



STATE REOPENING GUIDELINES

As of May 18, 2020

- The loosening of restrictions in NY will be considered on a regional basis, based on the following criteria.
- These criteria are designed to allow phased re-opening to begin in each region only if:

Metric #1—Decline in Total Hospitalizations. Regions must show a sustained decline in the three-day rolling average of total net hospitalizations (defined as the total number of people in the hospital on a given day) over the course of a 14-day period. Alternatively, regions can satisfy this metric if the daily net increase in total hospitalizations (measured on a 3-day rolling average basis) does not exceed 15.

Metric #2—Decline in Hospital Deaths. Regions must show a sustained decline in the three-day rolling average of daily hospital deaths over the course of a 14-day period. Alternatively, regions can satisfy this metric if the three-day rolling average of daily new hospital deaths does not exceed 5.

Metric #3—New Hospitalizations. Regions must experience fewer than 2 new hospitalizations per 100,000 residents, measured on a three-day rolling average.

Metric #4—Hospital Bed Capacity. Regions must have at least 30% of their hospital beds available.

Metric #5—ICU Bed Capacity. Regions must have at least 30% of their ICU beds available.

Metric #6—Diagnostic Testing Capacity. Average daily diagnostic testing over the past 7 days must be sufficient to conduct 30 tests per 1,000 residents per month.

Metric #7—Contact Tracing Capacity. Number of contact tracers in each region must meet thresholds set by the Department of Health, in collaboration with the Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health and Vital Strategies.

PHASED REOPENING OF BUSINESSES

PHASE 1

- Construction
- Manufacturing
- Wholesale trade
- Retail for curbside pickup only
- Agricultural, forestry and fishing

PHASE 2

- Professional services
- Finance and insurance
- Retail
- Administrative support
- Real-estate, rental and leasing

PHASE 3

- Restaurants and food services
- Hotels and accommodations

PHASE 4

- Arts, entertainment, recreation
- Education