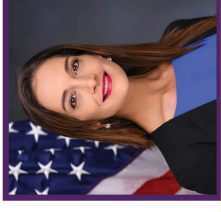




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JULIA SALAZAR

18th District



NEW YORKERS:

STAY HOME TO STOP THE SPREAD OF CORONAVIRUS

Senator Salazar's Daily Update - March 24th, 2020

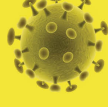
- Now in effect, 100% of the workforce must stay home, excluding essential services.
- New York State on PAUSE: In New York we know that Policies As-Sure Uniform Safety for Everyone.
- All non-essential gatherings of individuals of any size for any reason are temporarily banned.
- Department of Motor Vehicles offices are temporarily closed for in-office visits. Online transactions, including for license renewals, are still be available. License and permit expirations will be extended.
- The Army Corps of Engineers will begin construction on four temporary hospital sites in New York State in an effort to address imminent capacity issues - the Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, and locations at SUNY Stony Brook, SUNY Old Westbury and the Westchester Convention Center.
- FEMA will erect four additional federal hospital facilities within the Javits Center. Each of the four federal hospitals will have 250 beds and come fully equipped and fully staffed by the federal government.
- Enacting Matilda's Law to protect New Yorkers age 70+ and those with compromised immune systems
 - Remain indoors
 - Can go outside for solitary exercise
 - Pre-screen all visitors by taking their temperature
 - Wear a mask in the company of others
 - Stay at least 6 feet from others
 - Do not take public transportation unless urgent and absolutely necessary
- All barbershops, hair salons, tattoo or piercing salons, nail salons, hair removal services and related personal care services will be closed to the public effective Saturday, March 21 at 8:00PM.
- Casinos, gyms, theaters, retail shopping malls, amusement parks and bowling alleys are closed until further notice. Bars and restaurants are closed, but takeout can be ordered during the period of closure.
- Testing is free for all eligible New Yorkers as ordered by a health care provider.
- Your local health department is your community contact for COVID-19 concerns.

State and City Resources:

- **Consumer Protection Tips**
 - If you are witnessing price gouging on products like hand sanitizers or hygiene products, report it to the Office of the Attorney General at 1-800-771-7755
- **Health Insurance Options**
 - If you have questions about health insurance coverage for COVID-19 testing or treatment, **call the Office of the Attorney General's Health Care Hotline: 1-800-428-9071.**

Paid Leave & Sick Leave Questions

- If you have questions about sick days or paid time off, contact the Attorney General's Labor Bureau at 212-416-8700.
- For general questions about COVID-19, call into NYC's Hotline at 311.



Text COVID to 692-692 for real-time updates or visit nyc.gov/coronavirus.

Call 311 to report harassment or discrimination. Call 888-NYC-WELL, text

"WELL" to 65173 or chat online at nyc.gov/nycwell to connect with a counselor.

*Messages and data rates may apply. Check your wireless provider plan for details.



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