

# BUILDING NOTICE

JANUARY 12, 2022

## SAFER RETURN TOGETHER - ORDER C19-07Y - UPDATED

Greetings 375 Beale Occupants,

On January 10, 2022, the City and County of San Francisco Department of Public Health further updated Order No. C19-07y (Safer Return Together), which replaced the Order of the Health Officer, No. C19-07x (Stay Safer at Home), issued on May 20, 2021, in its entirety and will remain in effect, until rescinded, superseded, or amended in writing. For specific details, please visit the following link:

<https://www.sfdph.org/dph/alerts/files/C19-07-Safer-Return-Together-Health-Order.pdf>

Order No. C19-07y (updated) went into effect immediately on January 10, 2022.

Per the January 10, 2022 San Francisco Department of Public Health Order No. C19-07y update:

### **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:**

#### ▪ **FACE COVERINGS:**

- Due to the current surge associated with the Omicron variant, exemptions to indoor universal mask requirement that allow removal of mask if 100 % of people present are Fully Vaccinated remains temporarily suspended until February 1, 2022.
- Everyone, including people who are Up-to-Date on Vaccination meaning they have completed their initial course of vaccination and are at least seven days after having received a Booster once eligible, must wear a Well-Fitted Mask in indoor public settings as described in the updated Order.
- As provided in the definition of a Well-Fitted Mask, a well-fitting non-vented N95, KN95, or KF94 respirator is strongly recommended. A well-fitting surgical/procedural mask with a cloth mask worn over it to increase fit is also recommended. Given higher transmissibility of the Omicron variant, cloth masks alone are no longer recommended.

#### ▪ **VACCINATIONS:**

- Up-to-Date on Vaccination - "Up-to-Date on Vaccination" means i) two weeks after completing the full initial course of vaccination with a vaccine authorized to prevent COVID-19 by the FDA, including by way of an emergency use authorization, or by the World Health Organization (WHO) (also defined as being Fully Vaccinated) and ii) one week after receiving a Booster once a person is eligible for a Booster. Until a person is eligible for a Booster, they are considered Up-to-Date on Vaccination two weeks after completing their full initial series of vaccination.
- Businesses and governmental entities are generally encouraged to require Personnel and patrons to be Up-to-Date on Vaccination, meaning they have completed the full initial course of vaccination (also referred to as being Fully Vaccinated) and have received a Booster when they are eligible.
- Proof of Vaccination - Businesses and other entities are urged to require people to provide proof that they have completed their initial vaccination series (are Fully Vaccinated) before allowing people to remove their Well-Fitted Mask to the extent allowed in Appendix A, Section 5. For clarity, even if a Business or other entity

does verify that people are Fully Vaccinated, people still must wear a Well-Fitted Mask unless otherwise exempted under the Order. And as provided in the Order, each Business that is required to confirm proof of completion of the full initial course of vaccination (Full Vaccination) is strongly urged to implement measures as soon as possible to require its patrons and staff (as distinct from Personnel) to be Up-to-Date on Vaccination, including requiring them to show proof of receipt of a Booster once they are eligible.

- Unless otherwise specified, the following are acceptable as proof of Full Vaccination: (i) the CDC vaccination card, which includes name of person vaccinated, type of vaccine provided, and date last dose administered, or similar documentation issued by another foreign governmental jurisdiction, (ii) a photo of a vaccination card as a separate document, (iii) a photo of the a vaccination card stored on a phone or electronic device, (iv) documentation of vaccination from a healthcare provider, (v) a personal digital COVID-19 vaccine record issued by the State of California and available by going to [myvaccinerecord.cdph.ca.gov](https://myvaccinerecord.cdph.ca.gov) or similar documentation issued by another State, local, or foreign governmental jurisdiction, or by an approved private company (a list of approved companies offering digital vaccine verification is available at [www.sfdph.org/dph/alerts/files/vaccine-verification-sites.pdf](https://www.sfdph.org/dph/alerts/files/vaccine-verification-sites.pdf))

- **PERSONNEL HEALTH SCREENING REQUIREMENTS:** Businesses and governmental entities must continue to develop and implement a process for screening Personnel for COVID-19 symptoms, but this requirement does not mean they must perform on-site screening of Personnel. Businesses and governmental entities should ask Personnel to evaluate their own symptoms before reporting to work. If Personnel have symptoms consistent with COVID-19, they should follow subsections 3. (d) and 3. (e).

- **VENTILATION GUIDANCE:** All Businesses and governmental entities with indoor operations are urged to review the Ventilation Guidelines and implement ventilation strategies for indoor operations as feasible.

- **SIGNAGE:** (<https://sf.gov/resource/2021/covid-19-outreach-toolkit>)


In addition to any signage otherwise required in this Order or any directives issued by the Health Officer for specific Business or other sectors, the following general signage requirements apply:

- **Signage for Patrons.** All Businesses and governmental entities are required to conspicuously post signage reminding individuals of COVID-19 prevention best practices to reduce transmission: Get vaccinated; Stay home if sick, and talk to your doctor; Masks are required indoors; Maximize fresh air; and clean your hands.
- **Signage for Employees.** All Businesses and governmental entities are required to post signs in employee break rooms or areas encouraging employees to get vaccinated and informing them how to obtain additional information.

- **MANDATORY REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:**

- Consistent with Cal/OSHA rules and regulations, Businesses and governmental entities must require that all Personnel immediately alert the Business or governmental entity if they test positive for COVID-19 and were present in the workplace either (1) within 48 hours before onset of symptoms or within 10 days after onset of symptoms if they were symptomatic; or (2) within 48 hours before the date on which they were tested or within 10 days after the date on which they were tested if they were asymptomatic.
- If a Business or governmental entity learns that three or more of its Personnel are confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 and visited the workplace during their high-risk exposure period at any time during a 14-day period (i.e., three cases onsite within a 14-day period), then the entity must call DPH at 628-217-6100 immediately to report the cases and in any event no later than the next business day after learning of those positive cases.
- Businesses and governmental entities must also comply with all case investigation and contact tracing measures directed by DPH including providing any information requested within the timeframe provided by DPH, instructing Personnel to follow isolation and quarantine protocols specified by CDPH and Cal/OSHA and any additional protocols specified by DPH, and excluding positive cases and unvaccinated close contacts from the workplace during these isolation and quarantine periods.

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For additional questions or concerns, please contact Building Management at (628) 220-2080 or via e-mail at [375BealeSt@cushwake.com](mailto:375BealeSt@cushwake.com). We thank you for your attention to this matter.

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