

WVABCA



MONONGALIA COUNTY BAR AND RESTAURANT ADVISORY –10/13/20



**(EFFECTIVE PER THE GOVERNOR'S
EXECUTIVE ORDER 75-20, UNLESS OTHERWISE AMENDED)**

Monongalia County Bars and Restaurants are permitted to resume on-premises consumption of food or drink or occupancy by patrons in the bar or bar areas at 50% capacity (licensees with larger licensed premises are encouraged to operate below 50% capacity) as licensed, and as permitted under the law and Executive Orders).

Bars and Restaurants will need to have adequate staffing to ensure that any entry lines are properly spaced, social distance and face coverings are worn. Bars and Restaurants should refuse entry and service to patrons not complying with face coverings and social distancing requirements. Per the Governor's Guide to Safely Re-opening Monongalia County Bars - **patrons must 21 years of age or older and no dancing or dance floors are permitted to operate.**

Bars and Restaurants may permit limited indoor entertainment (not live music or DJs) as set forth in the WVABCA 50% INDOOR CAPACITY RESTAURANT AND BAR, AND ALSO LIMITED ENTERTAINMENT ADVISORY effective October 6, 2020 and WVABCA LIMITED OUTDOOR DINING AREA and LIMITED OUTDOOR LIVE MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT ADVISORY revised October 12, 2020.

Licensee's should have additional staff, if necessary, to ensure guidelines are followed, and to manage patron capacity.

Lastly, all licensees should comply with the Governor's mandatory face covering and social distance requirements for staff and patrons, as applicable.

Licensee's attempting to take advantage of the requirements, skirt the requirements or not following the requirements will face sanctions, including fines, suspension and possible revocation of the license. Be advised that the WVABCA and law enforcement will have extra staff undercover and in bars.

Licensees and patrons need to act responsibly in order to ensure continued operations and no further curtailment of operations due to health concerns.