

Mask Up Seguin FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions)

1. **SHOULD I WEAR A MASK?** The CDC is encouraging everyone, 10 and older, to wear mask in public to prevent the spread of COVID-19.
2. **WILL I RECEIVE A FINE FOR NOT WEARING A MASK?** The City of Seguin is not giving out citations for not wearing a mask. The Mask Up Seguin! campaign is to educate the public on the benefits of wearing a mask to keep the virus at bay.
3. **CAN I WEAR A MASK I MADE MYSELF?** Absolutely. Wearing a mask you made actually helps to ensure we can supply doctors and other frontline workers with masks.
4. **I WANT TO SUPPORT THE CAMPAIGN. HOW CAN I HELP?** Excellent. Volunteers are what make our city great. There are several ways you can support the campaign. We have a digital media kit with images. Feel free to download here and share on your social media platforms. Take a photo of yourself wearing a mask to post to your social media. Be sure to include #MaskUpSeguin and share you reason for wearing a mask with #IWearAMaskFor. And of course, the biggest way to help is to wear a mask every time you're in public to show others how important this initiative is to the health of our city.
5. **HOW DO YOU WEAR A FACE MASK?** According to the CDC, cloth face coverings should:
 - fit snugly but comfortably against the side of the face
 - be secured with ties or ear loops
 - include multiple layers of fabric
 - allow for breathing without restriction
 - be able to be laundered and machine dried without damage or change to shape
6. **WHAT IS SOCIAL DISTANCING?** According to the CDC, social distancing, also called "physical distancing," means keeping space between yourself and other people outside of your home. To practice social or physical distancing:
 - Stay at least 6 feet (about 2 arms' length) from other people
 - Do not gather in groups
 - Stay out of crowded places and avoid mass gatherings
7. **HOW DO YOU SOCIAL DISTANCE IN PUBLIC SPACES?** According to the CDC, if you need to shop for food or medicine at the grocery store or pharmacy, stay at least 6 feet away from others. Also consider other options:
 - Use mail-order for medications, if possible.
 - Consider a grocery delivery service.
 - Cloth face coverings should NOT be placed on children under age 2, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated, or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.
 - Keep at least 6 feet between yourself and others, even when you wear a face covering.

Avoid gatherings of any size outside your household, such as a friend's house, parks, restaurants, shops, or any other place. This advice applies to people of any age, including teens

and younger adults. Children should not have in-person playdates while school is out. To help maintain social connections while social distancing, learn [tips to keep children healthy while school's out](#).