

# Regulation regarding infection control, Ulvik herad, Vestland

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**Legal basis:** Adopted by the district medical officer in Ulvik herad with legal basis in Act 5. august 1994 no. 55 relating to control of communicable diseases § 4-1.

**Amended** by regulation 1 Feb 2021 no. 281 (in effect 2 Feb 2021).

## § 1. *Purpose and scope*

The purpose of the regulation is to establish infection control measures in order to prevent or limit spreading of COVID-19 in the population and amongst health personnel, and to ensure that sufficient capacity in the health and care service is maintained, in order for the service to handle the infection situation and to maintain ordinary health and care services, in periods where the infection rate is rising or high.

The regulation applies in Ulvik herad.

## § 2. *Definitions*

- a. “*Private gatherings*” means gatherings in private homes, cabins, and similar private areas, including unofficial arrangements indoors or outdoors.<sup>1</sup>
- b. “*Private organizer*” means someone who invites, hosts, or takes part in the arrangement of private gatherings.

<sup>1</sup> “Private gatherings” does not include arrangements regulated in § 13 in the national COVID-19-regulation.

## § 3. *Ban on private gatherings with more than 5 people present and gatherings where participants are not able to keep at least 1 metre apart*

Home visits are not allowed.

0 Amended by regulation [1 feb 2021 nr. 281](#) (in effect 2 Feb 2021).

## **§ 4. *Indoor events in public places***

Indoor events in public places are not allowed.

Exception: At funerals, the number of participants cannot exceed 50 people.

The calculation of who is included in the number of participants follows national guidelines.

COVID-19-regulation § 13 otherwise applies.

## **§ 5. *Closure and limitation of leisure activities***

Multipurpose hall, swimming pool, and other premises for similar activities shall remain closed.

Matches, sport cups, tournaments, and similar activities for children and young people under the age of 20 are not allowed.

The fitness centre must be closed.

Bingo and offers of similar activities must be cancelled.

Museums and similar facilities must be closed.

Libraries must be closed for public stays and activities. Access to lending and submission of books can be maintained.

Training and organized sports, cultural, and other leisure activities for children, young people, and adults are not allowed.

The youth club must be closed.

Recreational sports for adults are not allowed.

## **§ 6. *Capacity limitation in stores***

Only grocery stores can stay open and capacity of customers in the store must be reduced. Grocery stores must reduce capacity as required to ensure that customers can maintain a 2-metre distance. The allowable number of customers in the premises shall be calculated based on the size of the premises. If necessary, the store must post a guard outside the store who ensures compliance with this regulation.

0 Amended by regulation [1 feb 2021 nr. 281](#) (in effect 2 Feb 2021).

## **§ 7. *Required use of face mask/face covering on public transport, taxis and indoors in public places (shops, etc.)***

A face mask/face covering must be used on public transport and indoors in a public place.

Drivers and passengers in taxis must wear a face mask/face covering.

This provision does not apply to children under the age of 12, or persons who, for medical or other health reasons, cannot wear a face mask.

## **§ 8. *Pubs, restaurants, cafes and canteens***

Catering and bars shall be closed. Take-away is allowed.

0 Amended by regulation [1 feb 2021 nr. 281](#) (in effect 2 Feb 2021).

## **§ 9. *Mandatory home office***

Home office should be used whenever possible.

The employer is responsible for assessing whether it is possible to fulfil work obligations at the home office.

Otherwise, the Norwegian Directorate of Health's guidelines for home office applies.

## **§ 10. *Red level at upper secondary school***

Hjeltnes production school will introduce a red level. Those living as boarders must follow the current restrictions and government guidelines for infection control.

Requirements and definitions follow the Directorate of Education's guide.

## **§ 11. *Required digital teaching on vocational school***

The vocational school and adult education at Hjeltnes will carry out teaching and exams digitally.

## **§ 12. *Visiting restrictions at the assisted living facility***

Visits to the assisted living facility are not permitted. Exceptions are made for assisted living facility residents who are terminally ill. The use of a face mask is required for 1–1 contact. The direct external entrance shall be used for the purpose of visiting a terminally-ill resident.

Restrictions on visiting the assisted living facility will be adopted and changed by the municipal crisis management team.

0 Amended by regulation [1 feb 2021 nr. 281](#) (in effect 2 Feb 2021).

## **§ 13. *Penalty***

Intentional or negligent violation of this regulation can be punished in accordance with the Act relating to control of communicable diseases § 8-1.

#### **§ 14. *Effective date and duration of the regulations***

This regulation is entered into effect from and including 1 February 2021, and are valid until and including 7 February 2021.