

RECAP: County of San Diego Update for the Business Community April 28, 2021

Be sure to catch the San Diego County press briefing today at 2:30 to get caught up on the latest vaccine and reopening guidance!

Check out the highlights from this week's County business sector briefing:

- Last week, the FDA lifted the pause on the Johnson and Johnson Vaccine. The CDPH released an update with additional resources [here](#).
- The CA Department of Industrial Relations released a [web-based tool for COVID-19 related sick leave](#).
- The IRS is now providing [tax credits for employers](#) who provide paid time off for employees to get vaccinated.
- Yesterday, CDC released updated recommendations for fully vaccinated people. Vaccinated people can now visit with other fully vaccinated people indoors without masks, participate in most outdoor activities without a mask, resume domestic travel and more. Read the full [updated guidance here](#), and check out this helpful graphic: [Choosing Safer Activities](#)
 - [In yesterday's press release](#), the CDPH announced they are working to align California's guidance with the new CDC updates. We are still waiting for CalOSHA to update their guidance on fully vaccinated people and testing requirements.
- The updated CDC travel advisory is [available here](#). Fully vaccinated travelers do not need to self-quarantine or provide negative test results unless their destination requires it.
 - The CDC published an [air travel toolkit](#) for airline partners and [road travel toolkit](#) for transportation partners.
- Guidance for day camps and places of worship were updated last Friday. Read more [here](#). Expected this week: Updated guidance on community events and waterpark guidance.
- [The CDPH Activity and Business Tiers chart](#) gives detailed reopening guidance by sector and by tier. Review the addendum for guidance on holding events with vaccinated and tested-only sections.

- Employers can partner with the state for testing. Antigen tests are free and PCR tests are at a cost. [Learn more here.](#)

Business Community Resources Quick Links:

- [Business Referral Guidelines](#)
- [Contact Tracing Fact Sheet](#)
- [Positive Employee Flowchart](#)
- [State Employer Playbook](#)
- [Business and Employer FAQs](#)
- [How to Stay Connected](#)
- [Return to Work Following COVID-19 Diagnosis](#)
- [Public Health Order \[Updated 2/06\]](#)
- [Employer COVID-19 Notification Form.](#)

If you would like to participate in the next Business Sector Telebriefing, join the 2nd and 4th Wednesday every month from 9:30 to 10:30 [here](#). Can't make the meeting? Send any questions to sbales@sdchamber.org to ask during the briefing.