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### **State Addresses CDC Recommendations for Fully Vaccinated People**

Today, the State of California Health and Human Services Agency made a statement in response to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recent update on May 13, 2021, to the recommendations for fully vaccinated individuals. The statement, as delivered by Secretary Dr. Mark Ghaly on Mask Guidance, is as follows:

“California has made amazing progress in our fight against COVID-19. With more than 34 million vaccines administered, we now have among the lowest case and positivity rates in the nation.

“On June 15, California plans to implement the CDC’s guidelines around masking to allow fully vaccinated Californians to go without a mask in most indoor settings. This four-week period will give Californians time to prepare for this change while we continue our relentless focus on delivering vaccines, particularly in underserved communities.

“We urge all Californians to get vaccinated to ensure that infection and hospitalization rates remain low across the state and that we can all return to the activities we love.

“Until June 15, when California plans to fully reopen the economy, California will keep our existing guidance around masks in place.

“As of May 3, 2021, face coverings are no longer required outdoors except at crowded events, and for unvaccinated people, when physical distancing cannot be maintained.

“In indoor settings outside of one’s home, including public transportation and schools, face coverings continue to be required regardless of vaccination status.”

Kindly remember that most businesses in Plumas County still must operate under Cal/OSHA requirements even with the recent CDC update. Please be polite and courteous to our businesses, especially in the event that they ask you to follow their policies in place for adherence to State and Cal/OSHA regulations.

If you have any questions please contact the Plumas County Public Health Agency at 530-283-6337 or send an e-mail to [COVID19@countyofplumas.com](mailto:COVID19@countyofplumas.com) or visit our website at [www.plumascounty.us](http://www.plumascounty.us).