



Assemblymember
RODNEYSE BICHOTTE
Brooklyn Democratic County Leader



COVID-19 Updates

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SUNY/CUNY Schools Will Require In-person Students to Be Vaccinated This Fall

Amid Coronavirus Pandemic

Free 7-Day Metro Card for Johnson & Johnson Vaccine Recipients; Speed Limit Reductions; Public Libraries Now Open to Public; CDC Updates Public Guidance; and More!

VACCINE PROGRESS

NYS First Doses: 9,661,944
NYS Completed Series: 7,804,508
Brooklyn First Doses: 1,050,664
Brooklyn Completed Series: 810,943

COVID-19 CASES & FATALITIES

NYS Confirmed: 2,057,903
NYS Deaths: 43,307
NYC Confirmed: 923,749
Brooklyn Confirmed: 271,573

NYS: GOVERNOR CUOMO



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- Governor Cuomo announced that a **free 7-day metro card** will be distributed for everyone vaccinated at the subway station once they get the **Johnson & Johnson** vaccine.
 - **LIRR and Metro-North** will provide two **free one-way trips** anywhere in service areas.
 - Vaccines will be provided at:
 - Broadway Junction from 3:00PM - 8:00PM.
 - Coney Island from 8:00AM - 1:00PM.
 - 179th Street - Jamaica from 8:00AM - 1:00PM.
 - East 180th Street - Bronx from 8:00AM - 1:00PM.
 - Hempstead LIRR Station 3:00PM - 8:00PM
 - Penn Station 34th Street Corner 3:00PM - 8:00PM.

- Grand Central Station Vanderbilt Hall from 8:00AM - 1:00PM.
- Ossining - Metro North from 3:00PM - 8:00PM. Read more [here](#).
- The governor announced that all SUNY and CUNY schools will require in-person students to be vaccinated for COVID-19 this fall. Read more [here](#).
- The governor announced that the **Nassau Coliseum** will have a fully **vaccinated fan section** for the New York Islanders playoff games which are anticipated to start on May 19. Read more [here](#).

NYC: MAYOR DE BLASIO



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- **Mayor de Blasio** announced that New Yorker's who get vaccinated can get free tickets & deals to:
 - NYC Aquarium
 - NY Botanical Garden
 - Brooklyn Botanic Garden
 - Bronx Zoo
 - Public Theater Membership
 - Lincoln Center
 - Brooklyn Cyclones
 - New York City Football Club
 - NYC Ferry. Read more [here](#).
- The mayor announced that **public libraries** are now **open** to the public. Read more [here](#).
- The mayor announced that speed limits will be lowered to **45 miles** on major streets with some of the highest rates of crashes across **Brooklyn, Queens, the Bronx, and Staten Island**.

- Speed limits will decrease from **35 MPH** to **30 MPH** at Conduit Boulevard from Atlantic Avenue to Sutter Ave.
- New speed limits will go into effect as speed-limit signage is posted over the coming weeks. Read more [here](#).

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT



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- The Biden administration announced that health care providers cannot discriminate against **transgender individuals**.
 - The **Department of Health and Human Services** will once again prohibit discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity by health care organizations that receive federal funding. Read more [here](#).
- The Biden administration announced the formal launch of its **Scientific Integrity Task Force** which will review the federal government's scientific policies to ensure they are free from inappropriate political influence. Read more [here](#).
- **The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention** now states that **airborne virus** can be inhaled even when one is more than six feet away from an infected individual. Read more [here](#).
- The FDA authorized the Pfizer vaccine for children ages **12 to 15**. Read more [here](#).

CITY & STATE: BROOKLYN LEGISLATIVE FORUM



Assemblymember Bichotte Hermelyn participated as a panelist in the City & State NY State Legislative Forum for Brooklyn, sponsored by **AARP**. To view, click on link above.

