

# **Environment Department**

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### Environment Department releases updated COVID-19 Watchlist

List includes establishments with two or more rapid responses within the last 14 days

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has updated its daily Rapid Response COVID-19 Watchlist, which includes New Mexico places of employment that have had two or more rapid responses in the last 14 days. There are currently 39 establishments on the Watchlist.



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The state initiates a rapid response when it learns of a positive COVID-19 case in a workplace. The state agency initiating the rapid response will offer

direction to establishments regarding testing, quarantining and isolating, disinfecting, and COVID-Safe Practices.

#### The Watchlist includes:

- Organizations for which NMED conducts rapid responses, including grocery stores, restaurants, retail stores, gyms, salons and business offices.
- Pre-K-12 public and private schools, early child care facilities and higher education institutions. The New Mexico Public Education Department (PED), Early Childhood Education and Care Department (ECECD) and Higher Education Department (HED) conduct rapid responses at these locations when employees and/or students test positive.
- Home health agencies, rehab centers, recovery centers and other outpatient healthcare entities where the Department of Health Division of Health Improvement (DHI) conducts rapid responses. DHI conducts rapid responses when employees of these entities test positive.

- Long-term care facilities, including skilled nursing homes and assisted living facilities where the Aging and Long-Term Services Department (ALTSD) conducts rapid responses when a staff member and/or resident tests positive for COVID-19.
- Children, Youth and Families Department (CYFD) facilities, including residential treatment centers for youth and youth shelters. CYFD conducts rapid responses when staff and/or residents test positive.

The Rapid Response COVID-19 Watchlist allows the public to make more informed decisions when patronizing establishments and also assists NMED's Occupational Health and Safety Bureau and other state and local regulatory agencies in evaluating whether organizations are complying with state public health orders and COVID-Safe Practices. State regulatory agencies may initiate compliance investigations and/or exercise enforcement when establishments fail to adhere to required practices.

The current public health order mandates certain establishments close for two weeks if they have four or more rapid responses within the last 14 days. The closure requirement applies to food and drink establishments, retail spaces, places of lodging, close-contact businesses as defined in the Nov. 13, 2020 public health order, and essential businesses (other than healthcare operations, utility and media services).

When there are four or more rapid responses at a location within 14 calendar days, the New Mexico Environment Department will refer the establishment to the Department of Health, which will evaluate and make the decision on establishment closure. An establishment may be permitted to continue operating if the Department of Health, after consultation with the New Mexico Environment Department, determines that the business is a sole provider of goods or services within a community, or if they have committed to regular surveillance testing of their workforce.

If a school has four rapid responses in a 14-day period, it must close within seven calendar days and remain in remote-only learning for 14 days. Only the individual school that reached the rapid response threshold is required to return to remote learning.

The current Rapid Response COVID-19 Watchlist and closure list, which includes all establishments that have been required to close, are posted <a href="here">here</a>.



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## Saturday, March 27

AGENCY ASSIGNED	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	COUNTY	NUMBER OF RAPID RESPONSES*
	GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY	3101 NORTH			
ALTSD	BETTY DARE	FLORIDA AVENUE	ALAMOGORDO	OTERO	2
	ALBUQUERQUETILE &	2412 CANDELARIA			
NMED	STONE	RDNE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NIMED	DENTIER MATTERESS OF	3230 MENAUL	AT DIJOUEDOUE	DEDMALHIO	
NMED	DENVERMATTRESSCO	BLVD NE # C	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2

