

# County Restrictions in Response to COVID-19 as of July 9

**Erratum (11/5/2020):** In the original table published on July 13, Grant County was categorized as having a mask mandate. However, Grant County passed a resolution on July 2 opting out of the state mask order. This brings the number of counties with any restrictions in place down from 24 to 23 and the number of counties with a mask order in place down from 15 to 14, both as of July 9. The table below, as well as the accompanying blog post and map, have all been corrected to reflect these changes.

Information was collected through online searches for published orders, announcements on social media and local news sites. Counties that have adopted restrictions by official action are shown in this table, and official actions that use only the language of guidance (e.g., “should,” or “recommend”) are not considered restrictions in the table. For mask orders, counties that either adopted an order by official action or did not take official action to opt out of the state mask order are considered to have a restriction in place and are therefore shown in this table. Cities that adopted a mask ordinance are also included in this table. Counties and cities may have policies in place that were not identified by this approach and therefore are not identified properly in the table. Information will be monitored, and the table updated as needed.

Note: Only counties with restrictions have been included in this table.

Number of Kansas counties with restrictions = 23 (14 of these counties have a mask order in place)

Number of Kansas counties with no restrictions (but might have recommendations or guidelines) = 82



Additional resources:

[Ad Astra Plan to Reopen Kansas](#) | [FAQ](#) | [Industry Guidance on Reopening](#) | [Executive Order 20-52 \(“Mask Order”\)](#)

COUNTY	COUNTY RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE (As of 10 a.m., July 9)	Any Restrictions	CATEGORIES OF RESTRICTIONS											
			Gathering Size	Restaurants/Bars/Nightclubs	Retail	Fitness Centers/Gyms/Health Clubs	Indoor/Outdoor Leisure Activities	Education/Childcare/Summer Camps	Mass Events	Swimming Pools	Enforcement Provision	Institutions	Mask Order	
		Totals:	23	14	4	2	3	4	3	7	2	4	3	14
Allen	Allen County took no action to opt out of the state mask order. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓												✓
Atchison	Effective until July 21, mass gatherings of more than 45 individuals are prohibited. All businesses can open if able to maintain at least 6 feet of distance; follow fundamental cleaning and public health practices and avoid instances in which groups of more than 45 individuals are in one location and unable to maintain a 6-foot distance. Personal service businesses may open if written customer record is kept and appointments are spaced. Fitness centers and health clubs may open, but locker rooms must be closed except as necessary to use restroom facilities, there is a limit of 45 visitors per 1,000 square feet, must keep a visitor record, must clean equipment between use, and maintain social distancing in group classes. Retail sales establishments, including retail food, theaters, museums and indoor leisure spaces may open with a limit of 45 customers for each 1,000 square feet of retail shopping space and customers maintain social distancing. Golf courses and recreational facilities may open, provided they maintain social distancing and adhere to mass gathering limits. Order is enforced pursuant to K.S.A. 65-129b(a)(2). <a href="#">READ MORE</a>  Atchison County also chose to uphold the state mask order. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓					✓		✓
Barber	Effective until rescinded, Barber County is in Phase Three of the Ad Astra Plan with the following modifications: large entertainment venues with 2,000+ capacity are not allowed to open. Also, those who must interact with residents in senior living facilities, hospitals or correctional facilities must adhere to strict protocols regarding hygiene and screening. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓	✓							✓			✓	
Bourbon	Bourbon County is following the state mask order. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓												✓
Cowley	Effective until rescinded, Cowley County extended Phase Three of the Ad Astra Plan with the following modifications as amended: outdoor mass gatherings of more than 750 individuals are prohibited; indoor mass gatherings of more than 300 individuals are prohibited or 25% of rated occupancy rate of the building so long as adequate social distancing can occur; indoor, on-site, operations are limited to no more than 150 individuals. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓	✓							✓				





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Totals:		23	14	4	2	3	4	3	7	2	4	3	14
Wabaunsee	Effective until rescinded, Wabaunsee County extended Phase Three with the following modification: 90 maximum for mass gathering when able to maintain 6 feet distance between people that do not reside in the same household. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓	✓										
Wyandotte	Effective until rescinded, Wyandotte County has extended Phase Three of the Ad Astra Plan, with the following modifications: swimming pool capacity is limited to no more than 45; summer camps, fairs, festivals and outdoor venues are allowed at 50 percent or less of fire marshal approved capacity, and only if proper 6 ft social distancing can be maintained if there are more than 45 individuals in one place. Visitors are not allowed at long term care facilities or correctional facilities. Enforcement pursuant to K.S.A. 65-129b. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>  Wyandotte County enacted its own mask order effective June 30, which was prior to issuance of the state mask order. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>	✓	✓					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Source: KHI analysis of searches of published orders, or announcements on social media or in a local newspaper. Data as of 10 a.m. on July 9.

## City Mask Orders as of July 9

CITY	COUNTY	MASK ORDINANCE DESCRIPTION
Wichita	Sedgwick	Effective until August 11, the City of Wichita enacted an ordinance nearly identical to the state mask order with the following modifications: for a person, firm or corporation, the first conviction shall be punished by a fine of \$25, second conviction by a fine of \$50, and third or subsequent conviction by a fine of \$100. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>
Salina	Saline	Effective until rescinded, the City of Salina enacted an ordinance nearly identical to the state mask order with the following modifications: any person, business, organization, or non-profit association violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of no less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars upon a first violation, a fine of no less than fifty (\$50.00) dollars upon a second violation, and a fine of no less than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars upon a third or subsequent violation. Each occurrence of a violation of this ordinance shall be considered a separate and distinct violation. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>
Manhattan	Riley	Effective until September 7, the City of Manhattan enacted an ordinance nearly identical to the statewide mask order with the following modifications: a violation shall be punished as follows with a fine of \$5 for the first conviction, with a fine of \$10 for the second conviction and with a fine of \$20 for the third or subsequent violation. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>
Parsons	Labette	Effective upon publication in the Parsons Sun, the City of Parsons enacted an ordinance nearly identical to the state mask order with the following modifications: a violation by an individual shall be punished with a warning for the first offense, with a \$15 fee for the second offense, and a third offense could be fined \$50 plus \$90 in court costs. <a href="#">READ MORE</a>

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