

Summary of Measures: Step 2 of the *Roadmap to Reopen*

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The information contained in this document is intended to communicate a summary of information about measures in Step 2 of the *Roadmap to Reopen*. Please refer to [O. Reg. 263/20 Rules for Areas in Step 2](#) for the complete list of measures and conditions that apply to certain businesses, organizations, places and individuals. The material is not legal advice and does not purport to be or to provide an interpretation of the law. In the event of any conflict or difference between this summary information and any applicable legislation or regulation, the legislation or regulation prevails.

CONTEXT | COVID-19 Roadmap to Reopen

- On May 20, 2021, the government released its [Roadmap to Reopen](#), a three-step plan to safely reopen the province and lift public health measures based on the provincewide vaccination rate and improvements in key public health and health care indicators.
- The *Roadmap to Reopen* outlines three steps to easing public health measures.
- The province will remain in each step for at least 21 days to evaluate any impacts on key public health and health system indicators. If at the end of the 21 days vaccination thresholds have been met, ***along with other key public health and health system indicators***, then the province will move to the next Step.
- The following slides provide an overview of the public health and workplace safety measures in Step 2.

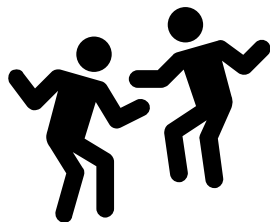
PRINCIPLES | COVID-19 Roadmap to Reopen



The principles for determining what is permitted in each step are as follows:

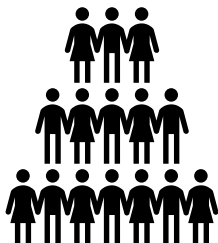
STEP 1

Resuming outdoor activities where risk of transmission is lower and limited indoor settings with restrictions



STEP 2

Further expanding outdoor activities and resuming limited indoor services with small numbers of people and with face coverings being worn



STEP 3

Expanding access to indoor settings, with restrictions, including where there are larger numbers of people and where face coverings can't always be worn

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The following are some requirements that apply to individuals.

Individual Requirements	
Face coverings or masks	• Required when: ○ Indoors in a business or organization ○ Attending an indoor organized public event and are within two metres of another person who is not a part of the same household • The face covering or mask must cover the mouth, nose and chin • Limited exceptions apply
Physical distancing	• Required when: ○ Indoors at a business or facility that is open to the public ○ Attending an indoor organized public event ○ Limited exceptions apply, including for members of the same household and caregivers, or when necessary to be closer to complete a transaction or receive a service, if a face covering or mask is worn

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The following are some of the requirements that apply to all businesses that are open.

General Compliance Requirements	
Instructions from Public Health Officers	Businesses and organizations must comply with the advice, recommendations and instructions of public health officials, including related to physical distancing, cleaning or disinfecting and screening
Screening	Active screening of workers required Passive screening of patrons required (i.e., posting signs at all entrances in a conspicuous location that informs individuals on how to screen themselves for COVID-19 prior to entry) Active screening of patrons required in certain settings (see following slides)
Face coverings and masks	- Any person in an indoor area of a business or organization or a vehicle that is a part of the business or organization must wear a mask or face covering that covers their mouth, nose or chin, with limited exceptions - Not required for workers who are in an area that is not accessible to the public and are able to maintain physical distancing of 2 metres
Requirements when workers eat or drink	Physical distancing or a barrier is required indoors when workers remove face coverings to eat or drink
Remote work	Each person responsible for a business or organization that is open shall ensure that any person who performs work for the business or organization conducts their work remotely, unless the nature of their work requires them to be on-site at the workplace

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General Compliance Requirements	
Capacity	- Limited to the lesser of 50% capacity or the number of people that can maintain physical distancing of 2 metres - Other capacity limits apply for certain businesses (see following slides)
Line-ups and congregations outdoors	Patrons outside the establishment must be managed to ensure they maintain a physical distance of 2 metres
Line-ups indoors	Patrons in line ups inside the establishment must be managed to ensure they maintain a physical distance of 2 metres and wear a face covering or mask
Cleaning and disinfecting	Equipment, washrooms, locker rooms, change rooms, showers must be cleaned and disinfected
Personal protective equipment	Personal protective equipment for the eyes, nose and mouth is required for workers if they are required to come within 2 metres of a person who is not wearing a face covering or mask indoors and are not separated by a barrier
Safety plans	- Safety plans must be prepared, posted in a conspicuous location, and made available upon request - Some businesses, places and events have additional requirements that need to be included in their safety plan (see following slides)

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General Compliance Requirements	
Live entertainment	Performers must have 3 metres distance or barrier from the audience
Roofs, canopies, tents, or awnings in outdoor spaces	If a roof, canopy, tent, awning or other element is used in an outdoor area, it must have at least two full sides, or one full side and the roof, open to the outdoors and unobstructed

