

# BAL HARBOUR

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**UPDATE #47 - COVID-19**

**May 22, 2020 (5:00 PM)**

The Village Emergency Operations Team is working hard to ensure the health and well-being of the community. As we continue to monitor the latest information on COVID-19 (Coronavirus), and begin moving toward a "New Normal," updated information will be shared with the community.

## **Cloth Face Covering Distribution**

Bal Harbour Village, in partnership with the Bal Harbour Shops, will be distributing washable cloth face coverings to Bal Harbour residents in the coming week. If you live in a condominium, please contact your condominium manager to provide the quantity needed for your household (1 per resident).

## **Miami-Dade County Order Relative to Face Coverings**

On April 9, 2020, Miami-Dade County issued Emergency Order 20-20, relative to face coverings. Following are the requirements of this order:

- 1) Persons working in or visiting grocery stores, restaurants, pharmacies, construction sites, public transit vehicles, vehicles for hire, and locations where social distancing measures are not possible shall wear facial coverings as defined by the CDC.
- 2) A facial covering includes any covering which snugly covers the face and mouth, whether store bought or homemade, and which is secured with ties or ear loops.
- 3) A mask shall not be required for children under two or persons who have trouble breathing due to a chronic pre-existing condition.
- 4) On the Bal Harbour Beach Path, facial coverings shall be worn, except by children under the age of 2, persons who have trouble breathing due to chronic pre-existing conditions, or persons engaged in strenuous physical activity, or when social distancing cannot be adhered to. Only you can determine if you meet any of these facial covering guidelines, but we encourage you to be mindful of remaining as safe as possible while also keeping others safe as well.

For examples of compliant face coverings, and instructions on how to make one, visit the [CDC website](#).

## **Miami-Dade County Emergency Order Regarding Certain Business Establishments**

To view a copy of the latest [County Order](#) outlining the parameters for the New Normal, as well as The New Normal guide visit: <https://www.miamidade.gov/information/library/new-normal.pdf>.

***As always, we encourage you to exercise good personal judgement. Remember that Kindness is Contagious and we urge you to wear facial coverings where adequate social distances cannot be achieved.***

### **Haulover Park Hours**

As a reminder, under the County's current Emergency Order, Haulover Park is open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

### **United States Census 2020**

In light of the COVID-19 outbreak, the U.S. Census Bureau has extended the deadline for the 2020 Census. The [2020 Census Questionnaire](#) should only take most people 10 minutes to complete, and your response helps direct billions of dollars in funds to local communities for roads and other important public services.

Most households should have already received their invitation to respond to the 2020 Census. These official Census Bureau mailings will include detailed information and a Census ID for [completing the Census online](#).

In addition to an invitation to respond, some households will receive a paper questionnaire. You do not need to wait for your paper questionnaire to respond to the Census. We encourage you to complete your census form online or by phone. To learn more about Census 2020, please visit [www.2020census.gov](http://www.2020census.gov).

### **Telemedicine + COVID 19 Screening in Bal Harbour Village, Bay Harbor Islands, Surfside, and Indian Creek Village**

Bal Harbour Village, Bay Harbor Islands, Town of Surfside, Indian Creek Village, and the Bal Harbour Shops are welcoming Banyan Medical Systems and Pivot Concierge Health in their providing first responders, seniors and all residents of the 33154 ZIP Code area options for safe medical care during the current pandemic. They will be offering various options for community members to get evaluated and receive care from their medical professionals in several convenient settings including virtual visits and a drive-thru screening site. For your convenience, download our flyer at <https://bit.ly/2Sr7gXX>.

To make an appointment for drive-thru screening, to schedule a virtual visit, or to learn more about these services, please visit the website [www.covid33154.com](http://www.covid33154.com). This site will be operational through May 29, 2020.

### **More Testing Sites**

Please be advised that the number of testing sites continues to expand and the minimum requirements to qualify to be tested are also continuing to change. For a complete listing of testing site locations and hours, please visit the [Miami-Dade County Coronavirus webpage](#).

### **Home Testing for Homebound Residents**

Senior citizens and individuals over the age of 18 with disabilities who are experiencing symptoms but are homebound may call to request a COVID-19 test to be performed at their home by Miami-Dade Fire Rescue staff. You must first make an appointment by calling **305-499-8767** starting at 9 a.m., seven days a week. The appointment line remains open until all appointments have been issued.