



# TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON

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**As COVID-19 Cases Rise, New York State Imposes Tighter Restrictions on Bars, Restaurants, and Gyms, and Sets 10-Person Maximum Limit on Private Gatherings, Both Indoors and Outdoors**

*Town of East Hampton notifies local business owners and community of new rules through direct email, EHamptonny.gov website, social media, and coordination with Chambers of Commerce;*

*Urges compliance with regulations and continued vigilance through mask wearing, social distancing, hygiene, to minimize virus outbreak #FortheHealthofOurCommunity*

Effective on Friday, Nov. 13 at 10 p.m., bars, restaurants, and gyms or fitness centers, as well as any State Liquor Authority-licensed establishment, must close nightly by 10 p.m., although restaurants will still be allowed to provide curbside pickup of takeout food only, (no alcohol to go), after 10.

In addition, according to an announcement from Governor Andrew Cuomo, indoor and outdoor gatherings at private residences will be limited to no more than 10 people.

From the start of the pandemic, the Town of East Hampton has communicated with the local business community, directly through emails, letters, and in-person notifications, and through the town Business Recovery Committee, in order to update business owners of COVID health and safety rules and to help them continue to operate their businesses safely and legally.

The Town today contacted local restaurant, bar, and fitness centers to insure that they are aware of the new restrictions, which requires that they remain closed between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m., excluding takeout service.

Updated COVID-19 information for both businesses and individuals is regularly posted at EHamptonNY.gov, in the “News and Announcements” and “Coronavirus Information” sections, and through the Town of East Hampton’s Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter accounts. \

Information about the new restrictions can be found on the NYS Health Department website:  
<https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home>