NMED	EL PINTO FOODS	105124TH ST	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	3
NMED	FRANKLIN'S EARTHMOVING INC	700 INDUSTRIAL AVE NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	
NMED	INC	8220 SAN PEDRO	ALDUQUERQUE	DERNALILLO	3
NMED	HAKESBROTHERS	DR NE # 410	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
		3801 CARLISLE			
NMED	KOATTV	BLVD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	LA MESA RV CTR	401 CORDERO MESA DR NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NWIED	LAWESARV CIR	221 AIRPORT DR	ALDOQUERQUE	DERIVALILLO	2
NMED	LABATT FOOD SVC	NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	4
MAED	DAM DECOMPORG	4201 EDITH BLVD	A L DIJOUEDOUE	DEDMALHIO	_
NMED	PNM RESOURCES	NE THE RIDGE AT	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	PULTE HOMES	STORMCLOUD	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
		7500 BLUEWATER	, ,		
NMED	RIO GRANDE INC	RDNW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	TARGET	2120 LOUISIANA BLVD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	0
MMED	IARGEI	2550 COORS BLVD	ALDUQUENQUE	DEKNALILLU	2
NMED	WALMART SUPERCENTER	NW NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
		400 EUBANK			
NMED	WALMART SUPERCENTER	BLVD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	3
	FIRST CHOICE COMMUNITY	2001 CENTRO FAMILIA SW			
DHI	HEALTH	SUITE 1	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
		1510 ELLISON DR			
NMPED	CIBOLA HIGH IMMANUELLUTHERAN	NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BRENAILLO	3
NMPED	SCHOOL	300 Gold Ave SE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILO	2
	Berroom	8100 RAINBOW	TIEDO QUERQUE	DETU (TELES	
NMPED	VOLCANO VISTA HIGH	RD NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
ECECD	SOUTHWEST CHILD CARE LOMAS	11800 LOMAS BLVD NE	AT DITOTEDOTE	DEDMAINIO	
ECECD	LOWAS	300 VALENCIA	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
ALTSD	BROOKDALEVALENCIA	DRIVE SE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
		1619 WEST			
NMPED	CENTRAL ELEMENTARY	DELGADOAVE	BELEN	VALENCIA	2
NMED	HYATT REGENCY-TAMAYA RESORT	1300 TUYUNA TRL	BERNALILLO	SANDOVAL	2
TUMED	LAKEVIEW CHRISTIAN HOME	1905 WEST	BERUMERE	BIN (DO VILL	_
ALTSD	OF THE SOUTHWEST, INC.	PIERCE STREET	CARLSBAD	EDDY	2
MARID	ZIA PARK CASINO HOTEL	3901 W MILLEN	HODDG	T. T. A	
NMED	RCTRCK	DR 490 NVALLEY DR	HOBBS	LEA	2
NMED	ABCPAINT & BODY	# C	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	3
		2303 DIVOTAVE #			
NMED	CYRA COM INTL INC	1	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	3
NMED	DOLLARTREE	1265 EL PASEO RD	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	2
NMED	FIESTA HOMES	2005 S VALLEY DR	LAS CRUCES	DONA ANA	2
NMED	HAKESBROTHERS	425 S TELSHOR BLVD # C201B	LASCRUCES	DOMA ANA	
MMED	HARES DROTHERS	1650 W AMADOR	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	2
NMED	OLAM	AVE	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	7
NMED	RAWSON BUILDERS SUPPLY	2355 NEVADAAVE	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	2
		575 SOUTH		· · ·	
DHI	LA CLINICA DE FAMILIA	ALAMEDA BLVD	LASCRUCES	DONA ANA	5
NMED	ALBERTSONS MARKET	7800 ENCHANTED HILLS BLVD NE	RIO RANCHO	SANDOVAL	6
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		4800 CLEVELAND			
NMPED	CLEVELAND HIGH SCHOOL	HEIGHTS RD NE	RIO RANCHO	SANDOVAL	2
		1601 SAINT			
NMED	TOYOTA OF SANTAFE	MICHAELS DR # A	SANTA FE	SANTA FE	2
		721 CAMINO			
NMPED	ATALAYA ELEMENTARY	CABRA	SANTA FE	SANTA FE	2
NMPED	SANTA FE HIGH	2100 YUCCA RD	SANTA FE	SANTA FE	2
		1956 HIGHWAY			
NMED	ALBERTSONS	180 E	SILVER CITY	GRANT	2

<sup>\*</sup>In the last 14 calendar days

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