Note: This chart includes a summary of measures. It is not intended to be an interpretation of the law. For the full measures, see the regulations.
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Setting	General Summary of Measures
Social gatherings and organized public events	• Outdoor: Maximum 25 people • Indoor: Maximum 5 people • Exceptions include gatherings in retirement homes, and outdoor end-of-school-year celebration ceremonies in compliance with a direction issued by the Ministry of Education and approved by the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health • An indoor and outdoor gathering or event cannot be combined to increase the number of people permitted
Weddings, funerals and religious services, rites and ceremonies (does not apply to receptions or associated social gatherings)	• Outdoor: Capacity limited to permit physical distancing of 2 metres • Indoor: 25% capacity of the particular room • An associated social gathering or reception is subject to the restrictions in “Social gatherings and organized public events” • All persons attending the wedding, funeral, religious service, rite or ceremony must comply with public health guidance on physical distancing
Domestic and personal services	• Open
Bathhouses and sex clubs	• Closed

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Meeting and event spaces <i>Includes outdoor wedding receptions at meeting and event spaces</i>	• Indoor closed with the following exceptions: ○ Day camps and overnight camps ○ Child care ○ Social services ○ Collective bargaining (10 people maximum) ○ Court services ○ Government operations ○ Mental health support services or addictions support services (10 people maximum) ○ Examinations for professions identified in O. Reg 263/20 (50 students maximum) ○ Entering indoor area by appointment for a prospective rental • Businesses must actively screen individuals • Outdoor open at 25% capacity; maximum capacity must be posted • Maximum 6 patrons per table • Patrons must be seated at all times, with limited exceptions (e.g. washrooms) • Businesses must record the name and contact information of every member of the public and actively screen individuals • Rented space must be configured so patrons at different tables are 2 metres apart or separated by a barrier • Indoors not permitted, with limited exceptions (e.g., washrooms) • No dancing

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Setting	General Summary of Measures
Public libraries	• 25% capacity
Conference centres and convention centres	• Open for events or trade shows that are held outdoors if they comply with the conditions for outdoor meeting and event spaces
Outdoor concert venues, theatres and cinemas	• Open • Capacity limited to 25% for outdoor areas; maximum capacity must be posted • Capacity limited to 25% of the usual outdoor seating capacity for a seated concert, event, performance or movie; maximum capacity must be posted • Reservations required to attend a seated concert, event, performance or movie • Indoor use not permitted, with limited exceptions (e.g., washrooms, retail or for health and safety) • Must have a safety plan with additional requirements
Outdoor drive-in and drive through events	• Includes movies, concerts, artistic events, theatrical performances and other performances • Patrons must remain in their vehicles, with limited exceptions (e.g., use of washrooms) • Vehicles must be spaced two metres apart

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Fairs, rural exhibitions and festivals	• Open outdoors only • Capacity limited to 25% for outdoor areas of the facility; maximum capacity must be posted • Capacity limited to 25% for any particular attraction within the facility • Capacity limited to 25% of the usual seating capacity for a seated event or activity; maximum capacity must be posted • Reservations required to attend a seated event or activity • Indoor access not permitted, with limited exceptions and conditions (e.g. washrooms, retail sales, health and safety) • Physical distancing of 2 metres required on amusement rides, with limited exceptions; face covering or mask required when physical distancing cannot be maintained (except on water rides) • Must have a safety plan with additional requirements

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Amusement parks and water parks	• Open outdoors only • Capacity limited to 25% for outdoor areas of the facility; maximum capacity must be posted • Capacity limited to 25% for any particular attraction within the facility • Capacity limited to 25% of the usual seating capacity for a seated event or activity; maximum capacity must be posted. Reservations required to attend a seated event or activity. • Indoor access not permitted, with limited exceptions and conditions (e.g. washrooms, retail sales, health and safety) • Physical distancing of 2 metres required on amusement rides, with limited exceptions (e.g. members of the same household); face covering or mask required when physical distancing cannot be maintained (except on water rides) • Must have a safety plan with additional requirements

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Teaching and instruction	• Open outdoors only • Every person must maintain physical distancing of 2 metres, with limited exceptions • The number of students in an instructional space must be limited to the number that can maintain a physical distance of 2 metres • Business must record the name and contact information of every student who attends the in-person teaching and instruction and actively screen students • Anyone singing or playing a wind or brass instrument must maintain 3 metres physical distancing or have a barrier
Tour and guide services	• Includes: ○ Guided hunting trips ○ Tastings and tours for wineries, breweries and distilleries ○ Fishing charters ○ Trail riding tours, walking tours and bicycle tours • Open outdoors only • The number of patrons on a tour must be limited to the number that can maintain a physical distance of 2 metres • Every person must maintain physical distancing of 2 metres, with limited exceptions • Businesses must record the name and contact information of every member of the public and actively screen individuals • Indoors not permitted, with limited exceptions (e.g., washrooms or for health and safety) • No tours in motor vehicles that are designed to be closed to the elements

