



# District of Wells

March 29, 2021

## **NOTICE: NEW COVID 19 PROVINCIAL HEALTH ORDERS**

Do your part to keep B.C. Safe

### Stronger province-wide restrictions

**Between March 29 2021 at midnight and April 19 2021 at midnight** the Provincial Health Orders (PHO) is strengthening **province-wide restrictions**:

- The variance allowing indoor religious gatherings and worship services between March 28 and May 13 is suspended
- Indoor low intensity group exercise classes are [cancelled](#) (Inclusive of the Fitness Centre and yoga classes)
- Restaurants, pubs and bars are [closed for indoor dining](#). Outdoor patio seating and take-out or delivery is allowed
- Whistler Blackcomb ski resort is [closed](#)

### Safety recommendations

In addition to the orders, the PHO strongly recommends:

- Working from home whenever possible, unless it is essential to be in the workplace
- Keeping your child home from school if they feel sick or have any sign of illness
- [Getting testing immediately](#) if you or anyone in your family feels sick
- Avoiding all [non-essential travel](#)

### *Masks in schools*

Public health guidance for K to 12 schools has been updated to support and encourage students in grade 4 to 12 to wear masks at school.

### PHO order on gatherings and events

This content is a summary of the [PHO order – Gatherings and Events \(PDF\)](#) document. It is not legal advice and does not provide an interpretation of the law. In the event of any conflict or difference between this webpage and the order, the order is correct and legal and must be followed.

# Social gatherings

## *Indoor gatherings*

**No indoor social gatherings of any size** at your residence with anyone other than your household or, if you live alone, your core bubble. For example:

- Do not invite friends or extended family inside your residence or vacation accommodation
- Do not host a party or event inside your house

## *Outdoor gatherings*

Up to 10 people can gather outdoors. For example:

- Up to 10 people can gather at a park or beach
- Up to 10 people can gather in the backyard of a residence

Do not gather with several groups of new people. **Stick to the same people.** Continue to use COVID-19 layers of protection and maintain physical distancing. Patios and outdoor areas at restaurants, pubs and bars are **not included** as places to gather with 10 people at one table.

### **Wells Community Fitness Centre Users:**

The Fitness Centre and Yoga classes are suspended until April 20, 2021 or until the orders are lifted by the province, whichever is sooner. Once this ban has been lifted, registered users will need to contact District staff to receive new door codes.

Please email [admin1@wells.ca](mailto:admin1@wells.ca) or [marketing@wells.ca](mailto:marketing@wells.ca) for your new door codes after April 20, 2021. At this time new registrations will not be accepted for the March 29 to April 20, 2021 ban on indoor activities.

Thank you for your understanding during these challenging times.

Please keep an eye on your neighbors, remember the green and red check program.

In a world with uncertainties, be kind and stay safe.

Respectfully,

District of Wells Staff

