

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA





## ADVISORY 20 ON THE 2019 NOVEL CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)

COVID-19 cases in Southern California, Southern Nevada, and Arizona (as of 12 April 2020)

- Southern California has 15,965 COVID-19 cases with 451 deaths.
- Southern Nevada has 2,324 COVID-19 cases with 100 deaths.
- State of Arizona has 3,539 COVID-19 cases with 115 deaths.

The Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles informs Filipinos and Filipino-Americans residing in the County of Los Angeles that the current "**stay-at-home**" order issued by the **Los Angeles County** Department of Public of Health has been **extended to 15 May 2020**.

The following social distancing measures also remain in place in Southern California, Southern Nevada and Arizona:

- 1. Stay-at-home policy except for essential business;
- 2. Prohibition on public gatherings;
- 3. Requirement of a face mask or cloth in public places; and
- 4. Observing 6-feet social distancing in public places.

For specific questions and answers on COVID-19, you may call the following hotlines in the California, Southern Nevada and Arizona:

• California: 1(833) 544-2374 7 days a week; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (PDT)

• Southern Nevada: 1 (702) 759-INFO (4636)

7 days a week; 7: 00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

• Arizona: 1 (844) 542-8201 and 2-1-1

7 days a week; 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Filipinos and Filipino-Americans in Southern California, Southern Nevada and Arizona are also reminded that the Enhanced Community Quarantine in Luzon, Philippines remains in effect through 30 April 2020.

Existing COVID-19 travel restrictions imposed by the **Philippine Government and U.S. Government** remain in place and may be accessed through the following links:

Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles https://www.philippineconsulatela.org/advisory-on-the-2019-novel-corona-virus;

Philippine Bureau of Immigration: http://immigration.gov.ph/

U.S. CDC: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/index.html

U.S. State Department: https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/COVID-19-Country-Specific-Information.html

In the interest of public health and safety, and in compliance with COVID 19-related issuances of both the Philippine and U.S. Governments, <u>consular services</u> of the Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles <u>remain temporarily suspended</u>, until further notice. Kindly put on hold mailing of documents for any of the Consulate General's consular services, except for Report of Death and return of passports for cancellation, until the Consulate General resumes normal operations.

The public may call 2-1-1, the central source for providing information and referrals for all health and human services, for emergency health assistance anywhere **within the United States of America**. Said phone line is open 24 hours, seven days a week, with trained Community Resource Advisors prepared to offer help with any situation, any time. END.