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Boat tours	• Open outdoors only • 25% capacity; maximum capacity must be posted • Reservations required • Businesses must record the name and contact information of every member of the public and actively screen individuals • Indoors not permitted, with limited exceptions (e.g., washrooms, retail or for health and safety) • Limited to tours that embark and disembark within Ontario and are not otherwise prohibited to operate
Commercial film and TV production	• Open • No studio audiences • Additional restrictions, including operating in accordance with the guidance document titled “Film and television industry health and safety during COVID-19”
Zoos, landmarks, historic sites, botanical gardens, science centres, museums, galleries, aquariums, and similar attractions	• Outdoor open • Capacity limited to 25% for outdoor ticketed areas; maximum capacity must be posted • Capacity limited to 25% for outdoor seated events or activities within the attraction; maximum capacity must be posted • Reservations required for outdoor seated events or activities • Indoor use not permitted, with limited exceptions (e.g., washrooms, retail or for health and safety) • Physical distancing of 2 metres required on amusement rides or tour vehicles, with limited exceptions • Must have a safety plan with additional requirements

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Indoor concert venues, theatres and cinemas	• Open for rehearsing or performing a recorded or broadcasted performance only • No spectators permitted • Physical distancing of two metres required except if it is necessary for the purposes of the performance or rehearsal for performers or workers to be closer to each other • Businesses must record the name and contact information of every performer and worker and actively screen individuals
Short-term rentals	• Open • Indoor pools, communal steam rooms, saunas or indoor whirlpools, indoor fitness centres, or other indoor recreational facilities must be closed

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Restaurants, bars, food trucks, concession stands and other food or drink establishments	• Open for outdoor dining, take-out, drive through, and delivery • Maximum 6 patrons per table (except for members of the same household, one person outside the household who lives alone, and caregivers) • Dine-in patrons must be seated at all times, with limited exceptions (e.g. using the washroom, paying) • Businesses must record the name and contact information of every dine-in patron and actively screen dine-in patrons • Capacity limited to permit physical distancing of 2 metres; maximum capacity must be posted • Dining area must be configured so patrons at different tables are 2 metres apart or separated by a barrier • Outdoor dining area must have at least two full sides, or one full side and the roof, open to the outdoors and unobstructed • No dancing • No buffets
Nightclubs	• Permitted to open solely as food or drink establishments
Strip clubs	• Permitted to open solely as food or drink establishments

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Outdoor recreational amenities	• Open • Outdoor team sports or games permitted only with no contact or modified to avoid contact • Clubhouses open only for limited purposes, including access to a change room, shower room or washroom, equipment storage, or first aid • Steam rooms and saunas closed
Sports and recreational fitness facilities	• Open for outdoor fitness classes, outdoor training and outdoor sports or games that are non-contact or that have been modified to avoid contact • No specified limit on the number of people in a fitness or exercise class, however every person must maintain a physical distance of 3 metres • No specified limit on the number of people participating in a sports team or league • Facilities and leagues must have a safety plan with additional requirements • Business must record the name and contact information of every member of the public and actively screen individuals • Spectators limited to 25 percent of the usual seating capacity • Total facility capacity limited to the number of people that can maintain a physical distance of 2 metres • Indoor use not permitted, except under limited exceptions and with conditions (e.g. washrooms, for high-performance athletes identified in O. Reg 263/20) • Select Ontario professional and elite-amateur sport leagues identified in O. Reg 263/20 permitted with a return-to-play plan consistent with a framework approved by the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health.

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Personal physical fitness and sports trainers	• Open for outdoors only • Services must be limited to the number of people that can maintain a physical distance of 3 metres • Every person must maintain 3 metres physical distancing • Outdoor team sports or games permitted only with no contact or modified to avoid contact • Must have a safety plan with additional requirements • The personal trainer or sports trainer must record the name and contact information of every member of the public they provide services to and actively screen individuals
Community centres and multi-purpose facilities	• Open for day camps, overnight camps, child care, mental health support services or addictions support services (10 people maximum), and social services, permitted recreational activities, indoor activities and services, other than indoor sports and recreational fitness activities
Camps	• Day camps and overnight camps for children open if operating in a manner consistent with safety guidelines from the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health and in compliance with the regulations
Horse racing tracks, car racing tracks and other similar venues	• Outdoor open • Capacity limited to 25% of the usual seating capacity for a seated event or activity; maximum capacity must be posted • Reservations required; Indoor use not permitted, with limited exceptions and conditions (e.g. washrooms, to place a bet, retail) • Must have a safety plan with additional requirements