This guidance is intended to assist Calvert County residents, business owners, workers and visitors at this moment in time. Our guiding principles are as follows:

**Marylanders should continue to practice physical distancing.**

**Marylanders should continue to wear face coverings or masks in indoor public places, and outdoors when physical distancing is not possible.**

**As vaccines become available, every eligible person should get inoculated to speed our community’s return to normal.**

**Employers and employees should continue with telework plans, if reasonable.**

*It is important that all of our actions in the near future are consistent with these guiding principles. Changing the way in which a business or venue operates is a major undertaking. Below we have a collection of general ideas that businesses or owners should take into consideration when developing business-specific plans for modifying operations.*

- Appropriate signage has been posted around the facility and grounds to relay the messaging about social distancing, face coverings, and handwashing.

- Politely and consistently enforce mask wearing for staff and customers.

- All staff able to telework will continue to and plans are in place, if reasonable.

- Adequate handwashing stations are available for workers or hand sanitizer is available.

- Where necessary, employees have been trained on the proper use of the necessary PPE (covers both mouth and nose).

- A plan is in place for regular cleaning and sanitizing of high contact surfaces. Gloves are available and worn by the designated employee responsible for cleaning high contact surfaces.

- Social distancing markers (6 feet apart) in areas where customers may form lines or congregate.

- A plan is in place for employee wellness checks. Have a secure location to store these documents.

*Requirements may change at any point contingent on health necessities or new directives from the Governor’s Office.*