

Expansion of Restaurant Off-Premise Alcohol Sales



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This document covers Alcohol On Premise, Delivery, Carryout and Reopening State Requirements. It includes links to Executive Orders, FAQs, regulations, legislation and guidance for additional information.

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Alabama	Yes. 50% indoor capacity. No sale or service of alcoholic beverages from 11:00pm to 6:00am. Consumption must cease not later than 11:30pm. See link for 9/28-ABC Emergency Rule 20-X-6-.21ER	No, take out and pick up only	No	Yes	No	Sealed, unopened container.	No	Temporary. See link for Tuscaloosa Expanded Outdoor Dining Info	3/24/2020	Until end of state of emergency unless otherwise noted.	Auburn- Indoor Walk up bar service suspended until 9/16 at 6 am	Reopening Guidance	Curbside Sales
Alaska	Yes. For Anchorage: Effective 8/30 50% capacity for indoor dining.	Yes. Must hold an alcohol server education card	No	Yes	Yes	Sealed container. Beer or wine	No	Temporary . Proposal to make changes permanent.	4/16/2020	11/15 2020	Effective on 8/24: The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board has adopted regulation Curbside/Home Delivery as permanent through November 15, 2020.	Reopening Restaurant Guidance	Alaska Emergency Regulations

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Arizona	Yes. All counties meet reopening requirements. To re-open must complete the Attestation Form & post the completed document in front of business.	Yes	Yes	No	No	A recorked bottle of wine that has been inserted flush with the top of bottle or otherwise securely closed. Plastic adhesive to seal growler bottles is permitted. All mixed drinks must be in a securely sealed container.	Yes.	Permanent	3/20/2020	While the executive order remains in place. See link for Drivers License Extension Information	Phoenix - The City Council has approved the creation of a temporary outdoor dining and alcohol consumption program to support restaurants who wish to expand outdoor dining areas to comply with the Governor's order to limit occupancy inside restaurants.	Requirements for Restaurants and Bars Providing Dine-In Services	Executive Order that grants delivery option
Arkansas	Yes. 9/9- 66% indoor capacity. Self serve options with restrictions. See link for more details	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Originally corked or sealed bottles of wine. Originally sealed cans and bottles of beer.	No	Temporary	3/19/2020	While the executive order remains in place	Temporary rule for outdoor service	Modified Restaurant Guidelines	Sale of Alcoholic Beverages
California	Updated 10/6- Industry Advisory: Blueprint for a Safer Economy. Indoor service re-opening dependent on tier of county and local regulations.	Yes	Yes	Yes, see link for "meal" requirements	No	Secure lid or cap designed to prevent consumption without the removal (no lids with sipping holes or opening for straws unless covered with masking tape) or prepackaged sealed container. see link for alcohol to go guidance	Yes	Temporary	4/1/2020	While Executive Order remains in place. See link for current Regulatory relief information	As of 10/20, San Francisco is assigned to the State's Yellow tier and the city will move forward on expanding capacity.	Advisory on preventing delivery to minors	Delivery of Alcoholic Beverages

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Colorado	Yes. Outdoor dining areas allowed. Bars can reopen at 25% capacity or 50 people- whichever is lower. Restaurants at 50% capacity not to exceed 50 people. Last call on Alcohol sales dependent on health status of county.	Yes	No	Yes and on the same receipt	No	Sealed container. If using a cup with a lid, lid has to be securely taped without a straw inserted and without any partially removed portion of lid.	No	Temporary. See guidance for Temporary Outside Structures and Events	3/20/2020	While Executive Order remains in place. Reopening Guidance at link.	Emergency order for delivery and takeout sales	10/6 Gov. Polis Extends Safer at Home Order	Guidance on Executive Order D 2020-213
Connecticut	Yes, at 75 % capacity indoor dining for restaurants. Outdoor dining provisions extended until 11/12/2020.	Yes	Yes	Yes. See Executive Order 9	No	Sealed containers as received by the wholesaler.	No	Temporary. Temporary Liquor Permits Must Comply with Executive Orders and DECD Guidelines	3/20/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Restaurant Reopening Guidance	Outdoor Service of Alcoholic Beverages Guidance	Alcohol Delivery
Delaware	Yes. 60% capacity, contact tracing option & other restriction apply. See link for details. Bar seating is not allowed in Eastern Sussex, bar establishments remain open.	Yes	No	No	No	Containers that are securely sealed	No	Temporary	3/19/2020	3/1/2021	7/24- Extends emergency order to allow: expanding outdoor seating space, sell alcoholic beverages for take-out, curbside or drive-through until March 2021.	9/5- Reopening Guidance Food and Drink Establishments	Curbside Sale Guidelines