DR. ROY A. HASTICK SR. STREET CO-NAMING & UNVEILING CEREMONY

NEW YORK CITY COUNCIL MEMBER MATHIEU EUGENE
OF THE 40TH COUNCIL DISTRICT

AND

NYS ASSEMBLY MEMBER DIANA RICHARDSON,
OF THE 43RD ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

DR. EDA F HARRIS-HASTICK & THE HASTICK FAMILY

INVITES YOU TO

The Street Co-Naming and Unveiling Ceremony

HONORING THE LIFE &
LEGACY OF THE LATE

Dr. ROY A. HASTICK SR.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 2021 @11AM SHARP

**CORNER OF CATON AVE AND FLATBUSH AVE, BROOKLYN NY
(DR. ROY A. HASTICK SR. WAY)**



People from all over shared their support for the family of the late **Dr. Roy A. Hastick Sr.**, founder of the Caribbean-American Chamber of Commerce and Industry, at a street co-naming on Flatbush Avenue at Lenox Road which is now **Dr. Roy A. Hastick Sr. Way**, just steps away from the corner of Caton Avenue, the intersection which is the home to a 14-story multi-use development for the community which Dr. Hastick, Sr. spearheaded.



Assemblymember Bichotte Hermelyn speaks at Dr. Roy A. Hastick Sr. Street Co-Naming & Unveiling Ceremony.



(L to R) Council Member Farah N. Louis; Jean Joseph; Assemblymember Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn; District Leader Josue Pierre



(L to R) Senator Roxanne Persaud, Assemblymember Jaime Williams; and Assemblymember Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn.

**ONE BROOKLYN HEALTH
COMMUNITY INFORMATIONAL**



COMMUNITY INFORMATIONAL UPDATE

With LaRay Brown, CEO of One Brooklyn Health

MONDAY MAY 10

6:00pm-7:30pm

DISCUSSION ON THE
TRANSFORMATION PLAN FOR
KINGSBROOK JEWISH MEDICAL CENTER

VIA PHONE:
UNITED STATES TOLL FREE
1 866 901 6455

VIA PHONE:
UNITED STATES
+1 (562) 247-8421

ATTENDEE CODE
630-819-556

VIA COMPUTER:
[HTTPS://ATTENDEE.GOTOWEBINAR.COM/REGISTER/
1747536708065374735](https://attendeegotowebinar.com/register/1747536708065374735)

or log on at: www.kingsbrook.org

Join **One Brooklyn Health** on **May 10th at 6 p.m.** for a virtual discussion on the transformation plan for Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center. Join the call via phone: 1-866-901-6455 or 1-562-247-8421 attendee code: 630-819-556. Join via computer here.

FIRST-TIME HOME BUYER WEBINAR



FIRST-TIME HOME BUYER

WEBINARS

Tuesday,
May 11, 2021
6:00pm – 7:30pm

REGISTER (REQUIRED):
www.bit.ly/3vxRZp4

JOIN TO LEARN ABOUT:

- Grants
- Credit Counseling
- Affordable Mortgages
- Your Home-Buying Team
- Home Inspections
- Home Buyer Education
- Getting Started!

Tuesday,
May 25, 2021
12:00pm – 1:30pm

REGISTER (REQUIRED):
www.bit.ly/3eJY3UP



Each month, **NHS Brooklyn** offers two free **First-Time Home Buyer webinars** where they provide an overview of the home-buying process, their home ownership education program, grants, and the insights of industry representatives, such as mortgage lenders, real estate agents, real estate attorneys, and home inspectors. The next webinar will be on **Tuesday, May 11, from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm**. Register [here](#).

**RANKED CHOICE VOTING
INFORMATIONAL WEBINAR**



Assemblymember
**Rodneyse
Bichotte Hermelyn**



In partnership with
Flatbush Development Corporation
present a

Ranked Choice Voting Informational Webinar

Join this webinar to learn the new way of voting in New York - ranking your candidates of choice
- and get other key updates to make your voting process smooth

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 2021
6:30 - 7:30 P.M.

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ **Registration is required.** ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jAhlcv2aQNOZPWhGR990qg

Questions may be submitted in advance at AD42@nyassembly.gov
Translations will be available: Spanish ★ Haitian Creole ★ Urdu



Presenters:



For more information on this event or any other community concerns, please contact the office of
Assemblymember Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn at 718-940-0428 • bichotter@nyassembly.gov • <https://nyassembly.gov/mem/Rodneyse-Bichotte-Hermelyn>

Assemblymember Rodneyse Bichotte Hermelyn in partnership with **Flatbush Development Corporation** is hosting a **Ranked Choice Voting Informational Webinar** on **Thursday, May 20th at 6:30 p.m.** Join this webinar to learn the new way of voting in New York – ranking your candidates of choice - and get other key updates to make your voting process smooth. Register [here](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jAhlcv2aQNOZPWhGR990qg).

