



HILLSBOROUGH
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THURSDAY TOWN INFORMATION

Visit San Mateo County's website at www.smcgov.org for the latest information on COVID-19 and the current health order.

Testing appointments are available at multiple locations throughout the County. [Click here](#) for more information.

San Mateo County updates

[Governor orders some indoor services to close statewide](#)
[Press release](#)

On July 13th, Gov. Gavin Newsom ordered a shutdown of certain indoor operations statewide, including in San Mateo County. These operations include:

- Dine-in restaurants
- Wineries and tasting rooms
- Movie theaters
- Family entertainment centers
- Zoos and museums
- Cardrooms
- Brewpubs, breweries, bars and pubs (indoor and outdoor)

Counties that are on the State's watchlist for surging COVID-19 cases must also close other operations such as gyms, churches, salons, malls and more. San Mateo County is not currently on the watchlist.

[State releases new testing guidance](#)
[Click here](#) to read the full guidance

On July 14th, the California Department of Public Health released updated guidance on COVID-19 testing throughout the State. The updated guidance prioritizes testing of hospitalized individuals with signs or symptoms of COVID-19 infection followed by testing of other symptomatic individuals and higher risk asymptomatic individuals and then other asymptomatic individuals when certain conditions exist. This guidance should be used for prioritization of patient populations as well as for the purposes of guiding laboratories in managing specimen processing.

Please visit the [County's testing homepage](#) for updates on how this new guidance affects testing in the County.

[New health order allowing visits at long-term care facilities](#)
[Updated health order](#)



On July 15th, San Mateo County Health Officer Dr. Scott Morrow issued a new health order which allows limited outdoor visits and necessary indoor visits at long-term care facilities. The directive enables facilities to allow outdoor visits, according to certain preconditions and with safety measures in place, by family members, friends, and those making legal decisions on behalf of residents of nursing homes and other congregate care facilities. The order also provides for indoor visitation for compassionate care, for urgent health, legal, or other issues, including end of life.

Visitors and care facilities must continue to follow health order guidelines for social distancing, face coverings and handwashing.

HNN Corner

Hillsborough NEIGHBORHOOD NETWORK



The Hillsborough Neighborhood Network (HNN) team knows the fire seasons are getting worse, and given most of Hillsborough is in a risky area, one member took steps based on the Central County Fire Department (CCFD) [Wildland-Urban Interface \(WUI\) checklist](#) to get his property to be ready in case of a wildfire. Learn from his experience, the CCFD free review, and the steps he took to protect his home and family.



[Click here to read the article](#)

WaterSmart can help you identify irrigation issues on your property

Summer is here and irrigation systems are being turned back on after the winter hiatus. Many systems are scheduled to run in the early morning or late evening. Sometimes, this means that irrigation system issues can go unnoticed.

This can include broken irrigation spray heads, leaking valves or incorrectly set irrigation schedules.

If you haven't signed up, the Town recommends registering with [WaterSmart](#) to check your water use and irrigation schedule.

Haven't used WaterSmart before or need help? Please visit the Town's [WaterSmart and Advanced Water Meter system](#) webpage for how-to video tutorials and additional information.



General Municipal Election

A General Municipal Election will be held on Tuesday, November 3, 2020, for the purpose of electing three members of the Town of Hillsborough's City Council. The term of office will be for four years beginning in December 2020. A candidate must be a resident of the Town of Hillsborough and a registered voter of the Town at the time nomination papers are issued.



The nomination period for election to the office of City Councilmember will be from 8:00am on Monday, July 13, 2020, to 12:30pm on Friday, August 7, 2020. If a qualified incumbent does not file nomination papers by 12:30pm on Friday, August 7, 2020, the nomination period will be extended for non-incumbents only until 5:30pm on Wednesday, August 12, 2020.

Nomination papers will be available after 8:00am on Monday, July 13, 2020, from the Hillsborough City Clerk's Office by appointment only. Please contact City Clerk Miyuki Yokoyama at (650) 375-7412 or myokoyama@hillsborough.net for more information or to make an appointment to take out nomination papers.