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District of Columbia	Yes, 50% capacity indoor, outdoor allowed, no more than 50 people. 9/21- Grants available for Winter Outdoor Dining see link	Yes, with food orders	Yes	Yes	No	Closed containers, no straw in lid or original sealed container	No	Temporary	3/17/2020	Until order is lifted	Alcohol delivery restrictions	Phase Two ABC Guidance	Notice of 5th Emergency rulemaking
Florida	Yes. 50% - 100% capacity dependent on compliance with requirements. In Phase 3. 10/9 Miami now in Phase 3 with modifications. Broward City alcohol can now be sold until midnight.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Sealed container for consumption off-premises. See link for 9/26 Updated Davie County Order	Yes	Temporary	3/20/2020	Through the expiration of the state of emergency declared.	Phase 2 Guidance	8/5 - updated FAQs for restaurants and food service establishments	Emergency Alcohol Sales During Covid-19

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Georgia	Yes. Depends on county. For Atlanta- Takeout and delivery only- Moved back to Phase 1 on 7/10	Yes, allowed in some counties	No	Yes	No	Not specified	No	Temporary	4/3/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	House Bill 879 became law 8/3 and will allow delivery of wine, malted beverages and spirits in original packaging. These changes will take effect no later than 1/1/21 or sooner depending on when the Rules are completed by the ABC.		Alcoholic Beverages Sales During Covid-19
Hawaii	Yes. In Honolulu bars are closed and restaurants are limited to take out and delivery. Honolulu ABC FAQs attached. 8/7- partial inter-island quarantine in effect.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Product must be opened and resealed prior to delivery. Maui Restaurant & Bar Guidance at link.	No	Temporary	3/23/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Effective 7/31, Oahu bars must close for at least 3 weeks and restaurants serving alcohol must stop service by 10:00 pm.	Reopening Guidance	8/7 Honolulu Executive Order

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Idaho	Yes. Stage 4 for every county except Ada county (Boise) which is in stage 3. Stage 4 will continue until 10/15. Boise bars ordered to close 6/24.	No	Yes	No	Yes	Sealed container that prevents consumption, leakage or alteration of content in any manner and tamper proof seal.	Yes	Temporary	3/30/2020	While Executive Order remains in place- legislation is in progress to end the executive order	Stage detail specifics.	Stages of reopening and guidance	Guidelines for Alcohol Delivery 03-30-2020
Illinois	Yes. Effective 10/23 Regions 7 and 8 are being placed into mitigation. Region 7 contains Will and Kankakee counties, and Region 8 contains DuPage and Kane Counties.	Yes	Yes	No	No	Cocktails allowed on 6/2/2020 following guidance at this link. They must be sealed/closed container and labeled.	Yes	Temporary. Region 1, consisting of Boone, Carroll, DeKalb, Jo Daviess, Lee, Ogle, Stephenson, Whiteside and Winnebago Counties under mitigation measures effective 10/3.	3/19/2020	While Executive Order remains in place. on 9/18 Region 7 Will & Kankakee can resume indoor service	Restaurant & Bars Phase 4 Toolkit	State Phase IV Guidelines in effect 8/25	State Cocktails to go Executive Order
Chicago, IL	Yes. Effective 10/23 the city of Chicago will implement a 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. business curfew and ending of liquor sales at 9:00 p.m. nightly.	Yes	Yes	No	No	Cocktails allowed on 6/17. They must be sealed/closed container and labeled.	Yes	Temporary	3/19/2020	While Executive Order remains in place. See link for Cook County Relaxed order from mayor issued 9/28	City of Chicago Phase IV Re-opening Guidance	See guidance for Fall/Winter Outdoor Dining	Cocktails to go is effective 6/17/2020. Carryout orders must cease at 9 pm. See link for alcohol delivery ordinance

