



Town of Fairhaven

Board of Health

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RE: New COVID-19 Guidance

Effective Sunday, December 13, 2020 the following changes will be in place:

1. The entire state of Massachusetts will be in Phase 3 Step 1 of the Reopening Plan. Please keep in mind that Fairhaven has already been in Phase 3 Step 1 since November 2, 2020 so this is not a major change. The image below indicates the differences between Steps 1 and 2.
2. New guidelines for restaurants include:
 - a. Patrons must wear masks at all times except when they are eating and drinking
 - b. Tables are capped at 6 people
 - c. Patrons are encouraged to dine only with their household members
 - d. There is a 90-minute time limit on tables
 - e. No musical performances at restaurants
 - f. Food court seating must be closed
3. New guidelines for fitness centers include:
 - a. Patrons are required to wear a mask at all times in gyms and fitness centers
4. New guidelines for office spaces include:
 - a. Workers are required to wear a mask in office spaces when they are not in their own private workspace and alone.

To find the sector-specific workplace standards visit: <https://www.mass.gov/resource/reopening-sector-specific-protocols-and-best-practices>