

List of Essential and Nonessential Businesses under Stay at Home Order 2020-03

This document lists many industries in our community, but is not a complete catalog.

If you are a business owner and are unsure of if your business is essential, please fill out the business determination form at como.gov/coronavirus.

If you would like to report a business that is not complying with the Stay at Home Order, call **573.874.CITY(2489)** or email **city@como.gov**.

Please note that all essential businesses are strongly encouraged to allow employees to work from home and to maintain social distancing to the extent feasible in continuing to carry out their operations.

Nonessential businesses may ship/mail products, and conduct activities that are critical to the infrastructure of their business. Nonessential businesses are not allowed to conduct curbside pick-up or contactless delivery.

Industry

Notes

Building, Gardening, and Supplies Dealers

Hardware Stores	Essential	
Plant Nurseries	Essential	May only sell fruit, plants and herbs.

Care Facilities

Adult Daycare	Essential	Encouraged to follow childcare guidelines.
Child Daycare	Essential	May provide childcare for essential employees; must follow childcare guidelines.

Clothing and Accessories

Accessories Stores	Nonessential	
Bridal Boutiques	Nonessential	
Clothing Stores	Nonessential	
Shoe Stores	Nonessential	

Communication

Internet Providers	Essential	
Mailing, Shipping and Delivery Services	Essential	
Newspapers	Essential	
Radio Stations	Essential	
Television Stations	Essential	

Electronic and Appliance

Audio Services	Essential	May only provide essential services for essential businesses.
Electronic and Technology Repair	Essential	

Food and Beverage

Bars	Nonessential	
Convenient Stores	Essential	No self-service or refill cups.
Farmers Markets	Essential	
Food Delivery Services	Essential	
Food Trucks/Ice Cream Trucks	Essential	
Grocery Stores	Essential	

Food and Beverage

Grocery Delivery Services	Essential	
Liquor Stores	Essential	
Restaurants	Essential	For pick up and delivery only.
Supplement and Vitamins	Essential	
Vending	Essential	

Finance and Insurance

Accounting Services	Essential	Encouraged to operate online. May provide services in person when necessary to assist with legally mandated activities or assist a person in the exercise of constitutional rights.
Bail Bonds	Essential	
Banks	Essential	
Loan Facilities	Essential	
Insurance Agencies	Essential	Encouraged to operate online. May provide services in person when necessary to assist with legally mandated activities or assist a person in the exercise of constitutional rights.
Pawn Shops	Essential	
Payday Loans	Essential	

Health and Personal Care

Chiropractic Services	Essential	
Gym and Fitness Centers	Nonessential	
Hair Salons and Barber Shops	Nonessential	
Hospitals and Medical Offices	Essential	
Longterm Care Facilities	Essential	
Massage Services	Nonessential	Allowed only if providing services that are medically necessary.
Nail Salons	Nonessential	
Outpatient Surgery Centers	Essential	

Maintenance, Repair and Hygiene

Construction	Essential	
Duct Cleaning	Essential	
Fencing	Essential	
Garage Repair	Essential	
Gutter Repairs	Essential	

Miscellaneous

Alcoholics/Narcotics Anonymous	Essential	Strongly encouraged to have virtual meetings.
Golf Courses	Essential	Must have no shared equipment, 1 person per cart and sanitize carts in between uses.
Legal Services	Essential	
Nonprofits offering food (i.e. Loaves and Fishes)	Essential	Grab and go only.
Playgrounds	Nonessential	Exception is made for playgrounds at daycare centers in which are being used during business hours. Must have 10 person maximum and cleaned in between uses.
Tattoo and Piercing Shops	Nonessential	

Pets and Animal Care

Pet/Animal Boarding	Essential	
Pet/Animal Daycare	Essential	
Pet/Animal Grooming	Nonessential	
Pet Stores	Essential	Can sell pet food and pet cleaning supplies. Grooming services are not allowed.
Veterinary Services	Essential	

Places of Worship

Churches, Synagogues, etc.	Essential	Streaming services online is strongly encouraged. Must follow 10 person occupancy rule. Services can be held in the parking lot if everyone remains in their car and the service is broadcasted over the radio.
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Residential and Real Estate

Apartment Complexes	Essential	
Bed and Breakfast	Essential	No dine-in service.
Estate Sale Liquidation	Essential	Can sell houses, but open houses are not permitted. Cannot sell other personal property items.
Home inspection	Essential	
Home Care Services	Essential	
Hotels and Motels	Essential	
Moving Companies	Essential	
Real Estate Auction	Essential	Can sell houses, but open houses are not permitted. Cannot sell other personal property items.
Real Estate	Essential	Open houses are not permitted.

Retailers

Adult Stores	Nonessential	
Book Stores	Nonessential	
Fabric and Craft Stores	Nonessential	May be open for curbside pick-up of mask making materials only.
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	Nonessential	
Hobby Shops	Nonessential	
Music Stores	Nonessential	May provide service for only learning only. May ship instruments/products.
Smoke and Vape Shops	Nonessential	
Sporting Goods Stores	Essential	

Transportation

Auto Auctions	Essential	Only essential if selling to an essential employee or business. No gatherings.
Auto Detailing	Essential	
Auto Repair	Essential	
Bike Shops	Essential	Only bike repairs are considered essential. Sales floor must be closed. Bikes can be rented for essential travel only.
Car Dealerships	Essential	Auto repair and basic functions like financial services and payroll may continue. Showroom floors cannot be open.
Car Wash	Essential	
Rideshare and Taxi Services	Essential	
Windshield Repairs	Essential	