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Indiana	Yes. 9/26- 10/17- moving to stage 5. Restaurants can increase outdoor to 100% capacity with social distancing.	Yes	Regulation does not speak about third party delivery	No	Yes	Sealed unopened container	No	Temporary	3/31/2020	When all reopening stages have been met	Renewal of Public Health Emergency	Back On Track - Reopening guidance Stage 5	Executive Order
Iowa	Yes. Bars and restaurants are reopened in all counties. Must following reopening guidance at link.	Yes	No	No	No	Alcoholic liquor, beer and wine must be in the original, unopened containers. Mixed drinks in sealed container. Use of a clear cup or jar with lid strongly recommended	Yes	Temporary. Licensees required to complete COVID-19 Compliance Checklist	3/17/2020	While Executive Order remains in place until at least 10/18/2020	Executive Order issued 10/16	Bar/Restaurant Latest Information from Governor's Office	Alcohol Beverage Deliveries to Consumers
Kansas	Yes. In Phase 3. 10/5- Johnson and Story restaurants and bars my reopen.	No, delivery is limited to 50ft radius	No	No	Yes, only with curbside services	Beer and wine not in original container needs to be properly resealed on the licensed premises placed in a sealed transparent bag to where visibly apparent if back is tampered with or opened.	No	Temporary	3/18/2020	Until statewide State of Disaster Emergency expires. Carryout alcohol Executive Order at link	9/4 Douglas County Order- Stop serving alcohol by 9 p.m. & close premises by 10 p.m.	Reopen phases	Curbside Alcohol Sales

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Kentucky	Yes. 8/10- Bars and Restaurants opened at 50% capacity. No food/alcohol service after 11 pm. All restaurants/bars must close by 12pm. No congregating at bar. Maximize outdoor service.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Unopened and sealed original container. Including to-go cups being allowed. See link for drivers license extension process.	Yes	Temporary	3/19/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Restaurant Alcohol Order	Healthy at Work- Requirements for Restaurants and Bars- Version 5.1	Bar & Restaurant FAQs
Louisiana	Yes. 10/5-Link to Requirements for alcohol at sporting events. Currently in Phase 3. Bars at 25% if Parish is 5% or less positivity. No alcohol sale or service from 11pm- 11 am.	Yes, with approved ATC application. See ATC Guidance at link.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Prepackaged original factory sealed containers. See link for 8/12 New Orleans Outdoor dining initiative information	Yes	Temporary. See link for updated New Orleans Guidance	3/16/2020	While Executive Order remains in place- see List of Parishes Opting into Phase 3	New Orleans- 9/25- Alcohol sales allowed from 8am-11 pm via delivery, drive thru and pick up.	Phase 3 Guidelines – Restaurants, Cafes and Coffee Shops, Bars, Nightclubs, and Micro-Breweries	Restaurant curbside pickup and delivery

