



# STATE OF MINNESOTA **COVID-19 Update**

Office of Governor Walz and Lt. Governor Flanagan

# Engaging Minnesota to Rebuild a Safe & Inclusive Economy



- Minnesotans across the state are helping inform our COVID-19 response
- The Walz-Flanagan administration is listening to Minnesotans and receiving feedback in many forms:
  - Virtual and in-person conversations and meetings
  - Providing survey tools and idea submission forms
  - Letters, emails and phone calls
- Working together, we are navigating this pandemic as One Minnesota

# Our objective for safely reopening



- Carefully open our economy and society by moving along the dial, factoring in public health, social distancing, and societal well-being
- Create thoughtful guidance in concert with community leaders
- Release templates for worker/customer safety that can be used onsite
- Consistently monitor progress with industry and community leaders over time

# Consulting every sector



- We have regular consultations about how we can safely reopen more sectors over time with:
  - Arts, concert halls, museums, and cultural organizations
  - Gyms, yoga studios, and fitness centers
  - Restaurants, bars, and other places of public amusement
  - Salons, barbershops, and tattoo parlors
  - Small retail associations and business owners
  - Sporting venues and professional sports teams
  - Youth recreational organizations

# Surveying Businesses & Orgs across Minnesota



## What high-level group does your organization best fit into? # of responses



# Surveying Businesses & Orgs across Minnesota



## Professional services



## Manufacturing, Construction, & Agricultural Organizations



## Retail organizations



## Healthcare organizations



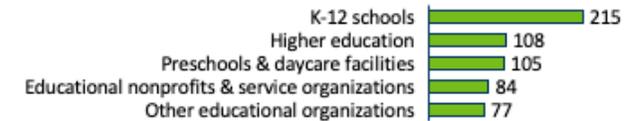
## Arts, Cultural Centers, Entertainment, & Recreation



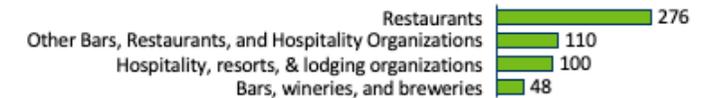
## Governmental organizations



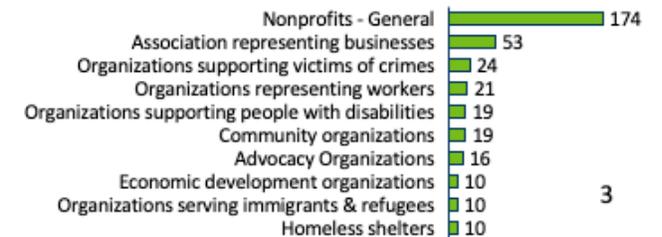
## Educational organizations



## Bars, restaurants, & hospitality organizations



## Community organizations, associations, & nonprofits



# Engaging groups across Minnesota



We are in consistent dialogue with a variety of groups on a whole host of issues regarding reopening our economy:

- Tribal Leaders of the eleven Tribal Nations who share their geography with Minnesota
- Advocacy groups and non-profits representing communities of color and Indigenous communities
- Chambers of Commerce, Trade Associations, and Economic Development Authorities
- Consumer advocates for older adults and people with disabilities
- Disability services providers

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- Educators, superintendents, and school districts
- Labor unions and organizers
- Long-term care providers
- Municipalities, counties, and regional coalitions
- Nonprofit organizations and foundations across a wide range of social issues
- Places of worship and faith communities

# We need to hear from you!



- We are One Minnesota, and we need to hear from Minnesotans
- **Submit ideas and thoughts about safely re-engaging in workplaces and social settings:**
  - Submission form available on [mn.gov/deed/safework](https://mn.gov/deed/safework)
  - More than 4,000 submissions so far

# Thank you!



Together, as One Minnesota, we can save lives.

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