



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 7TH BOMB WING (AFGSC)
DYESS AIR FORCE BASE TEXAS



19 Aug 22

MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

FROM: 7 BW/CC (Col Kramer)

SUBJECT: COVID-19 Installation Policy Guidance – Updated Mask Wear Guidance

References: (a) Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness Memorandum, *Consolidated Department of Defense Coronavirus Disease 2019 Force Health Protection Guidance – Revision 2*, 8 Aug 22
(b) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *COVID-19 by County*, Taylor County, 18 Aug 22
(c) 7 BW/CC, *COVID-19 Installation Policy Guidance*, 1 Aug 22

1. In accordance with Reference (b), Taylor County, Texas, was assessed as “MEDIUM” Community Level for COVID-19 by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention on 18 Aug 22.
2. Dyess Air Force Base (DAFB) remains in Health Protection Condition (HPCON) CHARLIE as required by Reference (a), paragraph 1.1 until otherwise directed. However, in accordance with Reference (a), paragraph 5.3, mask wear is no longer required for individuals on DAFB.
3. **Timeline.** This policy is effective 19 Aug 22 until further notice.
4. **Effect on Existing COVID-19 Installation Policy.** This memorandum does not negate, nullify, or otherwise change existing COVID-19 installation policy, *except* as to previously issued mask wear guidance. Refer to References (a) and (c) for further guidance.
5. **Guidance.** For the most up-to-date installation information, please reference the USAF Connect App, the 7th Bomb Wing website (<https://www.dyess.af.mil/Coronavirus/>), and the DAFB Facebook page.

JOSEPH K. KRAMER, Colonel, USAF
Commander