BROOKLYN COVID-19 TESTING SITES

Week of May 10 - May 16, 2021

H+H test site schedule/updates: bit.ly/HH_testsites

* NO-COST tests.

* ID/Insurance are not required.

ONGOING SITES (days/hours vary; for ages 2 & older)

DATE	HOURS	LOCATION	ADDRESS	ZIP	NEIGHBORHOOD	OTHER
Ongoing	Mon-Sat, 8a-4m, Sun, 8m-12p	Coney Island Hospital	2501 Ocean Parkway	11235	Coney Island	Also offers Antibody Tests/Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon-Fri, 9a-3:30p; Sat-Sun, 10a-2p	Gotham Health, Cumberland	100 North Portland Avenue	11205	Fort Greene	Also offers Antibody Tests/Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon-Fri: 8:30a-3:30p; Sat-Sun: 9a-2p	Gotham, Jonathan Williams Houses	333 Roebling Street	11211	Williamsburg	Also offers Antibody Tests
Ongoing	Mon-Sun, 9am-7pm	Starrett City	1279 Pennsylvania Ave	11239	Starrett City	Also has Rapid Molecular Tests
Ongoing	Mon-Fri, 7am-7pm; Sat: 8am-3pm; Sun, 8am-5pm	Kings County Hospital	451 Clarkson Ave. T-Building, Room T-110 1st floor (Corner Clarkson & New York Ave)	11203	East Flatbush	Also offers Antibody Tests/Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon - Sun, 8am - 3pm	Gotham Health, East New York	2094 Pitkin Avenue	11207	East New York	Also offers Antibody Tests/Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon - Sun, 9am-7pm	Midwood Pre-K	1223 Coney Island Avenue	11230	Midwood	Also has Rapid Molecular Tests
Ongoing	Mon - Sun, 9am-7pm	Borough Park	4002 Fort Hamilton Parkway	11218	Borough Park	Also has Rapid Molecular Tests
Ongoing	Mon - Sun, 9am-7pm	Canarsie Municipal Parking Lot	622 E 99th St. (aka 1389 Rockaway Pkwy)	11236	Canarsie	Also offers Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon-Sun, 8:30am - 3:30pm	Woodhull Hospital	750 Broadway	11206	Bed-Stuy	Also offers Antibody Tests/Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon - Fri, 8:30am-4pm	Gotham Health, Homecrest	1501 Avenue B	11229	Homecrest	Also offers Antibody Tests
Ongoing	Mon - Sun, 9am-7pm	Bensonhurst 14th Ave	6315 14th Avenue	11219	Bensonhurst	Also has Rapid Molecular Tests
Ongoing	Mon - Sun, 9am-7pm	Bay Ridge 5th Ave	8511 & 8515 5th Avenue	11209	Bay Ridge	Also offers Rapid Antigen Tests/Flu Shots
Ongoing	Mon - Sat, 8am - 4pm; Sun, 8am-12pm	Ida G. Israel Community Health Ctr	2925 W 19th Street	11224	Coney Island	
Ongoing	Mon - Fri, 9am-5pm	Crown Heights	196 Albany Avenue	11213	Crown Heights	

SELF-TEST SITES (days/hours vary; for ages 4 & older)

DATE	HOURS	LOCATION	ADDRESS	ZIP	NEIGHBORHOOD	OTHER
May 10-13	Mon, 11a-4:30p; Tue-Thu, 10a-4:30p	Greenpoint Health Center	875 Manhattan Avenue	11222	Greenpoint	
May 10-13	Mon, 11a-4p; Tue-Thu, 9:30a-4p	Williamsburg (Adult Med)	279 Graham Avenue	11221	Williamsburg	
May 12-13	Wed-Thu, 10a-5p	BCA Sunset Park Senior Center	5007 7th Avenue	11220	Sunset Park	
5/11/21	Tue, 10a-5p	BCA Bensonhurst Senior Center	6809 20th Avenue	11204	Bensonhurst	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 10a-5p	Brooklyn Navy Yard	53 Flushing Ave, Building 92	11205	Navy Yard	
May 15	Sat, 10a-5p	AYITI Nou La TouJou	1377 Brooklyn Avenue	11203	East Flatbush	

