SAFELY REOPENING OUR SCHOOLS
Adopted by the State Board of Education Sept. 1, 2020:

School systems that have indicated that they are not returning students in person until second semester should reevaluate their reopening plans by the end of the first quarter.
• All county school systems are authorized to begin safely reopening
• Authority continues to rest with county boards of education
• New metrics, guidelines, and benchmarks issued by MDH and MSDE
YOUTH SPORTS

- On June 12, MDH issued an order allowing all youth sports to resume
- Local jurisdictions have the flexibility to be more restrictive, but are encouraged to reassess their guidelines
ELECTIONS UPDATE

- Ballot applications have been mailed to all Maryland voters
- Our aggressive recruiting efforts have driven more than 11,000 Marylanders to sign up to serve as election judges
STATEWIDE POSITIVITY RATE (SEVEN-DAY ROLLING AVERAGE)
POSITIVITY RATE BY JURISDICTION

Percent Positive Testing in all Maryland Jurisdictions
(rolling 7-day average*)
Data reported as of 9/1/2020 for data through 8/31/2020

Jurisdiction and most recent value are labeled in each chart.
*Each data point is calculated using the average positivity across the most recent day and the previous 6 days.
CURRENT COVID-19 HOSPITALIZATIONS (ACUTE, ICU)
STATEWIDE CASE RATE PER 100,000
ENTERING STAGE 3
As of Friday at 5 PM, all Maryland businesses will be able to open.
MOVIE & PERFORMANCE THEATERS

- 50% capacity OR up to 100 people indoors or 250 people outdoors
- Appropriate health and safety guidelines in place
RETAIL & HOUSES OF WORSHIP

- Operations may increase from 50% to 75% capacity
- Appropriate health and safety guidelines in place
CONTACT TRACING: ACTIVITIES

- 41% attended family gatherings
- 19% attended house parties and outdoor events
COVID-19 Exposure Notifications are Available

Your iPhone can tell you if you may have been exposed to COVID-19. Your public health authority's guidelines determine if an exposure is significant enough to notify you and provide next steps.

How Exposure Notifications Work

Exposure Notifications keeps a log of possible exposures on your iPhone while protecting your privacy. Your location is not shared. Learn more...

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