



TAGUIG CITY
PHILIPPINES

TAGUIG SAFE CITY TASK FORCE

21 October 2020

TAGUIG SAFE CITY TASK FORCE ADVISORY NO. 29

TO : ALL DESIGNATED SAFETY OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES, EMPLOYERS AND OWNERS OF EATING ESTABLISHMENTS SUCH AS RESTAURANTS, FASTFOOD CHAINS, SMALL EATERIES, CANTEENS, CARINDERIAS, AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

RE: Guidelines on the Operations and Reiteration of the Minimum Health Standards and Safety Protocols for Dine-in in Restaurants and Other Eating Establishments

To properly implement the Guidelines of the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-EID), and the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) on the Minimum Health Protocols for Dine-in Restaurants and Fast-food Establishments, and Increasing the Allowable Operational Capacity of Certain Business Establishments or Activities under General Community Quarantine, as well as the relevant issuances of the Safe City Task Force, all eating establishments in Taguig are reminded of the following:

1. SAFE CITY CHECKLIST AND DESIGNATED SAFETY OFFICER

- a. All restaurants and food establishments are required to submit their respective Infectious Disease Preparedness and Response Plan (IDPRP), also as known as **Safe City Checklist**, which can be found at <https://safecity.taguiginfo.com/downloadable-forms>.
- b. All restaurants and food establishments are **required to assign at least one (1) Designated Safety Officer (DSO)** who must be present at the workplace to ensure all health protocols are being implemented, as well as coordinate and report COVID-19 cases through the Business Emergency Response for Notifiable Infections and Emerging Diseases (B.E.R.N.I.E.) at (0961) 704 4354.

2. ALLOWABLE OPERATIONAL CAPACITY

Dine-in services of all restaurants and food establishments shall be allowed at **50% operational capacity**, subject to the strict compliance to the minimum health and safety protocols found in DTI Memorandum Circular No. 20-37 and Safe City Task Force Advisory Nos. 9 and 14.

3. ALLOWABLE OPERATIONAL HOURS AND CURFEW

- a. Restaurants and food establishments are allowed to open 24 hours-a-day **for take-out and delivery services only**;

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- b. **Dine-in operations** in all restaurants and food establishments are allowed **until 12:00 a.m only**.
- c. All workers/employees of restaurants and food establishments on their way home after 12:00 a.m. will not be apprehended as long as they show proof of employment such as, but not limited to, their valid Company ID or Certificate of Employment (CoE).

4. PERSONS ALLOWED TO DINE-IN

- a. All persons between 18 to 65 years old are allowed to dine in at any restaurant or eating establishment for a maximum duration of two (2) hours only. They are only allowed to remove their masks while seated and dining. Otherwise, masks must be worn at all times.
- b. While strongly encouraged to stay home during the global pandemic, seniors, pregnant women and minors shall be allowed to dine-in in restaurants and other eating establishments, provided that:
 - i. They strictly abide by all the minimum health and safety protocols;
 - ii. Minors are accompanied and supervised by their parents or an adult guardian.

5. EVENTS AND PARTIES

All events, parties, and other intimate gatherings in restaurants and other eating establishments shall only be allowed upon prior approval of the Safe City Task Force.

For inquiries or clarifications, the DSO of the eating establishment may contact us thru the following:

Mobile - 0917 833 1327

E-mail - covidfaq@taguiginfo.com

6. SERVING OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

- a. Clubs, bars, beerhouses, nightclubs & other similar establishments whose primary business is serving of alcoholic drinks **are still prohibited to operate**.
- b. To discourage people from congregating, all restaurants with appropriate liquor licenses **may only serve alcoholic beverages as a compliment to a two (2) hour meal**.
- c. Seated patrons or customers are only allowed to consume the following maximum amount during the course of their two (2) hour meal:
 - i. Wine – Two (2) wine glasses per person, or a maximum of one 750 mL bottle of wine for two (2) persons.
 - ii. Beer – Two (2) 330 mL bottles per person.
 - iii. Cocktail or spirit – Two (2) servings in cocktail glasses per person.
- d. The food and beverage orders must be consumed inside the establishment. After consumption, customers must be discouraged

from hanging around in groups in order to reduce opportunities for them to mingle.

- e. Consumption of alcohol in bulk at eating establishments such as pitchers, buckets, and cases are strictly prohibited.
- f. Purchase of alcoholic beverages from convenience stores, groceries and other similar retail stores shall continue to be allowed. However, its consumption within the premises of the convenience store or other similar retail establishment is strictly prohibited.

Any person in violation of these guidelines shall be penalized in accordance with Republic Act No. 11332, otherwise known as the “Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act” in relation to Presidential Proclamation No. 922, Taguig City Ordinance No. 24, Series of 2020, otherwise known as the “New Normal Ordinance of Taguig City” and other applicable laws and ordinances. This will be without prejudice to the filing of an administrative case if the violator is a government official or employee.

For guidance and strict compliance.

By Authority of the Mayor:

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ATTY. CLARENCE S. SANTOS
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Noted by:

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