



SAFER AT HOME
BUSINESS SUPPORT





TCHD Business Re-Opening Task Force

As an increased number of businesses began operating under the state-wide Safer-At-Home Order in Adams, Arapahoe and Douglas Counties, we would like to announce our newly-established Business Re-Opening Task Force.

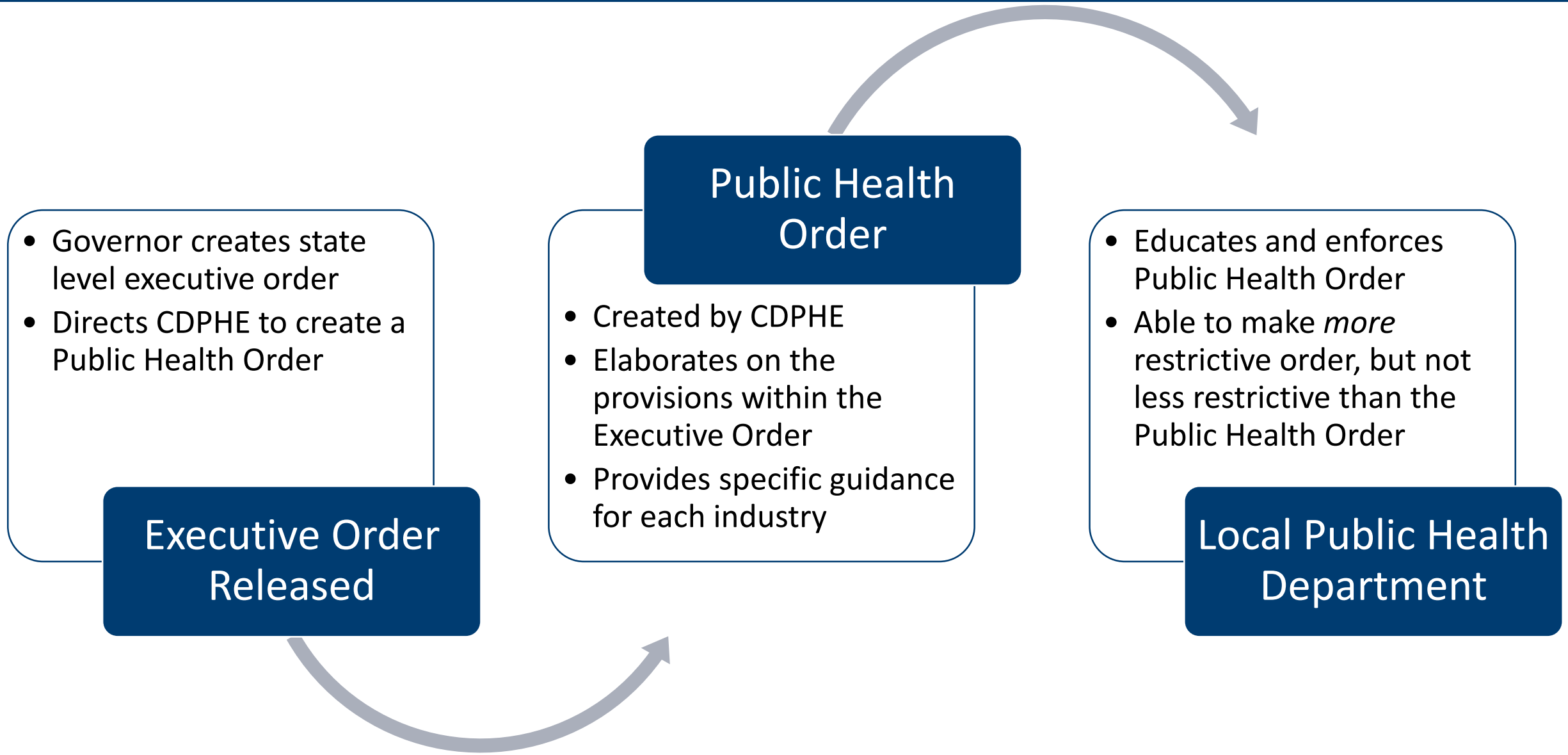
Phone: 720-713-6030

Email: covidbusinessrecovery@tchd.org

- Answering calls & emails 5 days a week from 8am – 5pm (emails preferred)
- Weekly Friday Webinars with Tri-County's Policy and Intergovernmental Affairs Manager
- Live Office hours with the Business Re-Opening Task Force

