

# WATERTOWN HOUSING AUTHORITY

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Dear Residents of the Watertown Housing Authority:

The WHA and the Watertown Health Department are mandating the following protocols due to the rising number of COVID-19 positive cases in our community.

***Face coverings are required on all WHA properties. If you are seen in the common areas without a face mask your name will be forwarded to the Board of Health.***

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SO, REMEMBER:

RESIDENTS WHO DO NOT ADHERE TO THE FACE COVERING MANDATE MAY FACE A FINE, AND/OR BE SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH WHA FOR A RESIDENT HEARING.

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IF YOU ARE SICK PLEASE DO NOT ENTER THE BUILDING...see attached questionnaire

Permitted visitors to WHA properties are those providing an essential service and they:

- must wear a face covering, over the nose & mouth, before entering the building
- they must be symptomless and leave contact information on the sign-in sheet
- and should use the hand sanitizer station when entering and exiting the building

Please check these helpful websites, with links on the Town of Watertown's website.

Mass.gov/covid19

<https://www.mass.gov/orgs/massachusetts-emergency-management-agency>

<https://www.mass.gov/resource/information-on-the-outbreak-of-coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19>

<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/reopening-massachusetts>

As always – stay safe and be well.



Michael Lara  
Executive Director

# Watertown Housing Authority

## COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS QUESTIONNAIRE (CUESTIONARIO DE CORONAVIRUS COVID-19)

In response to the recent COVID-19 Coronavirus outbreak, the WHA is working hard to minimize the spread of communicable diseases in our buildings. For the safety and protection of our residents and staff, we ask that you answer the following questions:

*En respuesta al reciente brote de coronavirus COVID-19, la WHA está trabajando arduamente para minimizar la propagación de enfermedades transmisibles en nuestros edificios. Para la seguridad y protección de nuestros residentes y personal, le pedimos que responda las siguientes preguntas:*

1. Are you or anyone in your household currently experiencing fever, cough, or shortness of breath?

¿Usted o alguien en su hogar experimenta fiebre, tos o falta de aire?

YES (SI)

NO

2. Have you or anyone in your household traveled outside of the United States in the last 30 days?

¿Usted o alguien en su hogar ha viajado fuera de los Estados Unidos en los últimos 30 días?

YES (SI)

NO

3. Have you or anyone in your household been diagnosed with the COVID-19 Coronavirus?

¿Usted o alguien de su hogar ha sido diagnosticado con el coronavirus COVID-19?

YES (SI)

NO

4. Have you or anyone in your household been in direct contact with anyone diagnosed with the COVID-19 Coronavirus?

¿Usted o alguien en su hogar ha estado en contacto directo con alguien diagnosticado con el coronavirus COVID-19?

YES (SI)

NO

Please remember that the best protection is prevention!

- Wash your hands frequently with soap and warm water.
- Keep your hands off of and away from your face.

- Frequently sanitize commonly touched surfaces and objects.
- Avoid large gatherings and maintain a six foot distance from others.
- If you experience flu-like symptoms, contact a medical professional immediately.

¡Recuerde que la mejor protección es la prevención!

- *Lávese las manos con frecuencia con agua tibia y jabón.*
- *Mantenga sus manos fuera y lejos de su cara.*
- *Desinfecte frecuentemente superficies y objetos con frecuencia.*
- *Evite reuniones grandes y mantenga una distancia de seis pies de los demás.*
- *Si experimenta síntomas similares a los de la gripe, comuníquese con un profesional medico de inmediato.*