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Maine	Yes. On 10/13, moving into requirements for Stage 4.	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Cocktails must be in a tamper evident container provided by the licensees using one of the following processes: 1. Crown capped glass bottles 2. Screw tops like a water bottle cap that break apart when opened or 3. Vacuum and heat-sealed pouches. The container must have a label affixed that contains the following: The name of establishment with date & time of production and the contents of cocktail including the proof of the spirits used to create it.	No	Temporary	3/24/2020	While Executive Order remains in place. See link for Winter capacity FAQs	Rural county re-opening Guidance	Stage 4 Guidance	Cocktails to go
Maryland	Yes. 75% capacity on 9/21.	Yes	Yes	No	No	Sealed Container	Yes	Temporary	3/19/2020	Effective until after termination of the state of emergency	Effective 7/24, at 5pm indoor dining room for bars and restaurants in Baltimore must close.	Reopening executive order	Delivery and Carry out Services
Montgomery county/ Maryland	Yes, indoor capacity 50%. Alcohol service and sale must cease at 10pm unless you have a Late Night Alcohol Sales Permit.	Yes	No	Yes	No	Sealed container includes: bottles, cans, growlers, crowlers and takeout cups with lids for off-premises consumption.	No	Temporary	3/18 for Beer and wine 3/26 mixed drinks allowed	When emergency order to close restaurants are lifted.		Montgomery County Executive Order issued 9/22	Montgomery County Curbside Delivery

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Massachusetts	Yes. Bar Seating allowed and 10 people per table. See link for additional provisions/restrictions	Yes. See link for outdoor dining extensions in Boston update- in effect until 12/1.	Yes	Yes. See link for Protocols for Restaurants	No. Governor just signed a cocktails to go bill.	Wine must be in original sealed container. Malt beverages must be in sealed containers. 64 fluid ounces of mixed drinks in a sealed container or via secure cup. Off premise drink must be same size as on premise drinks. Drinks for delivery can't be in a location within reach of the delivery driver during driving. Cocktails must be sold in the same transaction as food, and cannot be sold after midnight.	No. See link for Alcohol Beverage Commission Guidance issued 10/2	Temporary. 9/11- ABCC Advisory Regarding Extension of Allowance of Outdoor Table Service	4/3/2020	Until the end of the state of emergency or February 28, 2021, whichever comes later	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION ADVISORYREGARDING ON-PREMISES LICENSEES SELLING MIXED DRINKSFOR OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION	Reopening Guidance- Effective 9/28- Workplace Safety Guidance for Restaurants	On-Premises Selling as Off-Premises
Michigan	Yes. Restaurants at 50% capacity. Casinos 15% capacity. See link for 9/3 indoor service restrictions by region.	Yes	Yes	No. Restaurant Reopening Resources at link	No. Cocktails to go now allowed.	Originally sealed container and cocktails to go. Bills 5811 and 5781 were signed by the governor on 7/2. They allow for cocktails to go (see link) and the creation of social districts.	Yes	Temporary. Safeguards for Michigan workers issued 10/5.	3/23/2020	Does not expire if you have an SDM license. See link for latest restaurant guidance.	Michigan Liquor Control Commission FAQ	9/3 Executive Order	Social district Permit Information and application

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Minnesota	As of 10/21, bars that are operating under this guidance, and that are open for regular food and beverage service, must require customers in all areas to be seated. During organized events, the bar must reduce their capacity to 25%.	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Original unopened container or bottle.	No	Temporary	3/25/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Outdoor service 6/1 guidance	Guidance for Restaurants and Bars	Minnesota Department of Public Safety
Mississippi	Yes. Until at least 9/30 - Restaurants at 75% capacity. 10 diners per party at maximum.	No	No	Yes	Wine only for carryout. Cocktails allowed in a "to go" cup if in a Leisure & Recreation District & patron will stay in an LRD to consume it	1 bottle of sealed wine with on premise curbside delivery. Open container beverage allowed only in a LRD and only if patron will stay in the LRD	No	Temporary	3/16/2020	Until restaurants re-open	License & Recreation Districts: https://www.dor.ms.gov/Documents/LRD.pdf	8/4 City of Jackson, all bars and bar areas in restaurants are closed for onsite consumption until 8/11. Restaurants may serve alcohol to customers at tables.	MS Dept of Revenue: https://www.dor.ms.gov/Pages/COVID-19.aspx
Missouri	Yes. See link for restrictions in St. Louis effective 10/8.	No	No. Only exception, wine may be shipped in state by wine manufacturers	Yes	Wine, malt and spirituous liquors (no cocktails)	Single-use, tamperproof, securely sealed transparent bag, opening sealed with tape, no mixed drinks in to-go plastic or Styrofoam cups with straws or loose covers	No	Temporary. Boone county restrictions in effect until 11/3	3/19/2020	12/30/2020	Alcohol Container size Requirements: https://atc.dps.mo.gov/documents/70-2.010-Amended.pdf	City of Columbia Restrictions in effect until 10/18	Missouri Division Alcohol and Tobacco

