



COVID-19

KEY METRICS FOR SAFE RESTART

	Metric	Why it matters	What we want to see
Share of hospital beds with COVID-19 patients	Percent of adult inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients	Measures impact on hospitals. Takes time after cases decline to show improvement.	 Declining trend
COVID-19 case rates	COVID-19 cases per 1,000,000 residents	Direct measure of COVID-19 spread. Drives hospitalizations.	 Declining trend
Percent positivity	Percent of COVID-19 tests that are positive	Measures whether we could be missing cases in the community. Early indication of future cases and hospitalizations.	 Declining trend

For more information about the order, visit Michigan.gov/Coronavirus.
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