

COVID-19: Retail To-Go Business Guidelines

Pursuant to Executive Order GA-16, issued on Friday, April 17, 2020, by Governor Greg Abbott, and effective at 12:01 a.m. on Friday, April 24, 2020, some retail businesses classified as "non-essential" in the original Stay-at-Home order will be able to provide "to-go" services with some restrictions.

REMEMBER TO STAY HOME WHEN YOU ARE SICK, EXCEPT TO GET MEDICAL CARE

Employees of non-essential businesses that are re-opening using this "retail-to-go" system must follow these guidelines from the Texas Department of State Health Services:

- All employees must routinely wash hands, disinfect work areas, and maintain social distance.
- All employees must be checked before coming into the business for the following:
 - Temperature at or above 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit
 - Shortness of breath
 - A new or worsening cough
 - Sore throat
 - Loss of taste or smell

Employees with any of these symptoms should be sent home immediately.

- Upon entering the business, employees must wash or sanitize hands.
- All employees must wear face coverings.
- All employees must wash or sanitize hands after each interaction with a customer.

No changes were made to how essential business operate. Executive Order GA-16 does not apply to "essential" businesses that have been able to operate during the Stay-at-Home order. The State of Texas has established a list of 17 essential business classifications. To see the full list, [visit tdem.texas.gov](http://tdem.texas.gov).

EXAMPLES OF NON-ESSENTIAL RETAILERS THAT CAN RE-OPEN

**CLOTHING STORES - SHOE STORES -
FURNITURE STORES - APPLIANCE STORES
- BOOKSTORES - ARTS & CRAFTS /
HOBBY STORES - VIDEO GAME STORES -
HOME DECOR STORES - HEALTH AND
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WITH QUESTIONS REGARDING THE CHANGES DUE TO COVID-19.

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