PARTNER MOBILE SITES (ages 4 & older)

Due to parking issues, vans may be within 1-2 blocks away from this address. Rapid/PCR tests are available. Days and times vary.

DATE	HOURS	LOCATION	ADDRESS	ZIP	NEIGHBORHOOD	OTHER
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 9:30-4:30	NYCHA Marcy Houses	602 Park Avenue	11206	Williamsburg (South)	Distraction: 602a-602m Sunning Well; Marcy Houses Driveway Loop.
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	NYCHA Cypress Hills Houses	1250 Sutter Avenue	11208	Cypress Hills/ENY	Building #4 Parking Lot
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Bath Playground	2419 Bath Avenue #5328	11214	Bath Beach	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Marcy Plaza	Corner of Marcy Ave & Fulton Street	11216	Bed Stuy	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Leif Ericson Park	Corner of 8th Ave & 66th Street	11220	Bay Ridge	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Sunset Park BID	5116 5th Avenue 200-A	11220	Sunset Park	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Herman Dolgon Playground	Corner of Ave V & Brown Street	11229	Sheepshead Bay	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	NYCHA Sheepshead Bay Houses	Parking Lot behind 2935 Ave W	11229	Sheepshead Bay	entrance on Nostrand Ave
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Council of People's Organizations	1077 Coney Island Ave	11230	Flatbush	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Red Hook Park	Corner of Bay St & Columbia Street	11231	Kensington	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Sunset Park	Corner of 6th Avenue & 44th Street	11232	Sunset Park	
May 10-16	Mon-Sun, 8am - 7pm	NYCHA Ocean Hill Houses	15 Mother Gaston Blvd	11233	Ocean Hill	Corner of Mother Gaston Blvd & Sumpler Street
May 10-14	8am - 7pm	Brooklyn Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Center	3050 West 21st Street	11224	Coney Island	
May 10, 12-16	Mon & Wed-Sun, 8am - 7pm	Mckinley Park	Corner of 73rd Street and Fort Hamilton Parkway	11228	Dyker Heights	
May 11	8am - 7pm	Get Tested Tuesday (Crown Heights)	271 Ultra Ave	11213	Crown Heights	corner of Eastern Parkway
May 13	Thu, 8am - 7pm	Voices Latinas	4705 5th Ave, Brooklyn, NY	11220	Sunset Park	
May 15	8am - 7pm	Flatlands Reformed Church Community Center	3931 Kings Hwy	11210	Flatlands	

Here are the dates and times for NYC Health+Hospitals testing sites for the week of **May 10** to **May 16**. To find additional testing sites around NYC, visit [here](#).

COVID-19 VACCINATION SITES

**NYC VACCINE FOR ALL:
SAFE, FREE, EASY**

NYC
Health



If you or someone you love would like to schedule an appointment for the **COVID-19 vaccine**, please visit [here](#) or call 1-833-NYS-4-VAX (1-833-697-4829).

COVID VACCINE SCAM ALERT

**COVID Vaccine Scam Alert
Be Aware**



The COVID-19 Vaccine is FREE to individuals.

Do not pay anyone to register you for an appointment or to get the vaccine.

There is NO COST!

Report violations/fraud to 1-833-VAX-SCAM (1-833-829-7226)
or email STOPVAXFRAUD@health.ny.gov



DON'T FORGET YOUR MASK



Leaving home?

**Don't forget
your mask!**



MUTUAL AID NYC FOOD RESOURCES

MUTUAL AID NYC HOTLINE

Call the Mutual Aid NYC hotline during the times listed below for information about food resources, grocery delivery and other services in your neighborhood and beyond. The hotline is free, open to everyone and is available in 11 languages, including English.

