

CDPHE Moves Douglas County to Less Restrictive Level on State's COVID-19 Dial Framework

On January 4, 2021 CDPHE moved Douglas County from Level Red to the less restrictive Level Orange on the state's *COVID-19 Dial*. Following is a summary of capacity differences between the two levels on the *Dial*. More information from CDPHE can be found at: <https://covid19.colorado.gov/>.

Summary of Capacity Differences Between Level Orange and Level Red in Douglas County, Colorado

Business or Activity	Level Orange	Level Red
Aquariums, Museums, and Similar Educational Institutions	25% posted occupancy, not to exceed 50 people, per room (excluding staff).	25% of posted occupancy, not to exceed 25 people, per room.
Events (receptions, conferences, etc.)	Indoors: 25% capacity per room up to 50 (excluding staff). Outdoors: 25% of posted occupancy within usable space up to 75 (excluding staff).	Indoors: Closed. Outdoors: 25% of posted occupancy within usable space up to 75 (excluding staff).
Field Services	May operate. Real estate open houses must follow Indoor Event requirements.	Only those necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and critical operation of residences, Critical Businesses, or Critical Government Functions may operate. Real estate open houses allowed with members of no more than one household in the property at a time.
Gyms	25% capacity up to 50 per room or outdoor area (excluding staff).	Reservations required for all indoor and outdoor services. Indoors: 10% capacity up to 10 per room (excluding staff). Outdoors: 10 or fewer individuals.
High School Sports	May resume practices and games under disease prevention and mitigation plans prepared by CHSSA and approved by CDPHE.	Same as Level Orange.
Houses of Worship (and associated ceremonies such as weddings, funerals, and baptisms)	May provide services as a Critical Business.	May provide services as a Critical Business.
Indoor Mall	Park Meadows variance remains in place: 50% capacity per confined indoor space up to 175.	Park Meadows variance remains in place: 50% capacity per confined indoor space up to 175.
Indoor Pools	25% capacity up to 50 per room.	Reservations required. 10% capacity up to 10 per room (excluding staff).
Libraries	May provide services as a Critical Business.	May provide services as a Critical Business.
Office-based Business, Critical	Must follow social distancing requirements.	Same as Level Orange.
Office-based Business, non-critical	Allowed to operate with staff at up to 25% posted occupancy.	Allowed to operate with staff at up to 10% posted occupancy.
Personal Services (spas, salons, etc.)	25% capacity per room up to 25.	Same as Level Orange.
Restaurants	25% capacity per room up to 50 (excluding staff).	Closed for indoor dining. May offer curbside, takeout, and delivery. Outdoor dining only for members of the same household at a table.
Retail, Critical and Non-critical	Allowed to operate at 50% of posted occupancy.	Same as Level Orange.
Social Gatherings	Up to 10, no more than 2 households.	Prohibited unless specifically allowed in a separate category.
Team Sports	Prohibited indoors. Up to 10 outdoors.	Same as Level Orange.