

COVID-19 and Census Key Information and Messages

You Count, We Count, Everyone Counts!

Disclaimer: Due to the continual updates regarding COVID-19, this document may change. The Census Office will provide updates accordingly to keep all partners informed.

The 2020 Census is here! Mid-March marked the beginning of the self-response period as many households received their invitation letters. As we all take precautions regarding COVID-19, we know that Census outreach may have to shift and it's more important than ever we share how easy it is to self-respond.

Below are a few tools to continue to ensure a full count of all our communities throughout these next few months.

How to Participate:

- Internet: The Census response website is live! Visit <u>https://my2020census.gov</u> or <u>Californiacensus.org</u>
- **Phone**: To respond via phone, all phone lines are listed <u>here</u>
- Mail: Limited addresses will receive paper forms

Video Guides for Online Response:

- English <u>here</u>
- Spanish <u>here</u>

California Census Ad:

- English <u>here</u>
- Spanish <u>here</u>
- This will also be in English, Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Hmong, Cambodian, Vietnamese, Russian, Persian, and Armenian.

For information on COVID-19, please visit:

- <u>https://covid19.ca.gov/</u>
- <u>https://www.cdph.ca.gov/covid19</u>
- Guidance and Information: A complete list of guidance is available.
- <u>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's website</u>.
- For partners, please visit <u>census.ca.gov/covid19</u>



Key COVID-19 Messages:

- #StayHomeSaveLives California and while you're at it, take the 2020 Census online by visiting californiacensus.org.
- #StayHomeSaveLives California and complete the 2020 Census form online or over the phone by answering 9 simple and confidential questions to help secure federal funds for important programs in your community.
- During these uncertain times, the health and safety of our communities is our priority. There is something you can do today for California's future. Take the Census today:_ <u>californiacensus.org</u>. For COVID-19 updates and information, visit covid19.ca.gov.
- While Californians #StayHomeSavelives, complete the 2020 Census by answering 9 simple and confidential questions by learn more at <u>californiacensus.org</u>.

General Census messaging:

- All Californians can participate in the 2020 Census and make a difference today! Participation comes in three easy ways:
 - 1. Online
 - 2. By Phone
 - 3. By Mail (limited households will initially receive the paper form) Learn more californiacensus.org
- Take a few minutes to fill out the #2020Census and make sure everyone gets counted! It's only 9 confidential questions that will make a huge difference! Fill it out at californiacensus.org.
- All Californians can participate in the 2020 Census today! Participation comes in three easy ways:
 - 1. Online
 - 2. By Phone
 - 3. By Mail (limited households will initially receive the paper form)
 - Learn more at <u>californiacensus.org</u>
- Every household in California can complete the Census now online or by phone. Check your mail for the Census form! Visit <u>californiacensus.org</u> for more information.
- Your Census invite will include a unique ID to help you fill out the questionnaire. However, you don't need the unique ID to participate. Go to <u>californiacensus.org</u> to see the phone numbers and website link to start the survey!