Monday - Thursday: 2 PM - 8 PM Friday: 2 PM - 5 PM

ESPAÑOL

Llame a la línea telefónica de Ayuda Mútua NYC en los horarios listados más abajo para información relacionada con comida, entrega de la compra a domicilio y otros servicios en su barrio y otros barrios. La línea telefónica es gratuita, abierta a todo el mundo, y disponible en 11 idiomas, incluyendo Inglés y Español.

Lunes-Jueves: 2PM - 8PM Viernes: 2PM - 5PM

普通话

在下面列出的时间内，拨打纽约互助热线，以获取有关您附近及其他地区的食物资源，杂货配送和其他服务的信息。该热线是免费的，向所有人开放，并以11种语言提供，包括英语和中文。

星期一 - 星期四: 2 PM - 8 PM 星期五: 2 PM - 5 PM

বাংলা

দয়া করে মিউচুয়াল এইড NYC হটলাইনে ফোন করুন নিম্নলিখিত নির্দিষ্ট সময়গুলোতে আরও জানতে খাদ্য সম্পদ, মুদি সরবরাহ (গ্রোসারি ডেলিভারি) এবং অন্যান্য সেবার বিষয় যেগুলো আপনার পাড়ায় উপলব্ধ। এই হটলাইনটি সকলের জন্যে এগারোটি ভাষায় বিনামূল্যে প্রস্তুত (ইংরেজি এবং বাংলায়)।

সোম - বৃহস্পতিবার: ২ - ৮ p.m. শুক্রবার: ২ - ৫ p.m.

FRANÇAIS

Appeler la Mutual Aid NYC directe ligne durant les temps listés en dessous pour les informations concernant les ressources alimentaires, pour la livraison de vos condiments et autres besoins dans votre quartier ou en dehors. La ligne directe est gratuite, ouverte à toute personne et disponible dans 11 différentes langues en plus du français.

Lundi - Jeudi: 14h - 20h Vendredi: 14h - 17h

العربية

خلال الساعات المدرجة أدناه لتجد NYC اتصل بخط ساخن ميوتشوال أيد المعلومات عن الموارد الغذائية وخدمات توصيل منتجات البقالة والخدمات الأخرى في حيك والأحياء الأخرى. هذا الخط الساخن مجاني ومفتوح للجميع ومتاح بـ 11 لغة بما في ذلك اللغة الإنجليزية و لغتك الإثنى حتى الخميس: 2م-8م الجمعة: 2م-5م

CREOLE

Rele Mutual Aid NYC liy dirèk pandan tan ki nan lis anba a pou enfòmasyon sou resous manje, livrezon makèt ak lòt sèvis nan katye ou ak apre. Liy dirèk la gratis, louvri pou tout moun epi li disponib nan onz lang, ki gen ladan angle ak kreòl.

Lendi jiska jedi: dezè nan apremidi jiska uitè di swa Vandredi: dezè nan apremidi jiska senkè di swa

हिन्दी

अपने इलाके में फूड बैंक या राशन की डेलिवरी जैसी सेवाओं की जानकारी के लिए नीचे दिए गए समय पर म्यूचुअल एड NYC को फोन करें। यह हॉटलाइन आपकी सेवा के लिए है और अंग्रेजी और हिंदी के अलावा, 11 और भाषाओं में मौजूद है।

सोमवार - गुरुवार: 2 - 8 PM शुक्रवार: 2 - 5 PM

한국어

생필품 및 기타 서비스에 대한 정보를 원하시는 경우, 하단에 표기된 시간에 맞추어 Mutual Aid NYC 핫라인에 연락하여 주시길 바랍니다. 모든 서비스는 무료로 제공되며, 누구나 사용 가능합니다. 서비스는 영어 및 한국어를 포함하여 11개국 언어로 제공됩니다.

월요일 - 목요일: 오후 2시 - 오후 8시 / 금요일: 오후 2시 - 오후 5시

РУССКИЙ

Позвоните по телефону горячей линии Mutual Aid NYC в указанное ниже время для получения информации о продовольственных ресурсах, доставке продуктов и других услугах в вашем районе и за его пределами. Горячая линия бесплатна, открыта для всех и доступна на 11 языках, включая английский и русский.