Candidate Seminar

The San Mateo County Elections Office will be conducting a Candidate Seminar for the November 3, 2020 Election. The seminar will cover important topics regarding candidacy for the November Election, including filing deadlines, filing forms, candidate statements, campaign finance reports, and vote data, etc. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the seminar will be conducted online via Microsoft Teams. The seminar will be held on the following date and time:

- Thursday, July 23, 2020, 2:00pm

For more information about the Candidate Seminar and to register, please visit the County's webpage at <https://www.smcacre.org/rsvp-candidateseminar>, or contact Michelle Yue at myue@smcacre.org or (650) 312-5293.

Donate food and PPE supplies to help those in need

In collaboration with Hillsborough Helping, Food Drive donation bins are still up and running at Hillsborough Town Hall (1600 Floribunda Avenue), HCSO District Office and West School to accept food and PPE supplies. Donations will be given to [Samaritan House of San Mateo](#).

Please visit Hillsborough Helping's [facebook page](#) for information on what types of food can be donated and for important updates. [Click here](#) if you are interested in volunteering.



San Mateo County COVID-19 case update

San Mateo County Health provides a weekly COVID-19 data update every Friday on their [data dashboard page](#). As of July 15, 2020, there have been 4,333 confirmed COVID-19 cases in the County. As of last Friday, there are 21 confirmed cases in Hillsborough, which is an increase of 2 cases from July 3rd. Thank you to Hillsborough residents for continuing to follow County guidelines for face coverings, handwashing and social distancing.

Note: As of July 10, 2020. Case updates for individual cities are updated every Friday:

San Mateo County COVID-19 Cases by City

3,441

confirmed cases

Confirmed COVID-19 cases

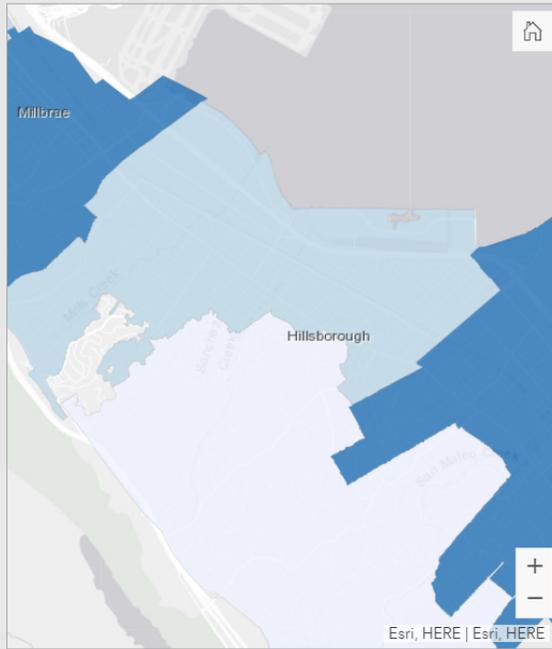
rate per 10,000 population

- > 53 - 89
- > 35.9 - 53
- > 21.6 - 35.9
- 10 - 21.6

Data not shown



Case data up to and including 7/2/20. Data will be updated weekly by Friday 9 am. Cases by city do not represent, in any way, a true representation of the actual burden of disease in the geographic area. Location data may be missing for some cases under investigation. As we receive new information about cases, data will be updated.



Atherton: 18 cases
Belmont: 49 cases
Brisbane: <10 cases
Broadmoor: <10 cases
Burlingame: 79 cases
Colma: <10 cases
Daly City: 518 cases
East Palo Alto: 266 cases
El Granada: 14 cases
Emerald Hills: 13 cases
Foster City: 35 cases
Half Moon Bay: 66 cases
Hillsborough: 19 cases
La Honda: <10 cases
Ladera: <10 cases
Loma Mar: <10 cases

Data are not shown for cities with less than 10 cases to protect privacy and confidentiality.

[Notes on cases](#)

[Data sources](#)

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