

## CDPH Updates to COVID-19 State Public Health Orders

Announcement Date: September 13, 2022

Rescinded orders include:

- [7/26/21 Health Care Worker Protections in High-Risk Settings](#)
- [8/11/21 Vaccine Verification for Workers in Schools](#)

Amended orders include:

- [2/22/22 State and Local Correctional Facilities and Detention Centers Health Care Worker Vaccination Requirement](#)
- [2/2/22 Health Care Worker Vaccine Requirement](#)
- [2/22/22 Adult Care Facilities and Direct Care Worker Vaccine Requirement](#)

### CHART OUTLINING ALL CHANGES BY SECTOR:

***\*Note – Updates rescinding all general screening testing requirements for workers do not supersede any CalOSHA requirements for testing when exposed or during an outbreak***

| SETTING                                                            | UPDATED EFFECTIVE SEPT 17 <sup>TH</sup> :<br>General Screening Testing of<br>asymptomatic, unvaccinated<br>or exempt staff * | UPDATED EFFECTIVE SEPT. 17 <sup>TH</sup> :<br>Vaccine/booster requirements of<br>covered workers | REQUIREMENTS BEFORE<br>September 17 <sup>TH</sup>                                    |
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| Schools                                                            | None                                                                                                                         | None                                                                                             | Covered workers had to show proof of vaccination or undergo weekly screening testing |
| Homeless Shelters, Dental offices, and Adult Day Programs Licensed | None                                                                                                                         | None                                                                                             | Covered workers had to show proof of vaccination or                                  |

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| by the California Department of<br>Social Services                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | undergo weekly screening<br>testing                                                                                                      |
| <b>Non-medical</b> State and Local<br>Correctional Facilities                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | None                                                                                                                         | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Covered workers had to show<br>proof of vaccination or<br>undergo weekly screening<br>testing                                            |
| Skilled Nursing Facilities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Still required for staff based on<br>CMS federal requirements                                                                | Covered Workers must be vaccinated and<br>boosted according to Table A in the<br>Order.<br>- No specific requirement as to “type” of<br>booster<br>- Booster timing must be “at least 2<br>months but no more than 6 months” after<br>completing primary series | Covered workers had to be<br>vaccinated and boosted.<br><br>(Unvaccinated) exempt<br>workers had to undergo<br>weekly screening testing. |
| HealthCare:<br>1. General Acute Care<br>Hospitals<br>2. Intermediate Care Facilities<br>3. Acute Psychiatric Hospitals<br>4. Adult Day Health Care<br>Centers<br>5. Program of All-Inclusive<br>Care for the Elderly (PACE)<br>and PACE Centers<br>6. Ambulatory Surgery<br>Centers | None                                                                                                                         | Covered Workers must be vaccinated and<br>boosted according to Table A in the<br>Order.<br>- No specific requirement as to “type” of<br>booster<br>- Booster timing must be “at least 2<br>months but no more than 6 months” after<br>completing primary series | Covered workers had to be<br>vaccinated and boosted.<br><br>(Unvaccinated) exempt<br>workers had to undergo<br>weekly screening testing. |

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. Chemical Dependency Recovery Hospitals</li> <li>8. Clinics &amp; Doctor Offices (including behavioral health, surgical)</li> <li>9. Congregate Living Health Facilities</li> <li>10. Dialysis Centers</li> <li>11. Hospice Facilities</li> <li>12. Pediatric Day Health and Respite Care Facilities</li> <li>13. Residential Substance Use Treatment and Mental Health Treatment Facilities</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Order of the State Public Health Officer Health Care Worker Vaccine Requirement</a></p> |                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                        |
| <p>Adult Care Facilities and Direct Care Workers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Adult and Senior Care Facilities licensed by the California Department of Social Services</li> <li>2. In-home direct care services workers</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | None                                                                                                                   | <p>Covered Workers must be vaccinated and boosted according to Table A in the Order.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No specific requirement as to “type” of booster</li> <li>- Booster timing must be “at least 2 months but no more than 6 months” after completing primary series</li> </ul> | <p>Covered workers had to be vaccinated and boosted.</p> <p>(Unvaccinated) exempt workers had to undergo weekly screening testing.</p> |

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| <p>3. All regional center employees, as well as service provider workers, who provide services to a consumer through the network of Regional Centers</p> <p><a href="#">Order of the State Public Health Officer Adult Care Facilities and Direct Care Worker Vaccine Requirement</a></p>                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                        |
| <p><b>Medical</b> State and Local Correctional Facilities:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Those regularly assigned to provide health care or health care services to inmates, prisoners, or detainees.</li> <li>Integrated skilled nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities, or the equivalent in the correctional facility or detention center</li> </ol> <p><a href="#">Order of the State Public Health Officer Correctional Facilities and</a></p> | <p>None <b>except</b> those for integrated SNFs</p>                                                                    | <p>Covered Workers must be vaccinated and boosted according to Table A in the Order.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No specific requirement as to “type” of booster</li> <li>- Booster timing must be “at least 2 months by no longer than 6 months” after completing primary series</li> </ul> | <p>Covered workers had to be vaccinated and boosted.</p> <p>(Unvaccinated) exempt workers had to undergo weekly screening testing.</p> |

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| <a href="#">Detention Centers Health Care<br/>Worker Vaccination Order</a> |                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                  |                                                   |