Понедельник - четверг: 14:00 - 20:00 Пятница: 14:00 - 17:00.

اردو

کھانے پینے کے وسائل، راشن (گروسری) کی فراہمی اور اپنے پڑوس اور اس سے باہر کی دیگر خدمات کے بارے میں معلومات حاصل کرنے کے لیے نیچے دئے گئے اوقات کے دوران باہمی امداد ہاٹ لائن پر کال کریں۔ ہاٹ لائن ہر ایک کے لئے مفت ہے اور انگریزی اور اردو سمیت 11 زبانوں میں دستیاب ہے۔

پیر تا جمعرات: ۲ سے شام ۸ بجے تک، جمعہ: ۲ سے شام ۵ بجے تک

📞 646-437-8080

For more information, languages & hours, visit
MUTUALAID.NYC/I-NEED-HELP

**MUTUAL
AID NYC**

Mutual Aid NYC is providing food assistance, resources, and other services. To get more information call their hotline at which you can call at **646-437-8080**.

NYC SMALL BUSINESS RESOURCE NETWORK



Are you a small business?
We are here to help you.

YOUR ONE-STOP SHOP FOR RECOVERY SUPPORT

Get access to valuable resources through **Small Business Support Specialists** in your borough



FINANCIAL
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MARKETING
EXPERTISE



TECHNOLOGY
SUPPORT



LEGAL
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BUSINESS
COACHING

SIGN UP — HERE IS HOW IT WORKS

1

Sign up by submitting
your business profile

2

You will be assigned a Small
Business Support Specialist
through your local Chamber
of Commerce

3

Work with your
Specialist to assess your
business needs

4

Get personalized guidance
and access to resources for
your business

5 BOROUGHS. 1 RESOURCE NETWORK.

Our public-private partnership came together to offer meaningful assistance to small business owners through the city's corporate, financial, and professional service sectors, as well as universities, philanthropists, and expert volunteers.



in collaboration with:



NYCSmallBusinessResourceNetwork.org



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The **NYC Small Business Resource Network** is a unique private/public partnership that provides our local businesses with the free, personalized guidance they need right now to survive the pandemic. If you have a small business, you can sign up for this network today.

Once you fill out the **brief intake form**, you will be matched with a business support specialist. Through this program, all five borough **Chambers of Commerce** have specialists offering one-on-one support to businesses in their boroughs.

The program is funded by a \$2.8 million grant from the New York City-based Peter G. Peterson Foundation and supported

by in-kind contributions from other partners, this collaboration, led by the **Partnership for New York City**, the **NYC Economic Development Corporation** and all five **Chambers of Commerce**, leverages the city's corporate, financial and professional services sectors, as well as universities, philanthropies and expert volunteers to help small business owners gain access to a range of programs and services.

COVID-19 RAPID TESTING BROOKLYN LOCATIONS

ACPNY HOT SPOT RAPID TESTING: BROOKLYN APPOINTMENTS REQUIRED

<i>Location</i>	<i>Hours</i>
Kings Highway 3245 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11229	Monday-Friday 9am - 4pm
Bay Ridge 740 64th St., Brooklyn, NY 11220	Wednesday/Friday 9am - 4pm
Flatbush 1000 Church Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11218	Monday-Friday 9am - 4pm

Schedule Virtual Visit Screenings in Two Ways:

Option 1 (Existing and All New Patients): Patient calls dedicated COVID-19 screening and testing hotline (866) 749-2660

Option 2 (Existing patients only): Patient schedules COVID-19 virtual visit screening on myACPNY patient portal.

After a virtual screening, patient is scheduled for a testing appointment at their convenience at testing location.

Results are communicated back to patient by ACPNY provider.

STOP THE SPREAD

Protect your community from COVID-19



Everyone must do their part.

- Stay home if you do not feel well.
- Participate in temperature checks and symptom screenings when entering public spaces.
- Wear face coverings when not at home.
- When with people who do not live in your household, keep 6 feet between you and others.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for 20 seconds each time.