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Montana	Yes, 75 % capacity and between the hours of 11am-12:30 am for on premise. Alcohol consumption to end at 11pm. 50% capacity for Yellowstone county.	Yes, between hours of 11am-11pm only	No	Yes	Yes, and other liquors sold in bottles. No cocktails.	Must be in original packaging, see link for additional details	No	Temporary-Phase 1 Guidelines	4/27/2020	Depends on state phasing dates and reqs	On-premises and off-premises licensees, manufacturer licensees and agency liquor stores are allowed	Phase 2 Guidelines- Updated 8/31	Phase One: Alcohol Guidelines
Nebraska	Yes. Most the state except Lancaster county will move to Phase IV on 9/14.	Yes	Yes, packaging must have 3x5 label that says adult signature required.	No. Food purchase is only required for on premise	Yes, or any alcohol if it is in its original packaging	In original packaging. 9/25 Cocktails now allowed in or sealed container. See guidance at link.	No	Temporary	3/20/2020	For the duration of the COVID outbreak	7/24- Blaine, Custer, Garfield, Greeley, Howard, Loup, Sherman, Valley, and Wheeler can move to Phase IV	Phase III Reopening	Industry Advisory: https://lcc.nebraska.gov/sites/lcc.nebraska.gov/files/Industry%20Advisory%20-%20Retail%20Operations.pdf
Nevada	Depends. See county list.	No	No	Yes allowed in food establishment table service only	No	Alcohol delivery sales at the state level not allowed. Moving into Phase 2- All of the same restrictions on restaurants and food establishments are continued in Phase 2, but bar areas in restaurants may reopen, and bars and taverns that DO NOT serve food may reopen under the same restrictions –50% maximum capacity and strict social distancing.	No	Temporary. See link for 9/29 large gatherings guidance.	No change in delivery rules. See link for Bar Mitigation Measures and Restrictions Update issued 9/17	COVID-19 Mitigation and Management Task Force approves Clark County and Elko County plans to reopen bars due to improved data and mitigation efforts	Statewide bars, pubs, sale of alcohol for delivery not allowed. Exceptions: Clark, Las Vegas and Henderson allow alcohol delivery, no 3rd party delivery. Need a special license to do this in Clark County.	Guidance for BARS, PUBS, BREWERIES, DISTILLERIES, WINERIES, TAVE RNS & BAR AREAS WITHIN RESTAURANTS	Nevada Alcohol Beverage Commission

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New Hampshire	Yes. Restaurants at 100% capacity permitted for indoor dining . Still limited by the capacity it takes to maintain at least 6ft space between diners & other required protocols. No congregating in bar areas.	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Original container as specified in the order.	No	Temporary. 9/8- See Guidance/res trictions issued for Emergency Order 52 impacting Plymouth, Keene and Durham	3/18/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Outdoor area guidance	Current Food Industry Guidance	Guidance on Exception for 6ft table Separation for Foodservice Industry
New Jersey	Yes. Indoor capacity 25%. See 9/25 guidance at link.	Yes	Yes- must have an ABC Transportation Permit	No	No- any alcohol	Must be in original container or in a closed/sealed container. Disposable cups with lids that have holes are not permitted.	No	Temporary	5/15/2020	The 1st day of the 7th month following the date the governor declares the emergency has ended or the date orders related to occupancy expire. whichever is later. See link for latest Executive Order issued 7/2.	Expansion of Premise permit	Takeout & Delivery Law	New Jersey Alcohol Beverage Commission

