Bar Operations: Phase II Guidance

Option #1: Functioning bar work areas with no bar seating

- In addition to these highlighted standards, bars and bar operations must follow the Phase II restaurant guidance available at www.reopeningri.com.
- Standing service is not allowed.
- Congregating or mingling is not allowed.
- No ordering or picking up at the bar by customers.
- Indoor dining capacity is limited to 50% of regular seating capacity.

- Bar area is roped off or otherwise separated from the rest of the establishment.
- No bar seating.
- Self-service seating is prohibited; reservations encouraged but not required.
- Indoor entertainment (such as live performances, arcade games, and pool tables) is prohibited.
- Tables must be spaced eight feet from table edge to table edge or to allow six feet spacing between seated parties, unless there is a physical barrier.
- Customers consuming food or drink on premises must be seated.

- It is required that establishments retain contact information of one member of each party for 30 days for the purposes of contact tracing.
- It is *required* for patrons to wear masks when not seated at tables.
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Option #2: Bar seating with no functioning bar work areas

- In addition to these highlighted standards, bars and bar operations must follow the Phase II restaurant guidance available at www.reopeningri.com.
- Standing service is not allowed.
- Congregating or mingling is not allowed.
- No ordering or picking up at the bar by customers.
- Indoor dining capacity is limited to 50% of regular seating capacity.

- Customers consuming food or drink on premises must be seated.
- Tables must be spaced eight feet from table edge to table edge or to allow six feet spacing between seated parties, unless there is a physical barrier.
- Indoor entertainment (such as live performances, arcade games, and pool tables) is prohibited.
- No functioning bar work areas (e.g. drink making stations, dishwashing stations, glassware storage).
- Parties seated at the bar must be 6' from other parties or separated by a physical, nonporous barrier (e.g. plexiglass).
- No staff are permitted to work behind the bar.
- Self-service seating is prohibited; reservations encouraged but not required.
- It is *required* for patrons to wear masks when not seated at tables.
- It is required that establishments retain contact information of one member of each party for 30 days for the purposes of contact tracing.

- Customers consuming food or drink on premises must be seated.
- Tables must be spaced eight feet from table edge to table edge or to allow six feet spacing between seated parties, unless there is a physical barrier.
- Indoor entertainment (such as live performances, arcade games, and pool tables) is prohibited.
- No functioning bar work areas (e.g. drink making stations, dishwashing stations, glassware storage).
- Parties seated at the bar must be 6' from other parties or separated by a physical, nonporous barrier (e.g. plexiglass).
- No staff are permitted to work behind the bar.
- Self-service seating is prohibited; reservations encouraged but not required.
- It is *required* for patrons to wear masks when not seated at tables.
- It is required that establishments retain contact information of one member of each party for 30 days for the purposes of contact tracing.
Option #3: Functioning bar work areas and bar seating with a physical barrier

- In addition to these highlighted standards, bars and bar operations must follow the Phase II restaurant guidance available at www.reopeningri.com.
- Standing service is not allowed.
- Congregating or mingling is not allowed.
- No ordering or picking up at the bar by customers.
- Indoor dining capacity is limited to 50% of regular seating capacity.

An establishment can have functioning bar work areas and bar seating, providing that there is a physical, continuous, nonporous barrier (e.g. plexiglass) of appropriate height installed between work areas and customers.

Self-service seating is prohibited; reservations encouraged but not required.

It is required that establishments retain contact information of one member of each party for 30 days for the purposes of contact tracing.

It is required for patrons to wear masks when not seated at tables.

No service to customers from staff behind the bar, over the bar top.

Parties seated at the bar must be 6’ from other parties or separated by a physical, nonporous barrier (e.g. plexiglass).

Indoor entertainment (such as live performances, arcade games, and pool tables) is prohibited.

Staff may serve bar patrons from behind or to the side.

Tables must be spaced eight feet from table edge to table edge or to allow six feet spacing between seated parties, unless there is a physical barrier.

Customers consuming food or drink on premises must be seated.