If you or a loved one have been near someone who has COVID-19, here's what to do:

- **Do not leave your home**, except to get medical care. Avoid taking buses, subways, and taxis.
- **Separate from other people in your home as much as possible.** You should stay in a specific "sick room" if possible.
- Do not share household items.
- Use a separate bathroom, if possible. If you share a bathroom, clean and disinfect after using it.
- Don't touch pets.
- Don't cook food and serve it to others.
- Avoid caring for children **and older adults, if possible.**

Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. People with these symptoms may have COVID-19:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

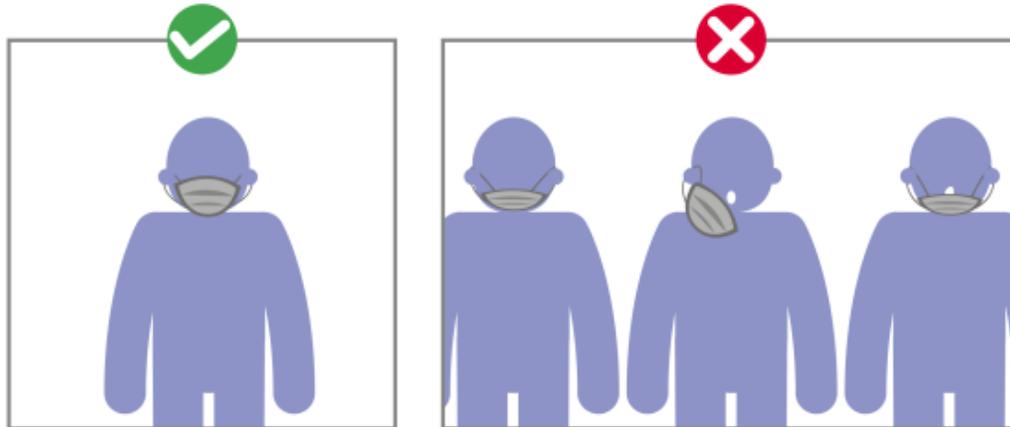
*This list is not all inclusive. Please consult your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning.

Stay up to date www.health.ny.gov/coronavirus



WEARING FACE COVERINGS

Face Masks and Coverings for COVID-19



- You must wear a face mask or face covering in public when social distancing (staying at least 6 feet apart) is not possible, unless a face covering is not medically tolerated. This includes on public transport, in stores and on crowded sidewalks.
- Children over 2 years of age should wear a face mask in public, too. Children under 2 years of age should NOT wear face coverings for safety reasons.
- Cloth face coverings should be made from fabric you can't see through when held up to the light. They must be cleaned before reusing.
- Disposable paper face masks should be used for one outing outside the home. They cannot be properly cleaned.
- The best way to prevent COVID-19 is to continue social distancing (staying at least 6 feet away from others), **even when wearing a face covering.**

Putting On Face Covering

- **DO** clean your hands with soap and water or if that's not available, alcohol-based hand sanitizer, before putting on your face covering.
- Make sure the face covering covers both your nose and mouth.
- **DON'T** wear your mask hanging under your nose or mouth or around your neck. You won't get the protection you need.
- **DON'T** wear the face covering on top of your head, or take it off and on repeatedly. Once it is in place, leave the covering in place until you are no longer in public.

Taking Off Face Covering

- **DO** clean your hands with soap and water or if that's not available, alcohol-based hand sanitizer, before taking off your face covering.
- Remove your mask only touching the straps.
- Discard the face covering if it is disposable. If you are reusing (cloth), place it in a paper bag or plastic bag for later.
- Wash your hands again.
- When cleaning a cloth face covering, **DO** put in the washer (preferably on the hot water setting).
- Dry in dryer at high heat. When it is clean and dry, place in a clean paper or plastic bag for later use. If you live in a household with many people, you might want to label the bags with names so the face coverings are not mixed up.