Public Health Order Process

*CDPHE- Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

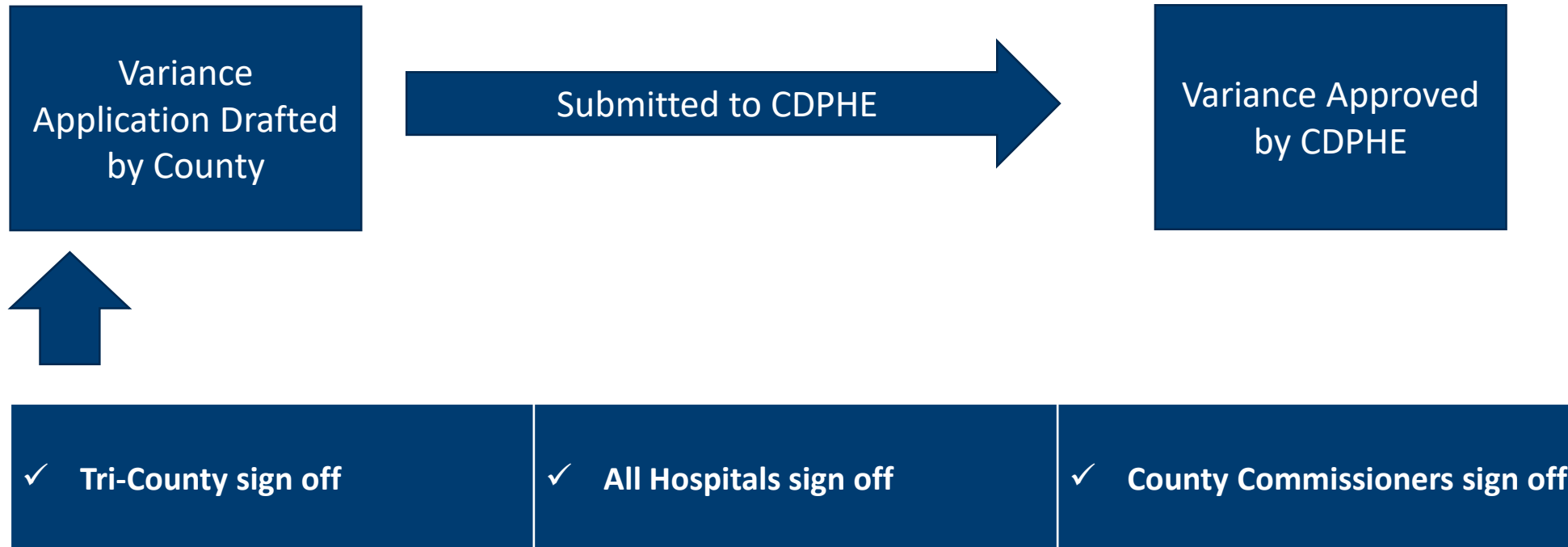


Variance Process

*CDPHE- Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment
<https://covid19.colorado.gov/public-health-executive-orders/local-orders-variances>



Variance- In Colorado, local governments can choose to have different rules from the state in some instances.



Contact: covidbusinessrecovery@tchd.org to see if a variance is even needed

Safer at Home



Level 1: Stay at Home

Everyone was required to stay at home except for grocery shopping, exercise and necessary activities. Only critical businesses were open.



Level 2: Safer at Home and in the Vast, Great Outdoors

While we are all still safer at home, we are also able to practice greater social distancing in our great outdoors than in confined indoor spaces.



Level 3: Protect Our Neighbors

Local public health agencies have the ability to contain surges in cases and outbreaks through testing, case investigation, contact tracing, isolation, quarantine, site-specific closures, and the enforcement of public health orders.



Safer-at-Home and the Vast, Great Outdoors: New Highlights

- Bars- closed to in-person service unless partnered with a retail food establishment (must function as a restaurant)
- Open Houses- follow indoor event guidance
- Libraries- not limited to curbside pickup anymore
- Professional sports- able to resume with approval from CDPHE



Protect Our Neighbors: Highlights

Fast facts

- 👉 **Protect Our Neighbors empowers local communities.**
- ✅ **Communities must meet criteria to be certified for the Protect Our Neighbors phase.**
- ↔ **Local communities may move between phases.**

Criteria to qualify for Protect Our Neighbors

Counties must qualify by meeting scientifically established thresholds of:

- Low disease transmission levels,
- Capacity for testing, case investigation, contact tracing, and outbreak response, and
- Hospital ability to meet the needs of all patients and handle the surge in demand for intensive hospital care.

In addition, communities must have mitigation and containment plans approved by local elected leaders including county commissioners and mayors, the hospitals that serve the county, law enforcement, emergency management, the local public health director, and if applicable, tribes.

Questions Time!

Today we will be using the chat feature to ask questions

