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Public Health Guidance for Mass Gatherings

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Indian River County, FL— The Florida Department of Health in Indian River County is strongly urging attendees of mass gatherings not to attend if you:

- are a contact to a known or suspected case of COVID-19
- are an older adult
- are immune compromised
- are ill
- have chronic health conditions such as heart disease, diabetes or lung disease
- have traveled internationally within the last 14 days, especially to destinations under a level 3 travel advisory
- have traveled to or from a geographic area with widespread community transmission of COVID-19

Additionally, everyone is encouraged to:

- Stay home when you are sick, except to get medical care.
- Cover your coughs and sneezes with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom; before eating; and after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Clean frequently touched surfaces and objects daily.

These warnings are consistent with CDC and Florida Department of Health Guidelines. For more information on mass gatherings, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/large-events/mass-gatherings-ready-for-covid-19.html>

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