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New Mexico	Yes. As of 10/30 drink establishments that complete the New Mexico Safe Certification training program, which educates workers about the state's required and recommended COVID-Safe Practices, may continue to offer limited indoor dining at a maximum of 25.	No	No	No	No	No delivery or curbside pick up is allowed unless the state legislature changes the law. Any food or drink establishment in New Mexico serving alcohol must close at 10:00 p.m. each night.	No	Permanent	N/A	N/A	Notice: 6 Month Extension of Outdoor Patio Expansion to April 30, 2021	Policies for the Prevention and Control of COVID-19 in New Mexico	ABC Letter Regarding Procedures for Approval of Temporary Floor Plan Changes
New York	Yes. Dependent on region phase for % allowed for indoor dining. Also see link about restrictions related to Cluster actions. Outdoor dining allowed. NYC indoor dining at 25% with strict protocols.	Yes. See link for New York City Open Restaurant Guidelines	Yes	Yes	No	Closed or sealed container. Allows for mixed drinks. Must be consistent with municipal open container ordinances. See link for 10/14 Emergency Order related to Outdoor Dining & Heaters	Yes	Temporary	3/16/2020	6/26- off-premises sales privileges for bars, restaurants and manufacturer s put in place by the Governor's EO are extended until 9/4/2020	New York State Liquor Authority Guidance on Outdoor Expansion of Licensed Premises in Response to COVID-19 Outbreak	NYC Indoor Dining Guidance	NY Food with Alcohol Guidance issued 7/17/2020

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North Carolina	Yes. Phase 3 begins 10/2 at 5:00 p.m. Capacity limits & requirements for in-person dining & 11 p.m. curfew on alcohol sales in effect until 10/23. FAQs at link	Yes	No	No	Any Alcohol in it's original container	Original container	Yes	Temporary. Outdoor Extension Guidance at link.	3/17/2020	Until modification or removal of Executive Order	ABC Phase 3 Guidance	7/23 Mecklenburg County, City of Charlotte and towns of Davidson, Matthews, Mint Hill and Pineville. Restaurants/clubs serving food and alcohol closed to onsite food/beverage from 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m.. Restaurants/bars may not sell alcohol from 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.	8/31 Executive Order and FAQs related to bars and restaurants statewide not selling alcohol on or off premises between the hours of 11 pm -7am extended to 10/23/2020.
North Dakota	Yes. Capacity allowed depends on the risk phase of the county. See Risk phases for counties at link.	No	No	No	No	Not allowed	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Fargo allows delivery . Other local regulators considering delivery. No action at state level	Restart Guidance for Restaurants and Bars	

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Ohio	Yes. See Alcohol FAQs at link. Columbus bars must close by 10 pm each evening. Columbus has no curfew on food & drink sales and allows outdoor expansions.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No. All liquors allowed	Closed containers only. On-premises alcohol for liquor establishments must stop at 10 p.m. No on premise alcohol consumption between 11 p.m. and 5:30 a.m. Amount of drinks to go with meal purchase is three (3).	Yes	Permanent	4/7/2020	Does not Expire. See Things to know about House Bills 669 & 160	COVID-19 Dine Safe Ohio Order FAQs	Restaurants, Bars, and Banquet & Catering Facilities/Services Guidance	Restaurant Food Establishment Guidance
Oklahoma	Yes. In Oklahoma City, bar capacity will be lowered to 50% and employees will be required to wear masks until 10/2/2020. see link for guidelines.	Yes	No	No	Yes	Sealed containers of beer and wine in original packaging.	No	Permanent	3/17/2020	Was made law on 5/21/2020	ABLE Commission News	Proposed Rules	Oklahoma Restaurant Association Food & Alcohol COVID Regulations
Oregon	Yes. See link for which phase of reopening a city/county is in.	Yes with an off premise license- for 90 day period if approved	Yes, with an approved for-hire application	No	Malt beverages, wine and cider	Original Containers only. Onsite service and consumption fact sheet	No	Temporary? Efforts in Progress to make permanent see June 19th Press Release	3/23/2020	Off Premise Licenses are valid for 90 days from approval. Only allowing the 90 days off premise licenses during timeframe Emergency Order is in effect.	Effective 7/24-- new gathering limits for indoor and facemasks required. Restaurants and bars must close at 10 pm regardless of phase.	Oregon Alcohol FAQs	Oregon Health Authority FAQs