AVOID SCAMS

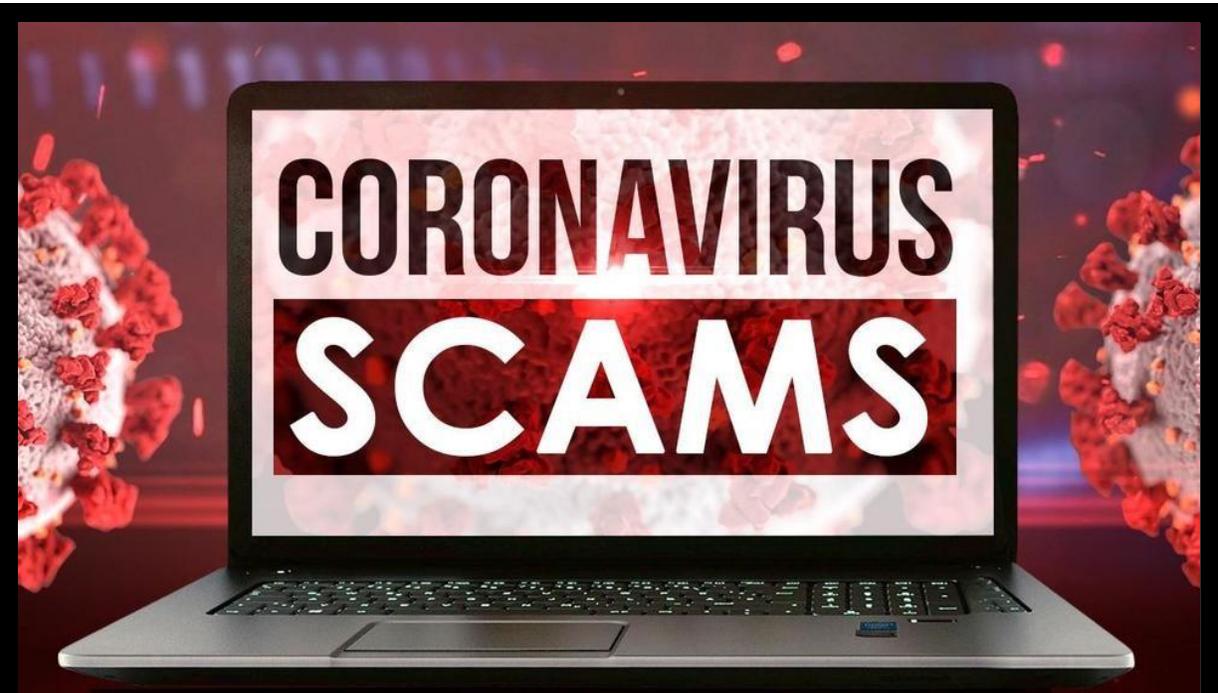


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- Notify NYC: Beware of COVID-19 scams!
- Report **price gouging** to 311 or [NYC.gov/dcwp](https://www.nyc.gov/dcwp). You can also file a complaint to the Attorney General's office by filling out a [complaint form](#).
- **NYS Price Gouging Hotline: 800-697-1220.**
- CDC staff will **NOT** go door-to-door. If you experience this, call 911.

SERVICES AND RESOURCES



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Due to the impact of COVID-19 on New York City's workforce, the City of New York has developed a list of resources for those who may be unemployed due to COVID-19 or are seeking additional assistance. The list below will be updated frequently.

It has information on the following categories:

- **Employment Resources**
- **Food Assistance**
- **Health & Medical Assistance**
- **Financial Assistance**
- **Rent Arrears and Public Assistance**
- **Emotional Support & Spiritual Care**
- **Other Assistance**

Visit this [website](#) for resources.

NYS Department of Health Hotline for people who want to be assessed and get appointment for test ([888-364-3065](tel:888-364-3065)). NYC residents should call ([844-692-4692](tel:844-692-4692)).

Volunteer to Support

Others: https://www1.nyc.gov/site/helpnownyc/resources/covid-19-relief.page#healthcare_workers.

Free Internet Services:

Charter is offering free spectrum broadband and WiFi access for 60 days to household with K-12 and/or college students who do not already have Spectrum broadband subscription. To enroll, call **844-488-8395**. Until further notice, all Xfinity WiFi Public Hotspots are now open to everyone on the "xfinitywifi" SSID. For more information visit [here](#).

The **Hebrew Educational Society** in partnership with MET Council has a food pantry that is open to all. To reserve a spot, visit [here](#).

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