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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 49 establishments on the Watchlist.



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

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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 <u>here</u>.



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AGENCY ASSIGNED	NAME	ADDRESS	СІТҮ	COUNTY	NUMBER OF RAPID RESPONSES
NMPED	ALAMOGORDO HIGH	103 CUBA AVE	ALAMOGORDO	OTERO	2
		6625 BLUEWATER			
NMED	ABB INC	RD NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	CABELA'S	5151 LANG AVE NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	3

		8401 JEFFERSON			
NMED	CABLE COM	ST NE # A	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	CRYSTAL SPRINGS BOTTLED WATER	4446 ANAHEIM AVE NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	DION'S	10401 MONTGOMERY BLVD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	FRITO-LAY INC	1550 MISSION AVE NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	HOME DEPOT	200 EUBANK BLVD SE # B	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	LA MESA RV CTR	401 CORDERO MESA DR NW	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	LARRY H MILLER SOUTHWEST	8800 LOMAS BLVD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	4
NMED	LEGACY MORTGAGE	6725 ACADEMY RD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	NUSENDA CREDIT UNION	6501 INDIAN SCHOOL RD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	ROBERTS TRUCK CTR	1623 ASPEN AVE NW 7801 ACADEMY RD	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	STEWART TITLE CO	7801 ACADEMY KD NE # 1-101 8200 CARMEL AVE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	STEWART TITLE CO WEST MESA ORAL	NE # 103 4801 MCMAHON	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	MAXILLOFACIAL	BLVD NW # 230 4211 HAWKINS ST	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	YUKON & ASSOC	NE 11300	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMPED	ELDORADO HIGH	MONTGOMERY BLVD NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	3
NMPED	MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS	915 LOCUST SE 87106	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMPED	MANZANO HIGH	12200 LOMAS BLVD NE 301 MENAUL BLVD	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMPED	MENAUL HIGH SCHOOL MENAUL INTERMEDIATE	301 MENAUL BLVD NE 301 MENAUL BLVD	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMPED	SCHOOL	NE	ALBUQUERQUE	BERNALILLO	2
NMED	HILCORP	382 ROAD 3100 500 W BROADWAY	AZTEC	SAN JUAN	2
NMED NMPED	DOMINO'S DESERT WILLOW ELEMENTARY	AVE 2100 PRIMROSE ST	BLOOMFIELD CARLSBAD	SAN JUAN EDDY	2
ALTSD	BEEHIVE HOMES OF EDGEWOOD	102 QUAIL TRAIL	EDGEWOOD	SANTA FE	2
NMED	ESPANOLA PUBLIC WORKS DEPT	405 N PASEO DE ONATE	ESPANOLA	RIO ARRIBA	2
NMED	CHILE POD	121 W MAIN ST 5300 FOOTHILLS	FARMINGTON	SAN JUAN	2
NMPED	COUNTRY CLUB ELEMENTARY	DR	FARMINGTON	SAN JUAN	2
NMPED	ESPERANZA ELEMENTARY	4501 WILDFLOWER DR	FARMINGTON	SAN JUAN	2
NMPED	NORTHEAST ELEMENTARY	1400 EAST 23RD 800 NORTH	FARMINGTON	SAN JUAN	2
NMPED	HOBBS HIGH	JEFFERSON	HOBBS	LEA SAN HIAN	2
NMPED	KIRTLAND MIDDLE	538 RD 6100	KIRTLAND	SAN JUAN	2

	BIOMAT USA PLASMA CTR				
NMED	(GRIFOLS)	805 S MAIN	LAS CRUCES	DONA ANA	2
NMED	SAPUTO CHEESE USA INC	355 CRAWFORD BLVD	LAS CRUCES	DONA ANA	2
NMED	STAPLES	2260 E LOHMAN AVE	LAS CRUCES	DONA ANA	2
NMED	ALBERTSONS MARKET	7800 ENCHANTED HILLS BLVD NE	RIO RANCHO	SANDOVAL	2
NMED	INTEL CORP	1600 RIO RANCHO DR SE	RIO RANCHO	SANDOVAL	2
NMPED	LINCOLN MIDDLE	2287 LEMA RD SE	RIO RANCHO	SANDOVAL	2
NMPED	RIO RANCHO HIGH	301 LOMA COLORADO DR NE	RIO RANCHO	SANDOVAL	2
NMED	MARSHALLS	4501 N MAIN ST	ROSWELL	CHAVES	3
NMED	HOBBY LOBBY	4250 CERRILLOS RD # 6500	SANTA FE	SANTA FE	2
NMED	SANTA FE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT-SAF	121 AVIATION DR	SANTA FE	SANTA FE	2
NMED	CN WIRE CORP	11 RUNWAY DR	SANTA TERESA	DONA ANA	2
NMED	DA INC	100 LINDBERGH DR	SANTA TERESA	DONA ANA	2
NMED	EXPEDITORS	7100 BINATIONAL AVE # 500	SANTA TERESA	DONA ANA	2
NMPED	NIZHONI ELEMENTARY	HWY 491	SHIPROCK	SAN JUAN	2
NMED	MC DONALD'S	1105 HIGHWAY 180 E	SILVER CITY	GRANT	3
NMED	ARDOVINO'S DESERT CROSSING	1 ARDOVINOS DR	SUNLAND PARK	DONA ANA	2

\*In the last 14 calendar days

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