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Pennsylvania	Yes. State restaurant indoor at 50% on 9/21. Two counties with exceptions to state order: Alleghany county - no alcohol on premise. Philadelphia, on 9/8 may resume 25% indoor, so long as all requirements at this link are met.	Yes. See link for Philadelphia Outdoor Dining Guidance	Yes	No for delivery. Food required if served on premise	No	Each prepared beverage and mixed drink sold to consumers must be between four and 64 ounces and include liquor and at least one mixer combined on the licensed premises. Secured lid required. Fore Beer and wine Quantity limits in place. 2 6 packs of beer, 3 liters of wine. See clarifying guidance.	Yes	Temporary. Guidance to restaurant industry at link.	3/16/2020. See link for 9/22 PLCB Guidance	During state of emergency. See targeted mitigation FAQs	Sale of Prepared Beverages and Mixed Drinks to Go	On 9/21, restaurants can open at 50% capacity & complete online self certification process by 10/5. No alcohol sales after 10pm.	Guidance on what phase is my county in
Puerto Rico	Yes. Until 10/2-50% indoor dining for restaurants. Curfew is 10 pm to 5 am.	Yes	Yes	No	No	Must be in a closed container	Yes	Permanent	N/A	N/A	Curfew in place Mon-Sat 10 pm-5am. Sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages are prohibited from Monday to Saturday after 7:00 p.m. Sundays are prohibited throughout the day.	Puerto Rico Restaurant Association	

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Rhode Island	Yes, 66% indoor capacity in Phase 3. Bars and bars within restaurants must close at 11 pm each evening. Restaurant may remain open after the bar areas are closed.	No	No	Yes	No. Mixed beverages included	Original sealed container. Takeout only. 144oz of beer and 2 bottles of wine per order. Mixed beverages of 72 ounces with no more than 9 ounces of alcohol included in sealed tamper evident container	No	Temporary	3/20/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Rhode Island Hospitality Takeout & Delivery Guidance	Reopening Guidance- Phase 3	Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation- 6/22
South Carolina	Yes. Social distancing requirements & party size per table limits in place. No sale or consumption of alcohol between 11pm and 10am	No	No	Yes	Yes	Sealed containers of beer and wine in original packaging.	No	Temporary	3/21/2020	Until State of Emergency ends	10/2 Executive Order 2020-63	Reopening Guidance for Restaurants	South Carolina Department of Revenue
South Dakota	It depends. See this tracker for if the county has allowed re-opening	No	No	No	No	Must have an off premise license to sell sealed containers. Also, customer has to purchase at least \$150 of alcohol	No	Permanent	No changes	No changes	Legislative action needed to make a change	Reopening Guidance	South Dakota Retail Association
Tennessee	Yes. 50% capacity. Shelby County/Memphis 10/6 No alcohol sales after midnight. See order 13 at link.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Single serving, secured lid or cap container only. Liquor by the drink Expansion of Premises information at link.	No	Temporary	3/22/2020	9/30/2020 or as extended by Executive Order	10/1 Nashville/Davids on County Phase 3 Reopening Guidance at link.	9/30 - FAQs on Alcohol Delivery	8/28 FAQ on Executive Order 59

