

Montgomery County Elections

COVID-19: Health Protocols for Voting in Person

Voters are strongly encouraged to vote during the Early Voting period to avoid a large number of voters on Election Day. Extended hours are scheduled for Early Voting to provide additional access.

The following are the minimum recommended health protocols for voting. Individuals are encouraged to adopt additional protocols consistent with their specific needs and circumstances to help protect the health and safety of all poll workers and voters.

Polling Place Safety Measures

- ★ Voters should wear their personal mask or face cover in the polling place.
- ★ Polling places are arranged according to recommended social and physical distance guidelines, where possible, to allow 6 feet between voters.
- ★ Floor markers are in place to assist with distance spacing.
- ★ Hand sanitizer is provided at the polling place entrance for voters.
- ★ Masks, face shields, hand sanitizer, and gloves are provided for poll workers.
- ★ Protective shields and pen sanitizing devices are provided at the voter check-in and Judge areas; however, voters are encouraged to use their own pen when possible.
- ★ All voting equipment and surfaces are sanitized frequently.
- ★ Voters should take their personal hand sanitizer into the polling place and should use it to disinfect their hands after leaving.

ATTENTION VOTERS

Daily Health Self-Assessment

Are you experiencing any of the following symptoms?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Fever | <input type="checkbox"/> Sore throat |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cough | <input type="checkbox"/> Headache |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chills | <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New muscle aches | <input type="checkbox"/> New loss of taste or smell |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New shortness of breath or difficulty breathing | <input type="checkbox"/> Close contact with a person who is lab-confirmed to have COVID-19 |

For the safety of voters and poll workers

If you are experiencing any of these symptoms, we ask that you consider utilizing Curbside Voting*.

*Eligibility for Curbside Voting: If a voter is physically unable to enter the polling place without personal assistance or likelihood of injuring the voter's health