

Managing COVID Guidelines in the Restaurant Industry



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Changing Regulations

- **Federal/State/County/City**
 - Differing regulations
 - Typical recommendation – follow the most stringent rules

Changing Regulations

- **Resources** – where to find the updated rules and regulations

CDC <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/organizations/business-employers/bars-restaurants.html>

OSHA <https://www.osha.gov/coronavirus/safework>

EEOC <https://www.eeoc.gov/coronavirus>

CDPHE

<https://covid19.colorado.gov/restaurants-food-services>

<https://covid19.colorado.gov/public-health-executive-orders>

County

<https://cdphe.colorado.gov/public-information/find-your-local-public-health-agency>

<https://www.denvergov.org/Government/COVID-19-Information/Public-Health-Orders-Response/Public-Health-Orders>

Changing Regulations

- **Challenges of googling**

Using third party resources vs. going to the source
Requirements/mandates change daily

Clinical Hot Topics

- **Employer vaccine mandates**
 - Full FDA approval for Pfizer
 - State pushback
 - Major employers moving to mandates

Clinical Hot Topics

- Updated mask regulations
 - “Substantial & high” transmission
 - Transmission among fully vaccinated

Clinical Hot Topics

- Restaurant obligations for COVID+ tests
 - Employee
 - Customer

Clinical Hot Topics

- **Health department inspections**
 - Routine inspections have resumed
 - Inspections secondary to customer complaints



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Q&A

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