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Texas	Yes. Restaurants may increase capacity to 75% if regional COVID hospitalizations are under 15%. Bars reopen at 50% capacity after their county judge has certified county meets certain COVID-19 case or hospitalization standards set by state health dept	Yes	Yes	Yes	No. Includes Mixed Beverages and Cocktails. See additional guidance.	Original container not exceeding 375 ML. Must have a mixed beverage or retail dealers on premise license or a wine and beer retailers permit	Yes	Permanent	9/1/2019	As extended by Executive Order	10/14 Checklist for Bars or Similar Establishments	Reopening Guidance	Industry Advisory Qualifying as a Restaurant
Utah	Yes, 6ft distance between parties. Outdoor extended premises allowed. Effective 10/15 - new Health Guidance Levels in effect. See link for more details.	No	No	Yes	No	Based on permit type. Restaurant licenses extended and do not expire until 12/22/2020	No	Permanent	11/19/2019- latest changes to their state laws	Does not expire - no delivery was allowed	Utah 5.0 Reopening Guidance	Request for Expansion Application- It is important you are in contact with your insurance provider regarding dram shop & liability coverage for expanded areas and with your DABC compliance officer.	Utah ABC Law Guidance

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Vermont	Yes. 9/18- GOVERNOR PHIL SCOTT UPDATES BAR SEATING GUIDANCE, LIFTS LODGING CAPACITY RESTRICTIONS WITH TRAVEL AND HEALTH PROTOCOLS	Yes	Yes	No. Food purchase is only required for on premise	No, all kinds allowed	To go container/ cup sealed with lid. 8/20- Burlington: Limits On Gathering Size And Alcohol Sales	No	Temporary	3/20/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Vermont Chamber of Commerce	Reopening Guidance- Update 25	Bar Compliance Letter - 7/8/2020
Virginia	Yes. On premise 100% capacity with social distancing.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Cocktail in disposable container or single use original metal can, no lid with sipping hole or opening for straw	No	Temporary	3/20/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	7/31 @midnight- No sale, consumption, or possession of alcohol after 10:00 p.m. in ABC licensed establishments in Hampton Roads region. Indoor dining 50% capacity & gatherings can't be more than 50 people. Establishments must close by midnight.	Phase III Reopening	Virginia ABC

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Washington	Yes. Alcohol establishments can provide outdoor service only. Indoor Capacity 50%. No sale/service of alcohol after 11pm.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, all kinds allowed	Must be in a bottle or have a lid/cap without a sipping hole	Yes	Temporary	3/17/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	8/19 - Guidance from Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board	Wineries, Breweries in Tri-Cities And Yakima May Need To Close With Clarified Reopening Guidance	10/6 Phase 2 and Phase 3 Restaurant, Tavern, Breweries, Wineries and Distilleries Requirements
West Virginia	Yes. 50% capacity on premise for restaurants. 10/13 Bars & bar areas in Monongalia County may re-open with restrictions.	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Sealed containers of beer and wine in original packaging.	No	Temporary	4/3/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	10/12- WVABCA Limited Outdoor Dining Area and Limited Outdoor Live Music Entertainment Advisory	7/24 Guidance for Opening Restaurants and Bars	West Virginia ABC
Wisconsin	Yes. 25% capacity per Emergency Order 3 is in effect until 11/3.	No	No	Yes	No	Original sealed container. Pick up only	No	Temporary	3/20/2020	While Executive Order remains in effect	Menominee Tribe- restaurant/bars closed, other restrictions in effect	FAQ on Order 3	Wisconsin Department of Revenue
Wyoming	Yes. On premise- with social distancing and no more than 6 people at a table.	Yes	No	Yes	No	Must be in original container	No	Temporary	3/30/2020	While Executive Order remains in place	Executive Order related to Reopening	Public Health Order - Restaurants	Wyoming Liquor Division