing sites.

Inyo County's community-based COVID-19 testing program is directed by Inyo County Public Health. Eligible persons must be 18 years or older, live or work in Inyo County, and be willing to electronically sign the COVID-19 Public Health Authorization Form and Lab Consent.

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