



RETAIL BUSINESSES

Effective May 4, retail businesses, such as clothing and shoe stores, jewellers, tailors, flower shops, lodges and outfitters, sporting good/adventure stores, vaping supply shops, boats dealers, ATV and snowmobile dealers, gift, book and stationery stores, jewelry and accessory stores, toy stores, music, electronic and entertainment stores, pawn shops, pet groomers and similar businesses may reopen if occupancy levels are maintained in order to allow staff and customers to maintain a physical distance of at least two metres, except for brief exchanges. All businesses will be required to limit occupancy to 50 per cent of normal business levels or one person per 10 square metres, whichever is lower. These requirements will be enforceable under public health orders.

Businesses may continue to provide goods by delivery or pick-up that have been ordered online, by telephone or other remote means.

Guidelines:

- Staff must use the self-screening tool before coming into work.
<https://sharedhealthmb.ca/covid19/screening-tool/>
- Employees must stay home when ill and customers are not allowed entry if they are ill with COVID-19 symptoms.
- Staff are given information about physical distancing. Businesses must post external signs indicating COVID-19 physical distancing protocols, along with floor markings where service is provided or lines form.
- Entry into the business, including lines, are regulated to prevent congestion.
- Businesses must maintain a single point of entry.
- No more than 10 people may gather in common areas. Congregation of people should be actively discouraged.
- Hand sanitizer is available at entrances and exits for public and staff use.
- Washrooms have frequent sanitization and a regime for business sanitization is in place.
- Cashless or no-contact payment should be used to the greatest extent possible.